

How To Include Your Partnership Connection in Curriculum for Your Coming of Age Class

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Our RE/PCC program is a work in progress. I have been working with Pat Kahn, the DRE at UUCA, to incorporate as much of the Transylvanian story as seems to make sense.

So far we have given the "Coming of Age" youth a taste of what their Transylvanian counterparts experience in their Confirmation Class.

We have also shown films about Transylvania visits to some of the younger kids.

Our most ambitious undertaking is scheduled for this summer, when we are planning a YRUU trip to Udvarhely II (our partner church) where we hope to live, work, and play with the young people of that congregation on a common project. The project is to make a film in both churches to show how each are celebrating "Francis David Day," celebrated in Transylvania on the Sunday closest to Nov 15th. I happened to be in Udvarhely on that Sunday and taped much of it. The plan is that during the summer all of the young people will use that footage as a starting point for creating their own observances that they will conduct in both services on that same Sunday next November (2002).