

Malvern Retreat House

Family Retreat – Labor Day Weekend

September 3 – September 5, 2021



Family Activities -- Reflection time -- Music -- Arts & Crafts

Family Sporting Events -- Youth Group Meetings -- Outdoor Mass -- Reconciliation Services

Family Eucharistic Adoration -- Lots of Open Space -- Beautiful Facilities -- Great Food

- **Logistics:** Registration begins around **5pm Friday evening** followed by dinner, introductions and Holy Hour Adoration. **Saturday** is complete with group discussions, fun family activities, reconciliation services, outdoors Mass and picnic... **Sunday** morning is filled with more fun and wrap-up activities and adjourns just before lunch.
- **Attendees:** Families of all sizes and ages attend (*parents, grandparents, cousins, new born, toddlers, pre-teen and teenagers*). Many families have made the Malvern Labor Day Retreat an **annual end-of-the-summer tradition**. Most of the time we spend together as a family. The retreat typically attracts about 15 - 20 families from the Philadelphia, NJ, MD and Delaware areas.
- **Facilities:** Located on the grounds of the **Malvern Retreat House** (~100+ open and wooded acres). The **Family Life Center** is a new facility, fully enclosed on a single floor, each room has two beds-shower-bathroom (kid's love this set up), meals are provided throughout the weekend including a picnic on Saturday and plenty of snacks and refreshments available anytime.
- **Retreat Director:** Reverend **Richard J. Smith**, M.Div. Father Smith was ordained to the Priesthood in 2009. He served in parishes across the Archdiocese and was a chaplain for a time at Archbishop Ryan High School. In 2020, Fr. Smith was assigned as Parochial Administrator at Saint Francis of Assisi in Norristown. Fr. Smith enjoys all sports and traveling. One of his passions is hiking the Camino de Santiago, a hiking pilgrimage to the city of Santiago de Compostela in Spain.
- **Registration/Address:** Call the Retreat House at 610-644-0400 or email them at mail@malvernretreat.com. **Malvern Retreat House** (*across the street from "Malvern Prep High School"*) 315 South Warren Avenue, Malvern, PA 19355, 610-644-0400 www.malvernretreat.com
- **Cost:** \$195 per Person, \$370 per Couple, \$395 per Family.
- **Facebook Page:** Visit our **"Malvern Labor Day Family Retreat"** Facebook Page for images & comments from past retreats <https://www.facebook.com/groups/243125242389467/>

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