



**Our Lady of Confidence
Christian Retreat
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*Malvern Retreat House – St. Joseph's In The Hills
Malvern, PA 19355*

August 1, 2023

Fellow Friend,

I hope that you are enjoying your summer. Believe it or not, October 10, 11 & 13th (Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday) will be our 58th Our Lady of Confidence Retreat and it will be here before we know it! For those of you who do not know us, our names are Jenny Mars and Jenn Falsone and we are retreat captains. We look forward to seeing you all at this year's retreat.

This year, the annual Our Lady of Confidence Retreat will be conducted at the Malvern Retreat House, St. Joseph's in the Hills, Malvern, PA. As always, we hope to make it a special one that will be long remembered by all who attend.

Thank you for your spiritual, physical and financial assistance over the years. Can you help once more? Your prayers for the success of this year's retreat, your assistance as a friend (volunteer helper) at all or part of the retreat and/or your financial donation would be appreciated. To donate, please visit: www.opdarchphilly.org or make checks payable to: Malvern Retreat House. I sincerely appreciate your concern and willingness to help with whatever has to be done. The retreatants certainly appreciate and look forward to seeing you at the retreat and most importantly we are doing the will of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Always keep in mind the words of Jesus, "Whatever you do for these the least of my brethren, you do unto me."

As always, our primary goal is to give each attendee the opportunity to refresh, renew or initiate a meaningful relationship with Christ without having any undue stress or inconvenience. Please let me know, at your earliest convenience, your plans regarding attendance at the retreat. If you know anyone who you think would be interested in being a friend or retreatant, please don't hesitate to extend an invitation to him or her. Give me their name and number and I'd be more than happy to answer any questions or concerns. Any lucid adult (male or female), especially the disabled are welcome to sign up as retreatants. The disability can be physical, mental, emotional, social, economic, advanced age, loneliness or just a feeling of being left out of the mainstream. Again, this year, in addition to your efforts, we will also have the assistance of the Malvern Retreat House staff and the Archdiocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities in advertising and recruiting efforts.

I ask that you join me in praying to God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit asking Him for the graces and blessing necessary for us to provide a quality spiritually uplifting retreat for all attendees.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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All Adults Are Welcome, Especially Those With Disabilities