

THE NEW YORK MINUTE

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FRESH FALL
FAITH



RUSH RUSH RUSH

The general speed of the city. Only heightened during the 1st week of classes when freshmen are experiencing the constant crowds, sirens, displays and concrete for the first time. 'Will I make friends?' they wonder. Perfect opportunity to connect them to the community we have in Cru! Between our staff & student leaders at NYU, we started 183 spiritual convos, presented the gospel to 45+, and saw 4 students become Christians! Praise God!

FALL RETREAT

As you can imagine, after all the running around, we were all ready to take a break and get out of the city. Enter: Fall Retreat. Our NYU attendance doubled from last year (so many freshmen). David led a seminar about Managing Time & Eternal Perspective. One student confessed she'd always

loved fashion, but never saw how majoring in it could glorify God. 'I can only glorify God with my time at church or bible study or prayer.' She realized her classwork could actually be an act of worship (Col 3:17) in His presence!

NEW LIFE

Walking in the light, dating in light of scripture, the spirit-filled life.. A burgeoning new community was formed, as they experienced life-change together. One girl at FIT came to Christ during a worship set, with all her new FIT sisters surrounding her with tears of joy. Lea, NYU So, reflected on her expectations, "I felt like this weekend was really going to change my life. This past year and a half I've done a really good job at running away from God, but I've still felt convicted. I'm finally experiencing the joy of the Lord. I'm kind of scared to go back [to campus], but also excited."

Book

Newton on the Christian Life
by Tony Reinke

Verse

Our soul waits for the Lord; He is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name. —*Psalms 33:20-21*

Prayer

- New NYU Fr easily double the men in our movement!
- Amazing community developed at Fall Retreat. 1 trusted Christ!
- Students to take risky faith steps w peers on worldview interviews, then inviting them to city-wide outreach after
- 10 million multiplying disciples sent into the world by the year 2020

NYC FAST FACT

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STORAGE (\$90B) IS
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NYC'S FEDERAL
RESERVE BANK

