

# Shepherd Fold Ministry

3rd Edition



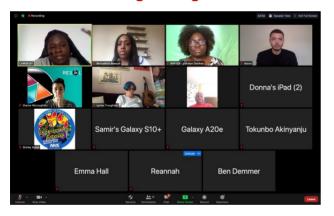
Congratulations to the National Parents and Youth Open Forum!

Congratulations National Parents And Youth Open Forum (NPAYOF) and Rev Joycelyn Dankwa on receiving an award from the London Faith & Belief Community Awards 2021 awarded by the Lord-Lieutenant of Greater London's Council on Faith on the 29th Nov 2021.

It is a great honor to serve the community and humanity. If the community remains silent, knife crime will become the norm in our society. The government cannot do it all, neither can parents, but together we can make a difference.

(Joycelyn Dankwa receiving award from Sir Kenneth Olisa LL)

## NPAYOF continue successful online sessions due to gathering restrictions



The project is spreading across the borough and reaching out to the wider community and the feedback is tremendous. Through the online platform, we provide training related to topics such as gang affiliated issues, mental health, school transitioning, drug abuse, parenting and more. We continue to be involved in the community champion initiative tasked to reduce the spread of Covid-19 by providing information to people.

## NPAYOF hopes to return back to face and face sessions in 2022



We continue to maintain our online sessions and hopefully move to face to face sessions in 2022. We continue to offer the signposting, befriending and referral service to the community.

The sessions are held on the 1st Monday of each month for parents from  $7.30 \, \text{pm} - 8.30 \, \text{pm}$ .

Visit our website wwww.npayof.co.uk to see the upcoming events from January 2022













## **Great News: Chatsworth Youth Club is** now open Monday & Wednesday 5pm - 8pm





Our Chatsworth Youth Club is now open for primary and secondary school children in Hackney especially from Clapton, Clapton Park, Chatsworth, Nesbet estate, Banister and the nearby neighbourhood. This space was offered to us by Clapton Park Methodist Church as their contribution to the neighbourhood. We provide homework support, sports, arts and crafts, cooking, refreshment and more. There is plenty of space for more children so come and join us!

## **Shepherd Fold Ministry International Project -**2021 Annual Trip to Ghana





Shepherd Fold Ministry endeavours to demonstrate God's love beyond words in our community both in the UK and abroad. We take our charity work seriously. The used items include clothing, shoes, bags, towels, bedsheet, plates, educational toys etc. These enabled us to cloth over 3000 families, provide food parcels for 80 widows and donated pampers to parents in the hospital's maternity and children ward. God bless everyone who continues and are still supporting this charity project.

To see more pictures and videos Visit: Facebook page Rev Joycelyn Dankwa charity foundation for pictures and videos.

## **NPAYOF Summer Picnic at Mabley Green -July 2021**





We had loads of fun in the park with the kids and Lynne from Hope UK delivered a parenting session. The community police and Hackney Councillors, Ian and Sade, joined us to support the event.

> For pictures and videos visit our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/YoungLiveMatter

## Covid-19 Help provided: Public Health **Community Champions and Mental Wellbeing**



We had opportunity to offered food parcel to families during the lockdown, befriending service and many more. NPAYOF participated in Public Health Community Champion to offer help to reducing misinformation about COVID-19 and the vaccines and increasing residents' access to information available to them in the borough. We provided a series of mental health training for both parents and young people and others sessions to reduce anxiety and isolation.

- 1. Hackney helpline for food poverty for residents -Call 0208 356 3111 or we are happy to refer you.
- 2. Care package support safe isolation available to order on request













### **Coming on this winter:**

Winter holiday fun at Chatsworth Youth Club from Monday 20th Dec to Wednesday 23rd Dec starting at 11am each day. All these activities are FREE for children in receipt of free school meals.

Register your child by <a href="www.npayof.co.uk">www.npayof.co.uk</a>, email <a href="mailto:office.nationalparentsforum@gmail.com">office.nationalparentsforum@gmail.com</a> or call 07826 520184

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These are my books available on all online bookshops

