



Magnolia church of Christ 2023 Fall Church Retreat

Information Sheet

Dates: Friday, October 20 – Sunday, October 22, 2023

Location: Messiah's Ranch: 10061 Taylor Road, Bryan, TX 77808

Theme: koinonia

“koinonia” is the Greek word for fellowship, community, and communion. It means to share, to participate, to have a bond, to fellowship.

Who: Anyone in the church. Be aware that there will be walking around on unpaved ground and steps to get in and out of some buildings. NOTE: *No minor children are able to attend this retreat without being accompanied by a legal guardian or someone who has the ability/right to sign for medical treatment should that need arise.*

Registration Due: Sunday, October 1, 2023, please also include payment with registration form.

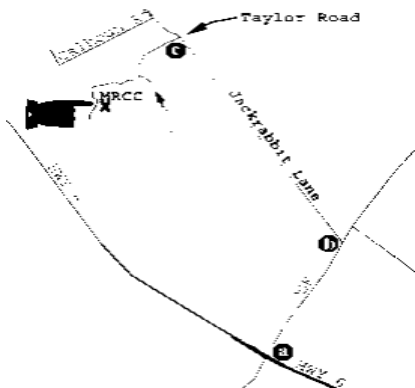
Cost: \$150.00 per family unit or \$75.00 for a single person. This is to help cover the cost of food, supplies, and lodging. *(If cost would be a barrier for you to attend, please talk to Nick)* Make checks payable to Magnolia church of Christ with Retreat in memo.

What to Bring: *(You may want to mark items with your name in permanent marker)*

Each person will need:

Bible/Bible App Twin Sheets & Blanket/Sleeping Bag Pillow Towel(s) Flashlight
Bug spray Water Bottle Toiletries Closed-toe Shoes Shower Shoes

Directions:



Travel up to SR 6 and go N towards College Station & Bryan. Once you have passed through College Station & Bryan on SR 6 you will take the OSR (Old Spanish Road) exit. Turn right at the stop sign. Travel approx. 1.7 miles and turn left onto Jackrabbit Lane (dirt road). Go approx. 3.5 miles until to you get to Taylor Road, turn left. Messiah's Ranch is about 1.7 miles off Taylor on the left.



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Retreat Schedule

FRIDAY:

- 7:00pm Arrive at Camp and Get Cabin Assignments
- 8:30pm Devotional, Snacks, and Fellowship Time
- 10:00pm Good night

SATURDAY:

- 7:30am Breakfast and Clean-Up
- 9:00am Morning Worship (Lesson #1)
- 10:15am Snacks
- 10:45am Small Group Session #1
- 12:00pm Lunch and Clean-Up
- 1:30pm Prayer Walk
- 2:45pm Small Group Session # 2
- 3:00pm Snacks & Free Time (Games, Sports, Nap, etc.)
- 5:00pm Dinner and Clean-Up
- 6:15pm Evening Worship (Lesson #2)
- 7:30pm Evening Activity
- 8:30pm Devotional, Snacks, and Fellowship Time
- 10:00pm Good Night

SUNDAY:

- 7:30am Breakfast and Clean-Up
- 9:00am Morning Worship (Lesson #3)
- 10:30am Pack-Up and Clean-Up Camp
- 11:30am Leave Camp for Home



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Family Registration Form

NAMES: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____
STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ MAIN TELEPHONE: _____

T-SHIRT SIZES: *(Place the number of shirts next to each needed size, ex.: 1 YM, 1 M, 2 XL)*

Youth Sizes: ___ YXS ___ YS ___ YM ___ YL ___ YXL

Adult Unisex Sizes: ___ S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___ 2XL ___ 3XL ___ 4XL

There are opportunities for active participation in our retreat weekend. Write the family member's first name next to the activity they would like to participate in. You can choose more than one activity; a participation schedule will be posted at the retreat.

ANYONE:

Meal Prep _____ Setup Snacks _____ Meal Service _____
Setup Prayer Walk Station _____ Lead/Help Evening Activity _____
Be Retreat Nurse _____

MALE SPECIFIC:

Devotional Talk _____ Lead Small Group Discussions _____
Lead Singing _____ Say a Prayer _____
Lead Communion _____ Deliver a Lesson _____

Adult Signature _____ Date _____