emerge = growing youth work

Engaging and impacting young people within your community may feel like a daunting task! We believe this simple tool can help develop an understanding of what you are aiming for and shape a plan to get there.

stage 01

BUILD RELATIONSHIPS by creating regular significant opportunities to engage young people in large numbers and spend time together on their terms, using sports, activities and fun.

Question to consider – Where are the young people naturally found in your community? What activities do they enjoy that you can provide?

stage 02

DEEPEN RELATIONSHIPS with young people by engaging them regularly in specific groups and projects which create memories and address the needs of young people.

Question to consider – What interests do you have which align with the interests of young people?

stage 03

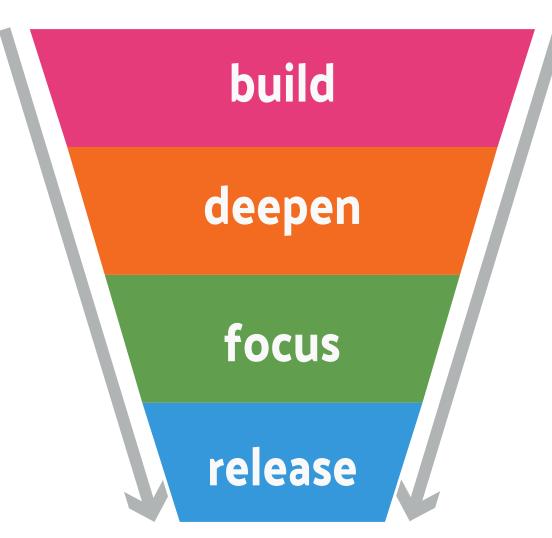
FOCUS RELATIONSHIPS and increase the intentional impact with young people through specific projects interventions and groups (e.g. Cell groups/referral based services) which create deeper community and real impact.

Question to consider – What are needs of young people which we have the tools to meet?

stage 04

RELEASE RELATIONSHIPS through ongoing discipleship, enabling the growth of leadership and encouraging contribution to church and community life.

Question to consider – How do you invest in the 'few' while continuing to meet the 'many'?



A programme developed using these principles and with consistent and committed relationships, can grow transformational youth work which inspires social and spiritual change in the lives of young people.