



## July

Grace Church Bellingham

### Update:

June was a blast with some awesome full nights of YG! One of the highlights for me was on my birthday, leaders and students surprised me with a card signed by everyone, cake and balloons! I felt so loved! We had some great nights filled with capture the flag in the dark, giant foosball, who wants to be a millionaire, dodgeball, and more! It has been so fun to see students get invited and get to know new people! The parents had some great conversations and laughs at the PLL and the students enjoyed some favorite games from the year. Welcome to all the new 6th graders who were surprised on Sunday morning during their class and the Freshman who were welcomed in with an airsoft battle for the guys and a spa party for the girls! July is here and so are the summer events in full swing! Can't wait!!

### July Events

	<u>Details</u>	<u>Ways to Be Involved</u>
<b>All Youth 12th</b> <b>Outdoor Movie Night</b> @Parks 8-10:30pm	Movie on the Lawn with movie snacks galore! Bring some warm clothes and a friend! @ Park's open air theater (5319 Bellaire Dr. Bellingham, WA). Movie is "Wreck It Ralph 2"!!	<b>Perfect event to bring a friend! Offer transportation and get to know your student's friends!</b>
<b>VBS Help 15th - 19th</b> @Grace 8:30-12pm	Come volunteer and help out with the fun, craziness, and precious moments at VBS! If you haven't signed up, talk with Nathan Barbo. For all youth volunteers, we will go to Froyo on Lakeway after VBS on Tuesday. Bring money!	<b>Ask Nathan or me what areas need people in. You and your student can come be a part of making VBS a blast!</b>
<b>All Youth Lock-IN 19th - 20th</b> @Grace 8pm-10am	A night filled with games of all kinds, themed rooms, prizes, and a ton of fun together. There will be activities for the energizer bunny in all of us as well as the chill mode we crave at times! Don't miss this awesome night! Breakfast will be served in the morning! 8pm(Friday) -10am(Saturday).	<b>If you would like to help provide breakfast for some hilariously tired students, contact me.</b>
<b>All Youth 31st</b> <b>Roller Skating</b> Lynden Skateway 6:30-8:30pm	Come have a blast with us at Lynden Skateway and skate the night away! Cost is \$5.50 per person and that includes a skate rental. You don't have to be a pro to have some fun. Meet at Lynden Skateway.	<b>Be the cool parent rollin up with 8 students pouring out of your car. Come on in for a bit too!</b>



### Prayer Points:

**LEADERSHIP TRANSITION**– Pray for Nathan and Sam as they prepare to take over the MS and HS. Pray that they make connections with students and families now and that God would give them direction as they prepare for next year.

**STUDENTS MOVING UP**– Pray for all the students as they move up to the next grade. Especially cover in prayer those incoming 6th graders, freshmen, and outgoing Seniors as they enter into a new environment.

**HS CAMP**– Pray for the details of putting this together that it would be an amazingly fun experience and one that deepens students faith and friendships.

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