



BEVERLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUTH ALPHA COURSE PARENT INFORMATION SHEET

What is Youth Alpha?

Youth Alpha is a fun, informative and relaxed course that offers teenagers the chance to explore some of the bigger questions of life, while teaching the basics of the Christian faith.

Youth Alpha is based on the Alpha course, which is now running in over 160 countries worldwide. Over 13 million people have attended a course, and it is running in every major Christian denomination around the world.

For more information please visit alpha.org

What happens at Youth Alpha?

Each session of Youth Alpha has four main elements - food, fun, a short presentation, and discussion in small groups.

At each session, one of the team will give a short presentation on a different aspect of the Christian faith (covering topics such as 'Who Is Jesus?' 'Why and How Do I Pray?', and 'What about the Church?' among others).

Following the presentation, there will be discussion time in small groups. Here, the groups are encouraged to be completely honest, say exactly how they feel about what has been said and debate the topics together. All opinions are considered valid, and there is no pressure to think or act in a particular way.

It is worth mentioning that no session is compulsory, and guests are welcome to leave the course at any point. The course provides an opportunity for anyone, regardless of background, to make an informed choice for themselves.

Who is running it?

This Youth Alpha course is being run by Ali Crompton and a team from Beverley Community Church

What are the practical details?

Youth Alpha will run weekly on Wednesday evenings from 7:30pm to 9:30pm at Beverley Community Church Offices, 49a Saturday Market, HU17 8EA

There is an optional weekend in the middle of the course which we would love your teenager to come to on 23rd – 26th February. We are currently finalising arrangements for this, and more information will be provided near the start of the course.

Does it cost money?

The course itself is totally free - food will be provided for an optional donation of £2. There will also be a suggested cost for the weekend which we will confirm soon, but we would hate anyone to miss out due to financial reasons so please speak to us if this may be a problem.

Who can I contact for more information?

Please contact Ali Crompton on 01482 868124 or by email on alic@beverleycommunitychurc.org

If you are interested in the topics covered on Youth Alpha and would like to find out more about attending an Alpha course yourself, please just ask one of the team or visit alpha.org to find a local course.

We hope this answers your questions. If not, please feel free to contact us; we would love to speak to you.



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