



Youth Camp and Global Epiphany

”Time for Gods peace”

**100 years since the Ecumenical Meeting in
Stockholm 1925
– Working for peace today**

2-6 January 2025
at Stiftsgården Rättvik



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Youth Camp is connected with the event Global Epiphany seminar which is a 5-day inter-generational camp where we gather to share our experiences, our hopes and visions for our world. There will be talkshows, conversations, cultural exchanges through singing and music, workshops, festive services as well as moments for reflection and celebration. We meet across all borders with something for everyone – the young, the old and even families!



This year we celebrate 100 years since the Ecumenical Stockholm meeting 1925” Time for Gods Peace”. The meeting was hosted by the Archbishop Nathan Söderblom who had strong visions of Peace. Our hosts will be the **Archbishop Emeritus Anders Wejryd and Joanna Svärd**, climate activist. The music workshops will be led by internationally renowned choral conductor, **Anders Nyberg**.

Our theme will focus on peace in different perspectives: **Peace with Gods earth and our environment, Driving forces for war and peace, Resilience and peacework, Peace and reconciliation and Time for Gods peace.** We listen to guests in our talkshow and discuss the topics together. The guests will be of different ages and have different experiences, denominations and backgrounds. We learn from our history, share from our present time and talk about our future, how we can act for peace in our time.

The Church Play 'Liberated constraint' about Nathan Söderbloms vision of Gods Peace, will premiere their 2025 Tour as part of our program.

The program offers a variety of activities for different interests and age groups but also leaves space for free time to socialise with the other participants and rest. A majority of this year's program will be conducted in English, with Swedish translation upon request.

We serve vegetarian food suitable for all ages. Together, we celebrate mass with songs and hymns that raise the roof! As of tradition, our final night is celebrated with delicious food, festivities, music and dancing.

Planned programme:

Programme for youth Camp starts 2 and 3 January (We can receive groups on the 1st if needed)

Every day: Refreshments in Bjursås room and optional games and activities for children and the-young-at-heart is available

Thursday January 2

Arrival	Information desk in the reception
12.00	Midday prayer and lunch
14.00	Introduction
18.00	Dinner
19.00	Evening activities

- 20.00 Evening prayer
- 21.30 Activities led by Stiftgårdens youth volunteers

Friday, January 3 - Theme 1: Life contains responsibility

- 8.00 Morning Prayer & Breakfast
- 10.00 Discussion of youthwork in our different places.
- 12.00 Midday prayer and lunch
- 13.00 Walk around Rättvik
Open programme
- 15.30 Global Epiphany introduction
- 16.00 Talk show and group discussions
- 18.30 Dinner
- 19.30 Music Session (alternative activities)
- 21.00 Peace prayer
- 21.30 Activities led by Stiftgårdens youth volunteers (Youth camp only)

Saturday, January 4 - Theme 2: Driving forces behind peace and war

- 8.00 Morning Prayer & Breakfast
- 9.15 Talkshow and group discussions
- 12.00 Midday prayer and lunch
- 13.00 Free Time and Activities for Youth Camp
- 15.00 Music Session
- 17.00 Dinner
- 18.30 Talkshow and group discussions. **Theme 3: Resilience and resistance**
- 21.00 Mass for peace

Sunday, January 5 - Theme 4: Peace and reconciliation

- 8.00 Morning Prayer & Breakfast
- 9.15 Workshop for Peace actions
- 10.15 Peace manifestation
- 11.00 Mass and Church play in Rättviks church
- 12.30 Lunch
- 13.00 Free Time and Activities for Youth Camp
- 16.00 Workshop Act Church of Sweden aid and international cooperation
- 17.00 Catwalk and Act-tion in support of Act Church of Sweden.
- 17.30 Music Session: (alternative activities for various age) or Party preparations
- 19.00 EPIPHANY CELEBRATION -INTERNATIONAL BUFFET - DANCE
- 22.00 Evening Prayer

Monday, January 6 - Time for Gods peace

- 8.00 Breakfast, packing, cleaning, check-out
- 9.30 What have we learned and what do we bring home
- 11.00 Festival Mass in Rättvik's Church
- 12.00 Lunch

No Course Fee:

The price covers food and lodging. Children receive free accommodation. To enable more participants, all meals provided are climate-friendly and consist mainly of vegetarian food.

Cost for Food & Lodging:

	3 nights	4 nights
Camp dormitory (excluding towel and bedsheet)	1,500 SEK	1,500 SEK
Single room with toilet (shower in the corridor)	2,225 SEK	3,295 SEK
Double room with shower & toilet (per person)	2,225 SEK	3,295 SEK
Single room with shower & toilet	3,065 SEK	4,415 SEK
For those not staying overnight (including meals)	1,500 SEK	1,500 SEK
Children aged 5-12 years	750 SEK	
Children aged 0-4 years	Free	

Summer leaders who have worked during the summer receive a 50% discount.

The prices above are discounted thanks to financial support from Act Svenska kyrkan, Västerås diocese, and Lund Mission Society. However, if you need it, you can apply for grants from our funds to attend: [Link to Funds https://stiftsgardenrattvik.se/vara-fonder/](https://stiftsgardenrattvik.se/vara-fonder/) in Swedish.

Registration: Best before December 3, 2024:

Please fill in your details: [Youth camp – Stiftsgården i Rättvik](#)

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Cancellation Policy:

Registration is binding but not person-specific. In case of cancellation, we will charge according to the following, unless you provide a replacement.

Days Before Course Start	Course Fee	Food/Lodging
14 to 0 days before the course start	100%	50%

In case of presenting a medical certificate, only the course fee will be charged as indicated above. We reserve the right to cancel the course in the event of insufficient registrations.



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