

**2019 Youth Gathering**

**What is the Youth Gathering?**

*“Held every 3 years since 1980, the LCMS Youth Gathering (Gathering) provides thousands of youth and adults the opportunity to come together as a community of God’s people to learn more about Jesus Christ...During the five days of the Gathering, youth spend time together in God’s word, worship, service and fellowship.”* -lcmsgathering.com

**Date and Location**

July 11-15, 2019 in Minneapolis, Minnesota at the Convention Center and U.S. Bank Stadium

**Travel Itinerary**

July 9, 2019 Leave for Minneapolis Morning/Afternoon Flight

July 10-11, 2019 Get acclimated and explore Minneapolis

July 11-15, 2019 Attend Gathering Activities

July 15, 2019 Fly Home in the Afternoon/Evening

**Cost** (initial estimate)

$  365 Registration- $150 Non- Refundable Deposit Due October 14

February - $115

April- $100

If you have to cancel before May 30 you can receive all but your $150 deposit back. After May 30 the gathering office does not give refunds. Also remember we will have to purchase airfare tickets that won’t get refunded

Covers: Gathering program & Administration Costs, Backpack, Bible, Memory Book, Post Gathering DVD amd 2nd insurance.

**Estimated Costs:**

Airfare $500

Hotel $400

Food $250- $25/ traveling days- $40/day other days

Fun Activity $100

Gathering T-shirt $20

Shuttle $50

**Total Cost $1685**

**Need to raise/person $1320**

**Fundraisers:**

**Pumpkin Patch October 2018**

**Christmas Wreaths October 2018**

**Thanksgiving Dinner/Servant Auction November 4, 2018**

**Fat Tuesday Pancake Dinner February 5, 2019**

**Yard Sale May 3 & May 4, 2018**

**Sponsor a Mile June 2018**

**Extra Fundraisers as needed- Trivia Night, Restaurant Fundraisers, Baby sitting**

**For more information**

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