

Wait!! I've got questions!!!

Is this you? I "think" I'm interested in attending the women's retreat this year, but there are so many unknowns that make me feel uncomfortable.

If so...put your mind at ease and become informed!

What are the dates of the retreat anyway & what time does it start on Friday and end on Sunday? The retreat weekend is April 27-29, 2018. We begin Friday night at 7:00 PM and we end by noon on Sunday. **Come earlier though as you can check in as early as 4:00 PM on Friday.** Check in is held in the Bayview Lodge. (We'll provide the exact location in future communications!)

Where exactly is the retreat held and how long does it take to get there? The retreat is held at Harvey Cedars Bible Conference which is on Long Beach Island, NJ. The address is: 12 Cedars Ave., Harvey Cedars, NJ 08008. Their phone number is: 609-494-5689. You can check out the conference center by going to www.hcbible.org. It takes about 1 ½-2 hours to get there.

Okay, what are the accommodations like, really? Well, this is where it got interesting this year! We have rooms in the Bayview Lodge, Poolside Lodge, Victorian Hotel and OFF SITE at Drifting Sands Motel. Once you click on the registration form you will find brief descriptions about the accommodations. Our meeting space is in the Bayview Lodge and the dining room is located there as well. (Bed linens are provided for all lodging options)

Enough of all of this...what about FOOD...how does that work for the weekend? The following meals are provided in our registration fee: breakfast, lunch, dinner on Saturday and breakfast on Sunday. **You'll need to grab a bite to eat for your dinner on Friday.** There are places to eat before getting onto the island and there's a WaWa not too far from us as well. And ladies...we've got quite a snack room to look forward to! You'll get a Pre-Retreat email that will include a snack assignment (if you'd like to contribute, that is) to bring with you to share. We never go hungry, I promise! OH! If you have special dietary needs, the conference center will work to accommodate those. You'll just need to make note of it on your registration form.

What if I don't have a roommate? How is that handled? Oh that's the fun part! If you need roommates, we will match you up with other lovely ladies. We have several women who attend the retreat year after year, and on purpose they don't list a roommate so that they can get to know someone new. I promise you that you will be in good hands...pinky promise!!!

What's the cost for the weekend? Well, this all depends on the rooming situation. The registration fee covers your meals and lodging for the weekend. You will find all of the prices listed on the registration form. PLEASE do NOT let money stop you from attending the retreat!! (Grace Point ladies contact Joan Zeberlein jzeberlein@gracepointpa.org & Restoration Church ladies contact Emily Manders emily@restorationchurchpa.org)

What is the dress attire for the weekend? Fancy. Evening gowns. Sequins. Jewels. JUST KIDDING! Comfy, comfy, comfy! Jeans, sweatpants, sweatshirts, sneakers...whatever you like to wear to be comfortable. (You can even leave the make up bag at home if you want!)

What will we DO while we are there? Is it all serious and stuffy? It's such an awesome weekend, truly! There will be interactive sessions led by different facilitators throughout the weekend. We'll have an opportunity to worship. We'll have small group moments. There will be time for fun and games and lots of time to just hang out and get to know one another. There will be a lot of laughter, new friendships made, loud moments, quiet moments, meaningful conversations, revelations and sweet moments where God's presence is so tangible and unmistakable you'll just fall deeper in love with Him. The weekend is YOUR weekend...you are encouraged to make it what you need it to be during whatever season of your life you are currently in.

Okay, I'm in!!! How do I register? GREAT! Come to the Women's Ministry table in the foyer on March 4, 11, 18 & 25 we'll help you get the link to register or you can register by clicking the following link: [REGISTRATION FORM](#) Turn in or mail your payment to the gals at the registration table **no later than Wednesday, April 4th.**

If you have any other questions, please don't hesitate to contact Joan Zeberlein
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