



Our church is part of a citywide gospel movement to unite the Church of Columbus to be <u>for</u> the city of Columbus.

In the month of August, churches across the city are praying for <u>Students & Youth</u>. Scripture tells us in Psalm 78:4, "We will not hide them from their descendants; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, His power, and the wonders He has done..."

Please join me as we lift up the nations to our Father in Heaven:

Lord Jesus,

We lift up the next generation to You. We pray for their protection and ask that You bless them with Your peace. May the youth of our city guard their lives according to Your Word. May they flee from temptation and pursue righteousness, faith, love, and peace—together with those who call on You from a pure heart.

Strengthen believers everywhere to stand firm against the schemes of the enemy. Expose every lie that targets our youth. May teachers, coaches, and school leaders walk in the fear of the Lord, upholding all that is good, true, and beautiful.

Awaken us to Your truth, Lord. Instill courage in Your people to be strong salt and shining light in the darkness of our culture. Teach us to come to You with childlike faith—eager to sit at Your feet, to learn, and to be led by You.

Thank You for the mighty work of Your Holy Spirit among our children and young adults.

We pray all this in the precious name of Jesus. Amen.