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**Lilly Executive Summary**

For my summer internship I was working at St. Margaret’s and San Francisco de Asís, a multicultural and bilingual congregation in Miami Lakes, Florida, with parishioners from throughout the world. As an outreach program, this congregation started a nonprofit afterschool and summer program, MyBackyard, for kids in the middle school age range from different backgrounds that live around the area.

In the six weeks that I spent working at this institution I was divided between working part time at the church doing translations from Spanish to English and vice versa and helping the church manager arrange meetings, record paychecks, and do other works necessary for the church throughout the week. For an additional part of my work at the church I helped the Priest, Father Richard Aguilar, with a funeral, a wedding, and other activities such as visiting the sick, etc. The last activity that I got to do at the church was preaching in both the English and Spanish communities of the congregation about how my summer experiences with them related to the gospel that Sunday.

At MyBackyard I was the intern working with the kids and helping them have an educational, safe, and fun summer. One of the many things that I got to do was helping plan the summer fieldtrips to different parts of the city that were both educational and entertaining for the kids. The most important and also the most difficult part of my job as a counselor at this summer camp was the job of making sure every kid was safe, doing what they needed to do, making friends, and most important of all enjoying their summer.
This summer at St. Margaret’s and San Francisco de Asis I was working with Father Richard Aguilar and Charles Foote, the office manager, and at MyBackyard I was working with Mireya Medina, camp directors, and other counselors. These people taught me that no matter the circumstances one must never give up the fight and that there is a solution to every problem. These people made my job this summer easy because of all their support while simultaneously challenging me to push myself, which made me become a better person and a better leader.