



STEPS TO FREEDOM FAMILY FUN 5K RUN/WALK

Saturday, August 3, 2019 ~ Saginaw Township Soccer Complex

We help transform the broken, crime-filled lives of juvenile offenders into healthy, productive, God-serving members of society.

Thank you for participating in the 6th annual Forgotten Youth Ministries *Steps to Freedom Family Fun 5K Run/Walk*. Forgotten Youth Ministries (FYM) fulfills the above mission statement by offering teens the opportunity to participate in the programs we hold in the Saginaw County Juvenile Detention Center and the Bay County Juvenile Home. And, through our *Live to Give Program* we provide consumable household products, Consumer's Energy gift certificates, and gas cards to the families of the teens in detention. Your participation in *Steps to Freedom* will help us help the kids in detention. This is how it works . . .

- 1. Register online** by completing a registration form at forgottenyouthministries.org or you may print out and mail in a registration form. Registration is \$15 per family or individual or \$10 for youth with their youth group, and includes a finisher medal and a Steps to Freedom T Shirt if registration is received at least 8 days prior to event. Additional shirts can also be purchased for \$8. **All shirts must be ordered at least 8 days prior to event.**
- 2. Gather sponsors.** Print out as many sponsoring sheets that you need to keep track of the people who are sponsoring you and the funds you raise. **A great way to ask people to sponsor you is to say something like, "I'm walking in the Forgotten Youth Ministries Steps to Freedom 5K and I wondered if you would like to sponsor me?"** If they have never heard of FYM (perish the thought!) read them the mission statement at the top of this letter.
For every \$100 you raise, you will receive an entry ticket for the drawings for \$50 Gift Cards. \$100 raised = 1 entry, \$200 raised = 2 entries, etc. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes will also be awarded for individuals and for the families who raise the most funds. **Or you may make a personal donation in lieu of collecting pledges.** (Please convert your cash pledges into a personal check or money order made out to Forgotten Youth Ministries.) Put your funds and sponsoring sheets in an envelope or, if you registered in person, use the envelope provided.
- 3. Come run or walk.** On Saturday, August 3, bring your sponsoring sheet(s)/envelope with your pledged funds to the Saginaw Township Soccer Complex. **Check in starts at 8:30 a.m. Run/walk starts at 9:00, and prizes and awards will be given out at 10:30 at the pavilion.**

It's that easy! This is a fun, healthy way to help FYM continue to reach out to detained youth. Thank you and may God bless you for giving back to the detained teens in our community!

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P.S: Be sure to like FYM on .