

2025 Personal Healing Day Retreat (8 hours): General Information

Our Mission at Serenity Retreat is to equip all generations in a prayer process that allows for a transformational encounter with God. We envision a world where everyone is transformed by the healing and redeeming power of Jesus.

Attending a Personal Healing Retreat gives you the opportunity to connect with God in a new and fresh way. We strive to create an environment that helps you heal and experience spiritual renewal. Our hope is you will leave the retreat physically and spiritually nourished.

DAY RETREAT

Day Retreat will be offered on available Thursdays, Fridays, or Saturdays from 9:00am to 5:00pm. Serenity Retreat Bellville is closed Sundays, Mondays and select holidays. The Day Retreat includes a charcuterie lunch to accommodate dietary allergies and medical restrictions.

PRAYER

During your eight hours stay, you will receive 1 one-hour Transformation Prayer Ministry session (TPM). We highly recommend you receive one TPM session before arriving if this would be your first time for a TPM session. Our goal for your retreat is that you encounter God and experience transformation. If you are interested in learning the prayer process we use, we highly recommend our training program.

NATURE & SIMPLICITY

The beauty of God's creation abounds at Serenity Retreat-Bellville. The Retreat Center is on 26 beautiful acres that includes a wooded trail, covered pavilion with rocking chairs, 2 swing arbors and a Lodge complete with a covered front porch to overlook the pond and nature.

Distractions are limited during your stay. The simple environment creates space for you to spend quiet, uninterrupted time with God. We highly recommend you fully unplug from your cell phone as you can give your family our staff emergency number.

MEALS

Gourmet meals with dessert are provided and we accommodate dietary allergies and medical restrictions. We prepare meals that are clean, healthy, and locally sourced whenever possible. Healthy snacks, coffee, and tea are always available during your stay.

ACCOMODATIONS

• The Lodge

The Lodge has a living room, dining room and fully furnished kitchen. There is also a Day Retreat guest suite with a private bathroom. Right outside there is a large, covered porch with rocking chairs that overlooks the pond.

Chapel

The chapel has 4 private prayer rooms. You will receive your TPM one hour prayer session in one of these assigned rooms.

RETREAT RATE

• One Day Rate: \$125 + 6% hotel state room tax = GRAND TOTAL \$132.50 per person

*One meal is included in the Personal Healing Day Retreat Cost.

ACTIVITIES

Activities while on retreat include:

- Prayer Journaling
- Living Stones Garden Project
- Painting
- Crafting
- Meditating on God's word while coloring scriptures

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

• Do you accept credit cards?

Yes, we accept all credit cards.

• How do I make a reservation?

Email the Retreat Manager, Tangela at tangelar@serenityretreat.com or call (346) 352-9946.

• Is smoking allowed at Serenity Retreat?

We're sorry, but Serenity Retreat is a smoke-free environment.

• Is alcohol allowed on the premises?

No alcohol or illegal drugs are allowed. You will be required to leave if you bring these items.

Are children welcome?

Serenity Retreat is geared towards adults and does not have child-specific activities.

• Can I bring my pet?

Sorry, pets aren't allowed at Serenity Retreat. Even our cats must remain outside. (Certified service and emotional support animals are the exception)

• When is check-in and check-out?

Check-in is at 9:00am and check-out is at 5:00pm. Special accommodation is determined on a case-by-case basis.

Is there staff on hand?

Yes, a staff member will be on site and is available for any needs you may have.

• What are your emergency policies?

There is an emergency protocol which is shared with each guest upon arrival and tour. 911 for emergency assistance. 988 for mental health support. The nearest hospital is MidCoast Medical Center-Bellville, at 44 N. Cummings in Bellville. (979) 413-7400. Austin County Sheriff: (979) 865-3111.

CANCELING AND RESCHEDULING

If you cancel or reschedule, your payment will become a credit for a future retreat, to be used within one calendar year. (We ask you notify us of any cancellation or need to reschedule at least 7 days in advance as a courtesy so we can inform our Prayer Ministers as they are volunteers who are called to serve you in this way).

*If severe weather prevents you from traveling to Serenity Retreat Bellville, or if we are unable to accommodate you due to severe weather, your entire payment will become a credit for a future retreat, to be used within one calendar year.

**If you must cancel your retreat because you contract the COVID-19 virus, believe you have been exposed to COVID-19, or feel any symptoms of COVID-19, please let us know immediately. Your entire payment will become a credit for a future retreat, to be used within one calendar year. If our team has to cancel a retreat due to the COVID-19 virus, your entire payment will become a credit for a future retreat, to be used within one calendar year.