

## Cost and Registration Information

Option	Lodging and Meals	Cost
A	Full Retreat: Friday evening through Sunday morning; 2 nights & 4 meals	\$240
B	Mini Retreat: Saturday and Sunday; 1 night & 4 meals	\$215
C	Saturday only (no lodging) with 3 meals	\$125

The four meals are Saturday breakfast, lunch & dinner and Sunday brunch. There are a few single rooms available if you prefer not to share; the single-room upcharge is \$50.



A completed registration form and at least \$75 deposit is due by **Sunday, February 16** to hold your place. If you pay a deposit when you register, the remaining balance is due by Friday, Feb. 23. No refunds may be made after Feb. 23. There are some scholarship funds available; reach out to Marilyn Carlson (auntmare@carlsonsnw.com) or call/text 206-499-9601.

Scholarship fund donations are always appreciated!

We need 35 attendees to make the conference its best—please register early and bring a friend!

If you prefer to pay online, you may do so at [www.oslcissaquah.org](http://www.oslcissaquah.org); choose “electronic giving” at the top of the home page, and then “Women’s Retreat” in the list of funds, and fill in your amount.



Rev. Kristin-Luana Baumann, together with her husband and co-pastor Rev. Olaf Baumann, has just started her work at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah. She is looking forward to serving in the Seattle Metropolitan Area.

“The Barna Group lists Seattle-Tacoma among the 10 least church-ed areas in the nation. What a promising mission field for all of us to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ”, she says.

Rev. Baumann, who was born in Hawai’i and partly raised in Germany, was a stage director and hula practitioner before she became a pastor. She is fluent in English and German; majored in anthropology and art history at the Freie Universität Berlin, Germany; and studied to become a pastor at Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary in Berkeley, CA.

Her unusual background gives her a unique perspective on Lutheran theology and practice. She is looking forward to the retreat as an opportunity to get known to members of Our Savior and other area churches; and to think and work together on the question: **Why is this a great time to be church?**

This is a *great* time to be church!



**WAIT – WHAT?!?**

Registration Form		
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Phone Number:</b>		
<b>Email Address:</b>		
<b>Floor Preference:</b>		
<input type="radio"/> <b>First Floor</b> (recommended for those with mobility issues)		
<input type="radio"/> <b>Second Floor</b>		
<input type="radio"/> I'd like to share a room with _____ <input type="radio"/> Pair me with anyone <input type="radio"/> Single room, please, if available (extra \$50)		
Please share any special needs (i.e. quiet room, room close to exit or restroom, allergies or special diet needs):		
I need financial help and am requesting a subsidy or scholarship (please circle)		
\$60 off	Half Price	Full Scholarship
Accommodation Choice (see list on cost list):    A    B    C		
Enclosed Payment (deposit or full payment): _____		
Paid online (oslcissaquah.org)    Amount: _____		
Make checks payable to Our Savior Lutheran Church and include "women's Retreat" in the memo line please.		
Please mail or bring your registration and payment to Our Savior Lutheran Church, 745 Front Street, Issaquah, WA 98027. You can also register online. <b>Registration deadline is Friday February 23, 2024:</b> book early!		

## Rainbow Lodge Accommodations

Rainbow Lodge features two floors of guest rooms. Most rooms include a sink, and each wing of rooms has its own bathroom and showers. Bedding is provided, but you may enjoy your own pillow and/or blanket. Single Rooms are limited to the first 4 registrants who request one.

### Getting there.....

- Take I-90 east towards North Bend & Spokane
- Take Exit 32 for 436th Ave NE; **turn left** onto SE North Bend Way.
- In 1.4 miles, **turn right** onto SE Mount Si Road; note that SE Mt. Si Rd becomes 452nd Ave SE, and then becomes Mt. Si Rd again—don't let it confuse you.
- Rainbow Lodge will be on the left in about 1 mile.

Physical address for Rainbow Lodge Retreat Center is 46820 SE Mount Si Road, North Bend.

### *Don't forget to bring these with you:*

- Favorite mug (we use these at meals)
- Bible, paper, pen/pencil for study sessions
- Snacks to share with the group
- Toiletries (towels/washcloths are provided)
- Casual, comfy, warm daytime clothes
- Robe, slippers, PJ's/nightgown
- Fun games to play and puzzles to share

### *And you might want these, too!*

- Raingear & shoes for outdoor walks
- Camera
- Water Bottle
- Alarm Clock
- Flashlight

## Retreat Activities

**Friday, Mar. 1:** Plan to arrive at Rainbow Lodge at 7:30 p.m. Please do not arrive early, unless you are scheduled to help set up. We will move into our rooms, then gather in the worship space for an overview of the weekend and tour introductory session with Pr. Kristin-Luana. Plan for some singing as we move our minds into Retreat Mode!

**Saturday, Mar. 2:** We'll start with breakfast at 8 a.m., then move into retreat sessions beginning at 9. There will be a short break mid-morning. Following lunch at 12:30, we'll have a final session coupled with a focused activity. There will be free time afterwards for fellowship, walks, naps or relaxation, etc. After dinner at 5 pm, we'll gather in the worship space for Holden Evening Prayer, followed by fellowship and game time.

**Sunday, Mar. 3:** Following worship at 9 am, we'll gather at 11 am for Sunday Brunch. Check-out time is 12 noon, so please plan to pack up before brunch, to facilitate a smooth exit.



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