

Youth Easter Camp // YEC25



18 - 21 April 2025

Kingswood Grosvenor Hall, Ashford, Kent, TN25 4AJ Closest train station is Ashford International.

Arrival and check-in on Fri 18 April: 3:00 – 4:00pm. End of camp and pick-up on Mon 21 April: 4:30 – 5:30pm.

Please make your own travel arrangements. If travelling by train, let us know on the travel details form and we'll arrange for a leader to pick you up from the station and drop you off.

Theme and Purpose



"Hold on to the handrail." Does this phrase sound familiar? Maybe you've heard it on the tube, the escalator or on the bus. The journey can be shaky and it can be difficult to keep our balance and even fall if we don't hold on to the handrail. Similarly, our lives can be seen as a journey that sometimes becomes a bit shaky and turbulent. But, the writer of Hebrews invites us to "hold unswervingly to the hope we profess" – Hebrews 10:23

At Easter we remember and celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ through whom we now "have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place" (*Hebrews 10:19*). Not only can we now enter the presence of God, but we have Jesus as our great high priest. So, "let us draw near to God with a sincere heart… let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess… and let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds." – *Hebrews 10:22-24*

This year's guest speaker, Levi Chan, grew up in CCiL and graduated from ALIVE youth group. You may even recognise him from the Alpha Youth Series! We are excited to welcome him back to lead the talks and look forward to hear what God has to say through him at YEC25!

Programme



There will be worship, games, teaching, discussion, prayer, workshops, some surprises, and a life-changing experience!

You'll belong to a small group with other youths your age, where you can talk with leaders who will look after you.

Fuzz Mail is back! Each group will be assigned another group to send notes and goodies, to make them feel warm & fuzzy!

During free time, you can make new friends, study if you need to, or join in with organised activities like sports or crafts.

This year, we're introducing *Theme Night*! We'll have an evening where everyone needs to "dress up as a tube station" so be ready and be appropriate! Here's a video for inspoprops allowed but don't bring anything you wouldn't want to break or lose!

Stay Connected



ccil.org.uk/yec25

On our website you'll find the consent form, travel details form, camp schedule, worship playlist, and workshop info.

If you have any questions, please speak to a youth leader or email The Next Generation Pastoral Team: tmg@ccil.org.uk

In case of an emergency during camp, please call:

Pastor Ollie Knight — 07806 557047 Haynam Sham — 07873 543484

Checklist

Space is limited! Hand luggage size only!

- Bedding (provided)
- ☐ Clothes (& Theme Night outfit)
- Pyjamas
- □ Slippers
- ☐ Trainers for activities
- ☐ Towel
- ☐ Personal toiletries
- ☐ Refillable water bottle
- ☐ Snacks (for yourself, to share & for Fuzz Mail)
- ☐ Notebook and pen
- ☐ Bible an actual physical version if you have one!

Note to Parents



Please ensure you return a parental consent form.

Let us know if your child has any special educational needs, dietary requirements, or medical conditions. If anybody feels unwell, they may be sent home if their illness is contagious.

As part of Easter celebrations, we will invite those who have decided to follow Jesus to participate in **Holy Communion**. Please speak to us if you have any concerns about this.

And finally, we thought we'd let you know that the Ashford Designer Outlet is just a short distance from the camp venue in case you'd like to visit when dropping off your child!

