

ECYD CHALLENGE CAMP

JUNE 7-12, 2026



RIISING 6-8TH GRADE GIRLS



CAMP RIVER RIDGE

*early bird registration ends May 1



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ACTIVITIES

- Games & Crafts
- Lake Time (swimming & slip n' slide)
- Mass & Daily Prayers
- Team Building Activities
- Bonfires
- Faith Themed Workshops
- Small Group Time
- Talent Show
- Theme Nights
- Night Activities
- Adoration
- AND LOTS MORE FUN!

INFORMATION



Camp River Ridge
Oldenburg, Indiana



June 7-12, 2026

Drop-off: 5pm Sunday
Pick-up: with 11:30am Friday
Family Mass



**Optional Raffle Ticket
Fundraiser**

To help offset the cost of camp



Space is Limited



Packing List

BASICS

- 1 piece bathing suit
- Underwear
- Socks
- Pajamas
- Beach & bath towels
- Hair ties
- A book or card game
- Lawn chair
- Snacks in ziplock bag
- Laundry bag
- Sleeping bag & pillow
- Medicine

TOILETRIES

- Toothbrush & toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Body wash
- Wash cloth or shower sponge
- Toiletry caddy
- Hair brush
- Sunscreen
- Aloe vera lotion
- Bug spray

CLOTHING

- 5-7 pairs of shorts
- 7-10 t-shirts (no spaghetti straps)
- Sweatshirt
- Extra layers (especially at night)
- Hat
- Dress ups for theme nights (announced closer to camp)

IMPORTANT

- Extra blanket for cold nights
- Clothes you can get dirty
- Bible & journal
- Money for ECYD store
- Permission waivers

SHOES

- Tennis shoes
- Flip flops for showers
- Back up shoes and sandals for when your others get wet or dirty

SUGGESTED

- Flashlight
- Shirts from past camps or retreats :)
- Extra blanket





FAQ



Why can't 5th grade girls attend this camp?

Last year, we created a NEW camp specifically for rising 5th graders called **ECYD Adventure Camp** to give them a stepping stone experience into a summer camp! This also opens up more spaces for 6th-8th grade girls to attend this camp.



What if my daughter brings or needs medication?

All medications will be dispensed by our camp nurse. Medications are typically dispensed during breakfast, lunch, dinner and bedtime. Please be sure to complete medical form and enclose medications in a Ziplock bag with your child's name on them. Drop off medications at check-in.



Can parents volunteer at camp?

YES! We need parents to help make camp possible. Parents help in the kitchen preparing meals and snacks, as well as some camp activities. Select the volunteer option in registration or email us for with volunteering options!



What if my daughter has a behavior, psychological, or medical condition?

Our pastoral team is dedicated to creating a safe and healthy environment for all campers. If your child has a behavioral, psychological, or medical condition, please indicate this when you register your daughter. A member of our pastoral team will reach out to discuss your camper's specific needs and possible accommodations.



What if my daughter has allergies?

The safety of your child is a priority of ours, so please let us know of any allergies in your in the registration form. A camp member team may be in touch with you to accommodate needs.



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Can my daughter and her friend be in the same cabin?

If your daughter is coming with a friend, we can try to accommodate them rooming in the same cabins. Please email with any cabin requests, and we will do our best to put girls with people they know.



What is the camp's cell phone and Apple Watch policy?

Girls are encouraged to leave phones at home, so to be able to be fully present at camp. If they bring their phones or Apple Watches, we will collect them at check-in. If they want to call home, a camp team member will let them know when they can call home. Emergency contact info for camp staff will be provided parents.



Can my daughter bring snacks?

YES! Girls can bring personal snacks, but due to animals, we hold a strict "no food in cabins" policy. Store all snacks in Ziplock bags with your daughters' name. Special shelves in the dining room will allow direct access.



What is ECYD?

ECYD is an international Catholic association of adolescents and a lifestyle of living as Christ's friends and apostles in today's world. In ECYD, adolescents are offered different experiences to help them encounter God, themselves, and others.



Questions?

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Challenge girls' clubs are powered by ECYD. Girls from these groups come together for weekend retreats and week-long summer camps.

Girls do not need to be part of Challenge to participate in camp.



ECYD OHIO VALLEY Summer Camps

Sneek peek into past camps



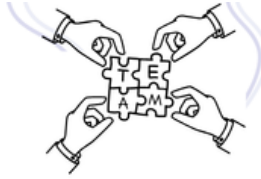
Optional Raffle Ticket Fundraiser

How it works:

1. Print off as many pages of donation tickets as you want (see printable tickets on next page).
2. For a suggested donation of \$10 per ticket- offer friends, neighbors, and relatives the opportunity to be entered in a drawing for a \$200 amazon gift card drawing
3. Thank them for supporting you and collect the ticket stubs with their contact info.
4. Give all the money you raise to your mom or dad, since they are paying for your camp registration!
5. Bring the ticket stubs with you to the summer camp registration table at drop-off.
6. The drawing for prizes will be at the closing mass of the camp

Whatever you sell goes directly towards your amazing ECYD Challenge Summer Camp experience! Don't forget to tell people supporting you about your favorite camp moments and what makes it special for you.

You only need to sell 50 tickets to cover the full cost of your camp registration. You can sell as many or as few tickets as you want. This fundraiser is optional.



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PRIZE: \$200 AMAZON GIFT CARD



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