



Gifts from the Sea

Wildflower's 8th Annual Women's Retreat!
Friday, Oct. 22—Sunday, Oct. 24, 2010
Registration Deadline September 17, 2010

Frequently Asked Questions

Why We're Retreating

To deepen our connections with ourselves and with one another, to feed our souls, and to explore the gifts from the sea.

Where We're Going

The Sandcastle Resort Condominiums are located on the beach in Port Aransas, Texas. The address is 800 Sandcastle Drive, Port Aransas, Texas, 78773. Phone: 361/749-6201. Website: www.sandcastlecondo.com.

What We'll Do

The retreat begins at 7:00 pm on Friday evening with a welcome from Rev. Eliza Galaher. Then, the amazing UnTalent Show will focus on sea themes. No talent is required so come out of your shell and just do it! You can act "solo" or with others. On Saturday morning Rev. Eliza will help us explore the gifts of the sea. In the afternoon, we'll participate in impromptu crafts, activities and workshops, chat with friends, relax, nap, read, or shop. Later, we'll sing, dance and drum under the stars. On Sunday morning, Rev. Eliza will lead the worship service, and, after the group photo, we'll pack up and head home, our spirits lifted. All activities will be posted in the Conference Room, our Information Headquarters.

Where We'll Sleep

To keep costs as low as possible, some roommates will share a king size bed. Most of the units are efficiencies but some have one, two, or three bedrooms. All rooms have linens and a balcony for enjoying evening sunsets. See photographs at www.sandcastlecondo.com.

What We'll Eat

To keep costs as low as possible, your options include: 1) bring your own food (all units have full kitchens); 2) make arrangements with your roommates to share food, or 3) eat at a nearby restaurant. On Saturday evening, we'll share a poolside finger food supper. Please bring food to share.

How We'll Get There

We'll carpool to save money, gas, and the planet, and so we can get to know new friends during the journey. Passengers help pay for gas. Please indicate your travel preference on the Retreat Registration Form.

Cost

The retreat costs \$150 per person, which includes two nights of lodging and all programs. For more information, contact Gay Philips at 394-1310 or gayfor@yahoo.com or Carol Knight at 892-7305 or knight.carol99@att.net.

Registration

Registration opens on August 8 and closes on September 17. Please complete the Retreat Registration Form and place it, along with your check, in the basket on the Women's Retreat table at church. Or mail it to: Women's Retreat, Wildflower Church, P.O. Box 40395, Austin, TX 78704. Make your check payable to Wildflower Church and write "Women's Retreat" in the memo line.

Deadline

The registration deadline is September 17, 2010.