

CME WORLD YOUTH DAY '23

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Leader: We thank You God for those ages 12-17 that we call Youth in the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church.

People: **God, thank you for the Christian Youth Fellowship.**

Leader: Thank you, God for all Boards of Christian Education and Formation in the local churches.

People: **God, thank you for pastors and Youth Workers and Ministers who nurture Youth.**

Leader: We acknowledge there are spiritual battles going on in the lives of Youth.

People: **God, thank you for giving Youth all that they need to be victorious in spiritual battles.**

Leader: Help Youth to be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.

People: **Almighty God, thank You that Christ Jesus has won the victory over sin.**

Leader: For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places." (Ephesians 6:12)

People: **Help Youth God to recognize that through Christ spiritual enemies are defeated.**

Leader: Help Youth to rely on you God daily and not only on their abilities.

People: **God, thank you for helping Youth to find all they need in You and in the power of your might.**

Leader: God of B. Julian Smith, Caesar D. Coleman, William R. Johnson, Ronald M. Cunningham thank you for these CME leaders' vision and strength.

People: **Thank you, Christian Methodist Episcopal Church for helping Youth over many decades to learn how to be strong in the Lord.**



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Leader: Thank you, CME Church, for providing Youth the means to live a victorious life in Christ.

People: God of our ancestors we as Youth and members of the Christian Youth Fellowship pause to say thank you.

Leader: Thank you for the Word of God, prayer, and praise.

People: For helping Youth to abide in Christ and He in them, in Jesus' Name.

Leader: Lord help Youth receive power from above to stand fast in this day of great temptation.

People: God help Adults to help Youth to put on the full armor of God and resist all the works of the enemy.

Leader: Mothers and Fathers, thank You for telling Youth that Jesus is the Way and the Truth and the Life.

People: O God, we ask you to guide Youth that they may be clothed in Jesus' righteousness by grace through faith.

Leader: Help adults walk in integrity, speak the truth in love, and continuously be clothed in Christ's own righteousness.

All: Now help Youth and adults to work together for the glory of God! Amen!



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