



Dear Friend,

We are writing to request your support to raise funds to build a roof for the school in Haiti. Recognizing how blessed we all are and determined to do whatever we can to help, we are organizing a fundraiser run. We would be grateful for your generous support for this cause.

**What?** 3K fundraiser run/walk  
**When?** October 5th, 1:30PM  
**Where?** St. Matthew Catholic School and Church  
**What can I do?** Register or donate at <https://qtego.us/raisetherooftickets>

We are a group of teenagers, from St. Matthew Parish, who have been deeply moved by the immense suffering being endured by the people at our sister parish in the region of Bois de Lance, Haiti. While the generosity of St. Matthew and Christ The King Indianapolis communities has gone a long way in providing access to education and food, the needs in Haiti are huge - political instability, gang violence and spiraling costs have made life even more difficult for our friends, especially the children. Additionally, a devastating storm that recently hit Haiti, blew off the roof of the school.

While our first priority is to ensure that the parish and school is a safe haven for all students, we recognize that providing a roof is only the first step to making their lives a little better. Music is integral to life in Haiti and worshiping God through song, brings a sense of hope, community and strength, amidst difficult circumstances. However, the musical equipment they are currently using is in an almost unusable state. We therefore plan to use any additional funds we raise, to help replace their current musical equipment so that they can continue to find joy in raising their voice in song!

You can support us by:

1. Registering for our run/walk (registration is \$10) and getting your family and friends to donate in support of your run. <https://qtego.us/raisetherooftickets>
2. Supporting a runner by donating to our cause <https://qtego.us/donate/raisetherooftickets>

No amount is too small and every dollar will help get us closer to our goal! We thank you sincerely for your generosity!

-HAITI FUN RUN COMMITTEE  
By the Youth, For the Youth