Creative Element Ideas for Youth Sunday 2018

Worship opens a space of creativity for all ages. Here are some ideas for ways your church can embrace the NYC theme on youth Sunday throughout the worship service and the worship space. Feel free to use these ideas as a spring board for ways you can use them for your congregation and ways to show the creative talents of youth.

Worship Center/Decor/Front of Church

- Using clothes (shirts, jeans, etc.) to decorate any worship centers or entry ways.
- Using string, yarn, ribbon or rope like in the NYC 2018 logo to decorate.
- Highlighting bold words from the scripture by painting, drawing, writing them to hang up.
- Use the four colors in the NYC 2018 logo throughout the decor of the church.
- Be creative in the slides chosen to project songs, announcements, etc. on the screen.
- Use a clothes line as a backdrop for a worship center with clothing that has words from the scripture written on it, highlighting the bold words.

Use in Worship

Make a paper chain with those in worship, symbolizing being bound together and unified as a church and community. Invite participants to write on the paper before the chain is created—be creative about what they write.

Collect T-shirts for Diapers for Haiti the service project at NYC.

Collect materials for BDM clean-up buckets for the service project at NYC.

Find ways to change up the "regular" seating of your congregation.

Use paper cut in the shape of clothing and have members write one or two of the attributes (compassion, patience, etc.) each has. Hang them up in fellowship hall after worship on clothes line (or right then bring them up in worship and offer those gifts to God's Kingdom).