

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER APRIL- JULY 2022

YOUTH IN CHRIST AFRICA

Impacting lives through loving, evangelizing, discipling, supporting and serving.



Greetings from YICA

Greetings from Uganda! We hope you are well. We have had a busy quarter- full of activities and programs. Uganda has finished the rainy season and has gone into the dry season.

Some Updates...

We have finally got our website up and running! It explains who we are, what we do, and what we believe. Please check it out at www.yica-africa.org.

We also started an Instagram. If you are on Instagram, please follow us at [youthinchristafrica](https://www.instagram.com/youthinchristafrica) to see regular updates!



Youth Chat

Youth Chat has been underway, and has had a positive response from the community.

The discussion-based lessons fuel engagement and participation. We are developing our curriculum as we go- trying to focus on topics that are most applicable to the lives of those who attend. The Youth Chat members discussed wanting to incorporate skills training, and we are now looking at ways to find facilitators to teach the group a variety of job skills. Some of these ideas were: making soap, making notebooks, baking, and starting small businesses.

Please pray for us to find people who can teach us these new skills to help empower our group financially.



High School Outreach

Last month we launched our high school outreach. It is our oldest program, originally starting in 2015, but due to Covid it had come to a temporary halt. This program is aimed at teaching students leadership and life skills. We are focusing this program in Sironko District. We have a class at Bugusege Parents Primary School reaching out to the P7 class. We are in need of a team to lead this program. Please pray for more people to join this program as teachers and for a team to develop!



YICA Child

Our YICA child program is fully operational. Our teaching facilitator has been busy organizing our gathering days with the children. Our gathering days with the children in the program happen once a month. During this day, we organize some games, sing, hear the Word of God, and do an activity. We are teaching the children chronological bible stories- starting with creation. Our home visit coordinator has also been busy checking on the children and their families. Many of the children have been sick lately, unfortunately. Please pray for healing.

At the end of next month, we have a Give Away Day. We do this at the beginning of each term to supply children with school supplies for the new upcoming term. We are so excited to resume this activity! We have developed an updated list of our sponsorship levels. If you are interested in sponsoring a child through the program, we can send you the document and help you make the right choice of support! Please join us in prayer for financial provision over this aspect of the program.

Church Leaders Training

Our first Church Leaders Training has an official date! We are leading our first CLT August 11th-13th!

The church leaders training is currently aimed at:

1. Developing a personal relationship with God.
2. Fostering relationships with their families.
3. Healthy relationships and boundaries amongst the church congregation.
4. Biblical models of church leadership.
5. Evangelizing and serving their local communities.

Church leaders who do not have a Bible of their own will also be provided one.

