

FAQs for WONDER Retreat 2019

When is the retreat?

The retreat is March 13th-March 15th, 2020. We will leave St. Columbkil Parish Friday night at 5:30pm sharp and arrive back home around 3:30pm on Sunday.

Where is it located?

The retreat will be located at St. Mary of Providence Retreat Center in Elverson, PA.

How will we get there?

We will take chaperone vehicles. All chaperones have the appropriate clearances for driving.

Who can go?

All girls in 7th-12th grade are invited to attend. You CAN bring your friends from school even if they are not part of youth group. All young ladies are welcome :)

How much does it cost?

The cost is \$145 per person and includes all meals, housing, materials and a t-shirt! If you are in need of financial assistance, please contact Heather. If you want to go, we will make it happen!

What is this retreat about?

This retreat will help you dive deeper into your faith as a Woman of God! We will hear talks given by teen and adult leaders that relate to the challenges we face as women and how we can find God in all of it. There will be time for food, fun and fellowship. We have Mass, Confession and Adoration planned, too!

What should I bring?

Bring whatever you need for a GIANT SLEEPOVER! But seriously... here is a list:

- Journal, bible and rosary
- Fun pjs for our dance party
- Medical form (if you have a CURRENT one on file with Heather you are good! Current means from August 2018 to the present)
- Clothing for any weather
- Towels, toiletries for showering and any other personal items you need
- Pillow
- Extra blanket if you get cold (there will be bedding there for you already)
- Snacks and drinks to SHARE
- An open mind

Will there be chaperones?

OF COURSE! We have a team of 6 amazing women who are devoting every minute of their weekend to be with YOU! Our Adult leader team consists of: Colleen Canfield, Christie Edling, Mary Cris Guerin, Megan Repko, Heather Shainline and Marlee Snyder. All are up to date with clearances.

How are we going to be fed (obviously one of the most important details!)

Upon arrival, we will be providing dinner for you! The retreat center has a buffet style for all of the other meals, so you will NOT go hungry. All girls are asked to bring snacks and drinks to share, too, for free time and midnight snacking.

If you have a dietary need or allergy, please let Heather know ASAP.

Who should I contact with questions?

If you have any specific questions about the retreat, please contact:
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Hope you join us! We are praying for you!
Peace and love,
Heather and Christie