

Breakout sessions will be offered on Saturday. Each regular session will be about 50 minutes. You'll need to choose from the options (see the enclosed descriptions). **In order to accommodate your preferences, please indicate your 1st-3rd choices for each of the breakout sessions.**

Breakout Sessions:

A. 2:00 – 2:50 p.m. (Red, Blue or Green)

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

B. 3:00 – 3:50 p.m. (Blue, Yellow or Purple/Craft)

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

 Interested in singing in the choir?

If so, what voice?

- Soprano
- Second Soprano
- Alto

 Interested in playing an instrument for either solo or ensemble?

Here's what the weekend looks like:

Friday, Feb. 8

- 3-7 p.m. Registration (*dinner on your own*)
- 7 p.m. Opening Remarks
- 7:15 p.m. Singing
- 7:30 p.m. Bible Study & Keynote speaker
- 9:15 p.m. Mixer and Games

Saturday, Feb. 9

- 7:45-8:30 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. Singing
- 8:45 a.m.-noon Bible Study & Keynote
- 12-12:45 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 -1:50 p.m. General Session: Pastor Greg Seltz
- 2:00-2:50 p.m. Breakout sessions (Choice of red, blue or green)
- 3:00-3:50 p.m. Breakout sessions (Choice of blue, yellow or purple/craft)
- 4:00-5:30 p.m. Free Time/LCC K-9 Meet & Greet
- 4:15-4:45 p.m. Choir practice
- 5:30-6:30 p.m. Fellowship Hour
- 6:30-8:30 p.m. Dinner and Entertainment
- 8:30 p.m. Fellowship & Games

Sunday, Feb. 10

- 8:30 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion
- 9:45-10:30 a.m. Brunch / Closing

This year's Sunday morning offering will be designated for camp ministry (Lutherhaven and Camp Lakeview). Make checks payable to the Indiana District LCMS with "camp ministry" in the memo.

Looking to carpool with others in your area? Follow our Katie Retreat Facebook page!

Come join us for the
Katie Retreat
 The Indiana District's
**Retreat for Wives & Widows of
 LCMS Pastors**



February 8-10, 2019

**“Sharing God’s Voice
 In Our Times”**

**Keynote Speaker: Rebekah Curtis
 Bible Study Leader: Renee Gibbs**

“...but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect...”

1 Peter 3:15

**The Inn at DePauw
 Greencastle, Indiana**

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Explore our theme together for this year in our breakout sessions. See the enclosed letter for details, and then choose your top choices for each time period.

RED – (2:00 p.m.) **Feminism: Good, Bad and/or Ugly?** – *Rebekah Curtis*. Some people consider "feminist" a bad word. Others think that contemporary women owe a lot to the feminist movement. This session will look at what feminism really means, and check feminist claims against Scripture and good sense.

BLUE – (2:00 or 3:00 p.m.) **God's Voice, Our Lips: Sharing Christ through Song** – *Nicole Koehler Busarow*. By studying several hymn texts and singing, we will discover how hymnody confesses Christ and helps us share our faith in Him.

GREEN – (2:00 p.m.) **Spiritual Conversations in a Digital Age** – *Polly Gregali*. Over its 100 year history, Lutheran Hour Ministries (LHM) has ventured into and boldly proclaimed the Gospel through the technology of the day. Learn how you can use today's tools, too.

YELLOW – (3:00 p.m.) **Upholding Life in a Culture of Death** – *Renee Gibbs*. Renee will share with us ideas on how we can both uphold life and also support those who are faced with tough choices. Come learn how you can better share God's good news about life in your church and personal life.

PURPLE – (3:00 p.m.) **Craft Session: Cork Keychain/Purse Charm, with Patrice Wagner and Sherry Shadday**. No need to bring anything. Cost is \$3

WHY A 'KATIE' RETREAT?



It is in honor of the remarkable wife of Martin Luther -- Katie. We are *all* Katies as we serve together with our husbands.

Come join us at the Inn at DePauw University (www.innatdepauw.com) for a time of spiritual, emotional, and physical growth as we retreat. Our goal is to renew, refresh, relax, rest, and develop relationships with other women in the district who are or have been in that special role of being married to a pastor.

COST:

Before January 1

\$175.00 double occupancy
\$255.00 single occupancy

After January 1

\$195.00 double occupancy
\$260.00 single occupancy
(Rates include a \$50 registration fee,
2 nights lodging and 4 meals)

You may qualify for Reduced Rates:

Widows of LCMS Pastors attend for \$75
(double occupancy).

Wives of retired pastors attend for \$125
(double occupancy).

Limited scholarships may also be available; contact Jan Koenig at the Indiana District Office (Phone 800-837-1145) or email Harriet Armstrong ahijarmstrong8623@sbcglobal.net.

REGISTRATION FORM

(Please Print)

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____

State & Zip code: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Email address*: _____

Dietary needs: _____

Special Needs: _____

- Widow Wife of a Retired Pastor
 First time attending the Katie Retreat

Single occupancy Yes No

Double occupancy Yes No

Roommate preference: _____

- Add \$3** for Craft session if participating

***Registration will be confirmed via email.**

Please return form with fees to:
Indiana District - "Katie Retreat"
1145 S Barr St.
Fort Wayne, IN 46802-3180

Early Registration before Jan. 1, 2019

Registration Deadline: **Jan. 20, 2019**

All fees are due with registration.

Sorry, no refunds after Jan. 1.