



Young Life's Global Giving Circle 2021 FAQ:

1. What is a Young Life giving circle?

It's a new and interesting way of giving. Women pool their gifts together and then collectively decide how to give the larger gift away. There are local Young Life giving circles in cities around the US. This fall we will gather for the second Global Giving Circle, which is for women from around the country. See this 2 min. [VIDEO](#) that shares the vision.

2. What are the dates of the event?

October 18 - 20, 2021 (Monday to Wednesday)

3. Where is the event?

We'll be at the [Royal Palms Resort](#) which is a 5-star resort in Scottsdale, Arizona.

4. Who is invited?

Women who have a heart for Young Life and kids, and who want to make a difference together.

5. How do I reserve my place?

There are three steps to register and save your place:

- a. Complete the simple registration form [HERE](#) (and remember to click "submit" at the end)
- b. Make your \$500 refundable deposit to reserve your spot [HERE](#) (Or mail in a check using the address information on the registration form.)
- c. Reserve your hotel room [HERE](#) (we have rooms blocked at a special rate for the event that are first come, first served. There are private king, double queen, and casitas options at various rates.)

6. What if I want to share a room?

If you know another guest who you would like to share a room with, only one of you needs to reserve a room with the hotel. Both of you should list this plan on your registration form where the space is provided. If you are interested in sharing a room with another guest and would like us to help bring you both together, please reserve a room and email us with this interest and we will do our best to accommodate.

7. What does the event cost?

Each participant donates \$10,000 toward the Global Giving Circle and covers the cost of their hotel room and travel expenses. All meals and event costs are covered.

8. How will we decide what we'll be giving our collective gift toward?

At the event, we'll hear about five opportunities represented in the mission that have been pre-selected and researched by the planning team. We'll have time for questions and discussion, and then be guided through an individual voting process whereby we'll identify and direct our collective funds.

While all five opportunities will receive various funding, the proposal that receives our collective winning vote will be awarded significantly higher.

9. When is the \$10,000 due for the giving circle?

To reserve your place, a \$500 refundable deposit is required when you register. The balance of \$9,500 is due by Sept. 15, 2021. Some guests are giving their \$10,000 all at one time now, securing their place, which is fine.

10. What if I want to come a night early or a stay an additional night?

Our room rates have been made available to us for the nights before and after the event if you would like to extend your stay. We recommend making these reservations as soon as possible.

11. What time does the event begin and end?

Guests can check into the hotel between 3 - 5:00 pm on Monday, Oct. 18th. Our event will begin with a reception at 5:00 pm and will finish by noon on Wednesday, Oct. 20th.

12. Regarding health and safety:

We have chosen a location that provides a low risk setting with private guest rooms, outdoor dining, and a spacious meeting room with windows and doors for helpful ventilation. Additionally, our group will nearly fill the entire resort minimizing general exposure to the public.

The hotel staff will be wearing masks and they suggest, but do not require, masks be worn indoors. Likewise, we will not require masks, but welcome you to wear one and hope you will be comfortable doing so. You are free to participate however is best for you. For those of you who would rather mask indoors and only sit with others masked, we'll have a couple tables set aside just for this to make it easy.

We would also like us each to be confident we have taken all reasonable steps to ensure our safety. For this reason, we are requesting that everyone attending have a negative Covid test within 48 hours of arrival to Phoenix. This will be on the honor system. Please plan accordingly with a local testing appointment or by securing an in-home rapid test very soon, as we have heard tests are in short

supply in some drugstores and Amazon is having delayed delivery dates. If you have any trouble getting this done, please let us know as we have some tests on a first come, first served basis, and will also have tests on site if needed.

13. Where is the closest airport and distance from the resort?

The closest airport is Phoenix International which is a 15-20 minute drive (not factoring traffic).

14. What is the attire for the event, and expected weather?

We want everyone to feel comfortable throughout the event. Casual attire will be suitable for every session and meal. Temperatures are expected to be in the 70°s to low 80°s during the day, and in the 50°s during the evenings. We recommend bringing some light layers as the day cools.

15. What if I have more questions?

Please email womenwholoveyl@gmail.com or call Emily at (805)748-8077

*We are all invited and
welcomed in*

