

The Briarwood Vine

Providing Christian hospitality, camping, and retreat programs
to serve, nurture, and equip the people of God for God's work in the world.
February 2009



LENTEN RETREAT

JOURNEY TO THE CROSS

**SATURDAY, MARCH 28 TO SUNDAY,
MARCH 29 (Note New Date!!)**

(For 4th through 6th graders)

You are invited to bring your 4th through 6th graders to Briarwood on March 28th and 29th as we "Journey to the Cross" for this year's Lenten Retreat. Journey with Jesus as he moves from Palm Sunday to Good Friday. Hear the story through the tales of those who were there - from Jesus' disciples to those at the foot of the cross.



Our journey this year will include worship and singing, Bible study and small group discussion, a Seder service, and all the enjoyment of a wonderful camping experience. This is a great time of year to be at Briarwood with your child.

Dates/Times - This year's retreat begins on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. and ends on Sunday after lunch (lunch begins at 12:00 noon).

Cost - \$60 per person (additional children from the same family cost only \$30 per person). This includes overnight accommodations, all programming and materials, staff costs, and four delicious meals. **Adult chaperons are free!**

Registration forms are online at www.briarwoodretreat.org.

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SUNDAY BRUNCH AT BRIARWOOD



We had a WONDERFUL first brunch at Briarwood on January 4th. Over 55 people gathered for a delicious brunch - and they ALL said they would be coming back for more.

You are invited to join us for our Sunday Brunch Buffet at Briarwood on February 1st (and the first Sunday of every month). This delicious brunch, created by our Head Chef Norm Isa (who has served in a variety of country clubs in Texas and Hawaii) and Assistant Chef Carlos Carrasquillo (our experienced pastry chef), is a guaranteed crowd pleaser.

This is NOT the Sunday Brunch your parents made when you were growing up (unless, of course, they were gourmet cooks!!!). This is a wonderful selection of great breakfast and lunch food. Every first Sunday of the month, from 10:00 a.m., to 2:00 p.m., you will enjoy a wonderful buffet that includes an omelet station, a waffle station, sausage, bacon, scrambled eggs, potatoes, biscuits, tossed salad, fruit, desserts, and other wonderful breakfast and lunch items. The cost is only \$13.50 for adults, \$6.00 for children (5 to 9), and free for children 4 and under.

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Reservations are recommended but not required (email us at jean@briarwoodretreat.org or call us at 940-241-2099 for reservations). For more information (and a full menu), go to our web site – www.briarwoodretreat.org – and click on the "Sunday Brunch Buffet" link.