



Marywood Retreat & Conference Center is located in the St. Johns and Switzerland area of north Florida and is operated by the Catholic Diocese of St. Augustine. This breathtaking retreat center and private event venue is nestled along the banks of the St. Johns River, just minutes from the greater Jacksonville and St. Augustine areas. The property is comprised of 100 acres of beautifully tranquil grounds boasting riverfront views, towering live oak trees and lush gardens. Marywood offers multiple banquet spaces, overnight lodging and provides all food and beverage. Free parking.

**ACCOMODATIONS:** Rooms have 2 queen beds, refrigerator, and full bathroom. If you are sharing a room, please list your roommate's name on the registration form (see the line designated for that purpose). By sharing a room, the cost of the room will be half the cost of a single room (\$137 per person for the weekend).

**MEALS:** We are offering a 4-meal plan for \$80 (this includes the tax and gratuity) as a convenience so that guests may stay on-site for the entire event. This plan includes abstinent food choices for breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday; and breakfast on Sunday. All meals are served cafeteria-style. The chef is very talented, and will prepare our food with no added fats or sugars. If you have allergies or special considerations, please contact Marywood directly.



**Friday, November 1 to  
Sunday, November 3, 2024**

Program begins at **7:00 pm Friday** evening  
and ends at **12:00 pm Sunday**.

Join us as we learn how to recover from the disease of compulsive eating the *Big Book* way. Our guest speaker will share his experience of how he practices his program, maintains recovery, and lives in spiritual abundance, letting go of the food, and working with others. There will also be group sharing activities and plenty of time for fellowship, reflection and relaxation.



**OVEREATERS  
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New Freedom Intergroup

**MAIL-IN REGISTRATION FORM**

Name		
Name on Badge		
Address		
City/State/Zip		
Phone		
Email		
		Fees Included
Weekend Reg.	\$40 In Person	
	\$40 Virtual	
Single room	\$274 (for the weekend)	
Shared room	\$137 (for the weekend)	
<b><i>Enter your roommate's name (if applicable):</i></b>		
4 Meal Plan	\$80 (3 meals Sat. and Sun. breakfast, tax and gratuity included)	
Donation		
<b>TOTAL INCLUDED:</b>		
<i>Make check to: New Freedom Intergroup</i>		

I will give service at this event:

- Registration Table
- Set-up before / clean up after event
- Timer in meetings
- Selling tickets for 50/50 drawing
  
- PLEASE ADD ME TO THE WAITING LIST IF I AM NOT ONE OF THE FIRST 50 PEOPLE TO SIGN UP.

**MARYWOOD RETREAT AND CONFERENCE CENTER**

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In-person attendance at the Marywood Retreat Center event must be **limited to 50 persons**. Register early to secure your spot. If you are not one of the first 50 people registered, we will assign you to a waiting list or you can attend virtually.

**The cut-off date for in-person registration and cancellation refunds is OCTOBER 1, 2024.**

If you prefer to attend virtually, you can register until October 30. The speakers will be live-streamed (audio and video) during the event. Audio recordings will be included for all registrants after the event ends (we will send an email with the link).

You may register by mail (make check out to New Freedom Intergroup) or register online:

- Mail registration form and check to:  
Barbara Carter  
28303 SW 101<sup>st</sup> Avenue  
Newberry, FL 32669
- Eventbrite Online Registration  
<https://BigBookBuffet.eventbrite.com>

*Note: Eventbrite adds on a convenience fee. If you **DO NOT** wish to be charged for this convenience, please send a check. Remember that we are limited to 50 attendees—so register early!*

No one will be turned away for lack of funds. Scholarships are available to cover the registration fee (only). Contact Retreat Co-Chairs for more information.

Retreat Co-Chairs:

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