

Malvern Retreat House

Saint Bernadette Relic Visit FAQs

Do I need a reservation to visit the relics?

No, you do not need a reservation to visit our grounds and venerate the relics. Anyone can visit the relics during public hours. Please refer to the schedule of events. The Relic will not be available for veneration during the Masses or the procession at Our Lourdes Grotto. St. Bernadette Holy cards will be available for purchase.

Do I need to register to attend Mass?

Yes, we ask that you register and select the Mass you plan to attend and how many people will attend. We are limited to 315 seats in Upper McShain and want to make sure everyone has a seat. There will be no assigned seating.

Is there a charge?

No there is no charge to register for Mass or attend any event during your visit to the Relic.

Can we visit other areas of the Retreat House?

Yes, we encourage you to visit the grounds and see Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto, the Pope St John Paul II cross, St. Carlo Acutis Shrine and Center for Eucharistic Miracles along with the many other shrines we have onsite.

Where can we park?

Malvern Retreat House has 4 parking lots across our campus where you can park. Please do not park in the grass or block other cars.

Where is Malvern Retreat House?

Our address is 315 S. Warren Ave, Malvern PA. We are located in Chester County just minutes away from Route 202 and Route 30. The Malvern train station is a 10-minute walk from campus.

Will confessions be available?

We are working to having priests available for confession in Our Lady's Hall from 10am – 12pm and 5pm-7pm on September 29.

Will the Gift Shop be open?

Yes, our gift shop will be open from 9 am to 6 pm on Tuesday.

Can our group attend?

Yes, groups may attend like all others. To attend a Mass each member must register. If you plan to bring a large group in a bus etc please let us know so we can assist with parking. 610-644-0400

What to wear?

Comfortable clothes and shoes are suggested especially if there are lines or you plan to walk the grounds. If you are attending Mass, please dress appropriately as you would at your parish.

Will refreshments be available?

Yes, water and small packaged snacks will be available for purchase. There are multiple restaurants located on King St roughly a mile away.