

Winter Retreat Packing List



We are so excited about our upcoming Winter Retreat. To ensure you do not forget anything, we put together this handy checklist for you to use. We will once again be staying at the Solarhouse at the Laurelville Retreat Center. Those riding the bus to the retreat center should be at Our Lady of Grace on Friday, February 23rd at 5:45PM. Pickup at Our Lady of Grace will be at 12:45PM on Sunday, February 25th. Those being dropped at the retreat center should arrive **no earlier** than 6:45PM. Upon entering the grounds of Laurelville, follow the signs on the right to the Solarhouse. Pickup for those leaving from the retreat center will be 12:00PM on Sunday.

Clothing

- Gloves
- Hat
- Sturdy Sneakers/Hiking Boots for mountain hike ~ These will get muddy~ **DO NOT SEND BRAND NEW SHOES!**
- Underclothing
- P.J.s (appropriate)
- Socks
- Shirts ~ 3 (no spaghetti straps)
- Pants ~ 3 (no short shorts)
- Jacket and sweatshirts
- Extra clothes for free time in gym

~Please pack lightly. There is not a lot of room on the bus.

Reminders

- Please pray for this retreat.
- Bedtime means bedtime! Please respect the nightly curfew.
- There is no tolerance for misbehaving, disrupting the retreat, or hurting anyone. Stealing, fighting, swearing, immodesty, inappropriate behavior, going into areas where your gender is not allowed, disrespect or disobedience to Retreat Leaders, Chaperones, or anyone else will not be tolerated. Parents will be called to pick you up at the Retreat Leaders' or Diocesan Director's discretion.
- The cell service at the retreat center is very poor. If you need to get a hold of your child, please call the retreat center at 724-423-2056. Leaders will routinely check their cell phones at the dining hall, so please feel free to text your parish leader if needed.
- Smartwaivers must be completed online for all attendees.
- All medicine must be in original bottles and identified on the smartwaiver.

Toiletries

- Tooth Brush/Toothpaste
- Comb/Brush
- Soap
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Shower Shoes (flip flops)
- Feminine Hygiene products
- Hair Dryer

Other Necessities

- Snack to share (bring enough for 8-10 people)
- OPTIONAL:**
- Camera
 - Writing paper or notebook
 - Spending money (if you want something from the store)
 - Bible
 - Flashlight

Do not bring

- iPads, iPods, DS, tablets, etc
- Jewelry
- Clothes or pajamas with language or offensive symbols
- Alcohol, cigarettes, fireworks, weapons, knives, drugs, etc.

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