

Youth Group JOG-A-THON FUNDRAISER

Running Together Toward Summer Camp!

IMPORTANT: This fundraiser counts as 1 of your 4 required fundraisers for financial aid eligibility!

Event Date: June 20th 2026
Location: Life Church

What Is the Jog-A-Thon?

Our Youth Group Jog-A-Thon is an exciting community fundraising event where participants walk or jog laps around a designated course while collecting pledges and donations from friends, family, and community sponsors. Every lap counts, every dollar matters, and every participant makes a difference!

Goal: Raise funds to offset the cost of Summer Camp for our youth group members.

How It Works

1. **Sign up** to participate in the Jog-A-Thon.
 2. **Collect pledges and donations** from friends, family, neighbors, and sponsors using the sponsor/donation sheet included in this packet (or the electronic form link).
 3. **Attend the event** and complete as many laps as you can!
 4. **Turn in all donation money** at check in day of the jog-a-thon and **REACH OUT TO SPONSORS AFTER THE EVENT**
 5. **Turn in sponsored money** to Jordyn Gloria on Sunday June 21st or Wednesday June 24th
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Financial Aid & Fundraising Requirements

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR FINANCIAL AID APPLICANTS

Participating in the Jog-A-Thon — including actively collecting pledges and donations from friends, family, and sponsors — counts as ONE (1) of the FOUR (4) required fundraisers you must complete to be eligible for summer camp financial aid.

Simply attending the event is not enough. You must actively raise money by reaching out to donors and sponsors and turning in the funds collected.

How Financial Aid Distributions Work

All money raised during the Jog-A-Thon will be pooled together into a single fundraising fund. **You will NOT receive a direct dollar-for-dollar credit for the exact amount you personally raised.** Instead, the total amount collected from ALL participating students will be added up and then distributed evenly among all students who are actively fundraising toward financial aid.

This means:

- The more students who participate and raise money, the larger the total pool becomes.
 - Every student who raises money benefits from the collective effort of the whole group.
 - We encourage everyone to raise as much as possible — your effort lifts the entire group!
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Fundraising Projections

Every lap counts! The more sponsors you recruit and the higher their pledge per lap, the more money our school raises. Challenge yourself to find more sponsors and push for bigger pledges — every little bit adds up!

Okay: \$1 per lap at least 1 sponsor per student

Students	10 Laps	15 Laps	20 Laps
25	\$250	\$375	\$500
45	\$450	\$675	\$900
60	\$600	\$900	\$1,200

Good: \$1 per lap at least 2 sponsors per student

Students	10 Laps	15 Laps	20 Laps
25	\$500	\$750	\$1,000
45	\$900	\$1,350	\$1,800
60	\$1,200	\$1,800	\$2,400

Better: \$2 per lap at least 3 sponsors per student

Students	10 Laps	15 Laps	20 Laps
25	\$1,500	\$2,250	\$3,000
45	\$2,700	\$4,050	\$5,400
60	\$3,600	\$5,400	\$7,200

Tips for Fundraising Success

- **Start early!** Don't wait until the last minute. The more time you give people, the more likely they are to donate.
- **Tell your story.** Let your donors know what summer camp means to you and why it matters.
- **Go digital.** Use the electronic form link to reach grandparents, aunts, uncles, and friends who live far away.
- **Follow up.** A friendly reminder text or call can make a big difference.
- **Say thank you.** Always thank your donors — it makes them feel good and keeps the door open for future giving.

Questions? Contact Jordyn Gloria at: jordynolivia12@gmail.com (360) 969-1950

Fundraiser Schedule

9:30 AM – Student arrival at Life Church

- Student Check-in
- Turn in sponsor sheets
- Get lap bands/ tracking cards

10:00 AM – Jog-a-Thon Begins

- 120-minute run/walk
- Volunteers track laps
- Water + encouragement stations

11:45 AM – Final Push

- High-energy music
- Leaders running with students

12:00 PM – Cool Down

- Water, fruit, granola bars
- Collect lap totals
- Share preliminary fundraising total
- Pray over camp + students

12:30 PM – Student Pick Up at Life Church

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Sponsor & Donation Sheet

Give this sheet to friends, family, and community sponsors!

Participant Name: _____	Event Date: June 20 th 2026
Donation Due Date: June 20 th 2026	Pledged Due Date: June 21 st or June 24 th

All donations go toward the Youth Group Summer Camp Fund and will be distributed among all participating students. **Please make checks payable to: Life Church (memo LCYTH)**

Donor / Sponsor Name	Phone or Email	Pledge per Lap	Donation	Check # or Cash
1.		\$	\$	
2.		\$	\$	
3.		\$	\$	
4.		\$	\$	
5.		\$	\$	
6.		\$	\$	
7.		\$	\$	
8.		\$	\$	
9.		\$	\$	
10.		\$	\$	
11.		\$	\$	
12.		\$	\$	
13.		\$	\$	
14.		\$	\$	
15.		\$	\$	

Online Form for Electronic Payments:

<https://life-church.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/514/responses/new>

Thank you for supporting our youth group and helping our students get to summer camp! All donations are greatly appreciated.

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Electronic Donation Form

Send this form to extended family and friends who live far away!

SHARE THIS PAGE via text, email, or social media to reach donors near and far!

Can't hand someone a paper form? No problem! Share this ready-to-send message with family and friends online, or copy and paste the information below into an email or text.

Copy & Send This Message:

Subject / Title: Please Support [Student Name]'s Youth Group Jog-A-Thon!

Hi [Donor Name],

My name is [Student Name] and I am a member of LC Youth. We are raising money for our annual Summer Camp by hosting a Jog-A-Thon on June 20th 2026!

I will be walking and jogging laps to raise as much as I can. All funds raised go into a shared camp fund that helps all of our students get to camp this summer.

I would love your support! Any amount makes a difference. Here is how you can donate:

- **Online:** <https://life-church.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/514/responses/new>
- **Check:** Payable to Life Church (memo LCYTH) mailed to: 1767 NE Regatta Dr, Oak Harbor, WA 98277. Please specify the student's name on the envelope.

Please reply to this message or contact [Student/Parent Name] at [Phone/Email] to confirm your donation so I can record it on my sponsor sheet.

Thank you so much for your generosity and support. It means so much to be invested into!

With gratitude,
[Student Name]
Pastor James Sanchez | james@life-church.com

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Online Donation Tracking Log

Use this table to keep track of digital donations you receive so you can report them accurately when turning in your funds.

Donor Name	Relationship	Amount	Payment Method	Date Received
1.		\$		
2.		\$		
3.		\$		
4.		\$		
5.		\$		
6.		\$		
7.		\$		
8.		\$		
9.		\$		
10.		\$		

Thank you for supporting our youth group!

Questions? Contact: _____