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MTOP Laity and Clergy Retreat

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Montgomery-Opelika District Laity & Clergy Retreat Friday & Saturday, February 25 & 26, 2011 at Blessed Trinity Shrine Retreat 107 Holy Trinity Road Fort Mitchell, AL 36856



This is a beautiful setting for a time of worship, study, meditation and fellowship. We are very excited about this time away to study and renew and hope you will be also. Speak to others in your church and encourage them to come with you. Plan now to attend and

make your reservations soon.

Schedule (all are Eastern Time)

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5:30 p.m. (promptly) Dinner

7:00 p.m. Worship & Communion

8:00 p.m. Meditation & Rest

Saturday morning

8:00 a.m. Breakfast 9:00 a.m. First Session led by Mrs. Kim Hendrix

10:00 a.m. Break for discussion & meditation

10:45 a.m. Second Session led by Mrs. Kim Hendrix

11:45 a.m. Break for lunch

Saturday afternoon

1:00 p.m. Third Session led by Rev. Ron Ball with discussion & planning

2:30 p.m. check-out time

Retreatants have private rooms with adjoining bath.

The Retreat House is a modern 40 bedroom facility, air-conditioned throughout. It is situated

on 1200 acres of woodlands, which provide ample space for solitude to commune with nature along wooded paths, bordering the Chattahoochee River. Home-cooked meals are served cafeteria-style. All you will need to bring is your Bible, personal items and clothing, comfortable for the season.

To register you need to complete the form and return it to the Montgomery-Opelika District Office, 1749 Platt Place, Montgomery, AL 36117-7762, with your \$35 deposit as soon as possible. ****You May also register and Pay online using PayPal.****

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REGISTRATION FORM

Return Completed Registration Form and Deposit to:
Montgomery-Opelika District Office, 1749 Platt Place, Montgomery, AL 36117-7762



NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/ST/ZIP: _____

GENDER: _____ (For room assignment purposes only)

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

CHURCH: _____

If you have special physical and/or dietary needs, please list them with specifics and explanation of requirements: _____

Since we will be sharing a bathroom with someone, if you have a preferred "roommate" please list their name here and send your reservations in together if possible: _____

The total cost for the full retreat is \$70. We have asked for a \$35 deposit to be sent with your reservation with the remaining \$35 due the Monday before the retreat (February 21st).

*If you can only make it for the Saturday morning events, there will be a small fee for meals. Please complete this registration form and return it with \$15 as soon as possible.

REGISTRATION FOR: Full Retreat _____ Saturday Morning Only _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____ BALANCE DUE: \$ _____

More specific information concerning the schedule and the retreat will be sent to you with your confirmation upon registration so be sure you give us full contact information and write clearly.

We hope you are as excited about this retreat as we are and will talk to your church members, encouraging them to attend.





Montgomery-Opelika District Conference and Local Church Academy

Trinity United Methodist Church (Opelika, AL)

January 16, 2011

3:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Classes include:

- 5 Practices of Fruitful Congregations
 - Prayer Ministry
- Presence of the Church - (A) in Worship; (B) the world
 - Gifts - Stewardship
 - Gifts - Spiritual
 - Service
 - Witness



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