

What to bring to the retreat:

- Bible-** Bring one, please, you can use your phone as a backup.
- Notebook & pen/pencil**
- Flashlight-** We will give out finger lights but it's really dark at the camp, so bring an extra light.
- 2 days' worth of clothes-** Bring stuff you can get dirty, not your best. Pack a jacket and warmer stuff; we'll be outside.
- Extra socks**
- Comfortable shoes & flip flops for the shower**
- Bedding-** Twin size sheets, pillow, light blanket. Or a sleeping bag on top of the bed will also work.
- Towel and wash cloth**
- Toiletries**
 - Pack all toiletries in a bag or carrying caddy that can easily be taken to the bathroom and then back to the bunk.
 - Soap, toothbrush/paste, shampoo, deodorant etc. Whatever you usually use to care for yourself.
- Water bottle-** Write your name on it.
- Protective gear-** Sunscreen, bug spray, rain gear- just in case.
- Small offerings-** UMC Youth Service Fund & Food service staff
- Musical Instruments-** You will have a chance to practice and share.
- Cell phone-** Allowed but only during certain times of retreat.
- Medications-** Please also list on medical form.
- Forms-** Consent, Medical, & Covenant of Conduct
- Willing Spirit-** Each worship time will have opportunities for different youth to acolyte, pray, read, and give testimony.

What to leave home:

- Distractions-** Radio, tablets, game devices, etc. We have a lot planned and part of the retreat experience is to talk, eat, and play with the other participants. Alone time will be focused on prayer and sleep.
- Gum-** It's messy.
- Any tobacco products, drugs, alcohol, or weapons.** Possession is grounds for expulsion.

Schedule

Friday

- 6:00-8:00 pm Arrival, Check-in & Snack
- 8:00-8:15 Welcome & Introductions
- 8:15-8:30 Ice Breakers
- 8:30-9:30 Worship, Testimony & "The Worship Talk"
- 9:30-10:00 Family Groups
- 10:00 Dismissal (11:00 Lights out)
- 11:00 Quiet Hours until 7:00am

Saturday

- 7:00-8:00 am Optional Sunrise Prayer & Praise @ Waterfront
- 8:00-9:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-10:00 Worship, Testimony & "The Justice Talk"
- 10:00-10:30 Family Groups
- 10:30-10:45 Stretch & Snack
- 10:45-11:45 Worship, Testimony & "The Compassion Talk"
- 11:45-12:15 Family Groups
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch
- 1:15-4:30 Free Time
- 4:30-5:30 Own Your Story
- 5:30-6:30 Dinner
- 6:30-8:00 S'more Praise & Testimony @ Bonfire
- 8:00-8:30 Stretch & Snack
- 8:30-9:30 Worship, Testimony & "The Devotion Talk"
- 9:30-10:00 Reflection & Prayer
- 10:00 Dismissal (11:00 Lights out)
- 11:00 Quiet Hours until 7:00am

Sunday

- 7:00-8:00 am Optional Sunrise Prayer & Praise @ Waterfront
- 8:00-9:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-9:30 Pack Up
- 9:30-11:00 Worship, Testimony & "The Witness Talk"
- 11:00-11:30 Family Groups
- 11:30 Head Home