



FEAST OF TABERNACLES

2017 U.S. HOUSING INFORMATION

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WELCOME TO THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES

2017 FESTIVAL HOUSING GUIDE

Each year God's Feast of Tabernacles is the highlight of the year for His people. We anticipate it and plan for it all year long. As you read this, the Feast is only a few months away once again.

We plan and save our second tithe every year in anticipation of going to the "place where the LORD your God chooses to put His name" to celebrate the Feast of Tabernacles (Deuteronomy 14:24). We are excited to make arrangements for accommodations for our family, or extended family, that will help us truly rejoice before the Lord our God at His Feast. This aspect of our Feast planning is very important, especially since we will spend more time at our housing establishment than we'll spend doing any other thing while at the Feast.

Each of our Festival coordinators keeps this in mind, knowing the importance of procuring properties that will meet the needs of all of our brethren—with a focus on quality, price and value. Our Festival coordinators spend considerable time each year looking at possible establishments that will fill the bill for God's people. We try to constantly be aware of members' needs and the best facilities to fulfill those needs.

Each year we ask brethren at all of our Feast sites to evaluate the housing properties we used for that year. After the Feast, these surveys are all reviewed, and we evaluate the properties for future use.

Many factors go into the decision as to whether to use the facility again the following year, based on input from those who stayed there. As a result of this review, you will generally find some new facilities each year, as well as some that are discontinued from last year. Our goal

is to always provide the best quality and value available in the area.

A lot of work has gone into providing this guide to help you select and reserve quality housing that meets your needs at a fair price. We recommend you review all the housing offered at the site you will be attending.

To help you get a better idea of what each facility is like, we have listed the websites of most of the establishments we are using. This way you can preview the facility, see all of its amenities, as well as be aware of other factors that may be important.

It is best to get all the information you can about the housing possibilities you are considering before you make a decision.

Please be sure to note any extra charges not included in the basic room cost. These can include resort charges, charges for a pet (if allowed), and other incidental charges. Most facilities (but not necessarily all) offer free wireless Internet in the rooms. These can impact your total cost. Knowing all this in advance will help you make the right decision and hopefully avoid any disappointments or unfortunate surprises.

We would like to remind you of the benefits the Church realizes when our members use the housing establishments that are listed in the COGWA Festival Housing Guide. It enables us to secure fair prices with the housing establishments due to room night volume. It is also central to our ability to acquire quality meeting space for our services at sites where we meet in a hotel.

You will also realize benefits from using the listed housing by knowing that the facilities have been examined for quality, cleanliness and good

value. If you should encounter a problem with housing, it is much easier for the Church to help you rectify problems if you are using housing from our housing list. That said, we want you to find the housing that best fits your family's needs. Should you find it via your own Internet search, we certainly understand and have no problem with that.

As you make your housing arrangements, please remember these important reminders regarding the listed properties:

1. In general, please do not make reservations prior to the opening day and time for reservations, which is **Monday, May 22, at 10 a.m. in the time zone of the site you are attending.** The establishments have been asked to **not accept reservations prior to the agreed-upon time.**
2. Those with disabilities, health problems or other special needs that require specific types of facilities may make early housing reservations beginning May 15. (Check with your local Festival adviser for guidelines.) Some sites may require a password to make early reservations.
3. When making your reservations, identify yourself as a member of the "Church of God, a Worldwide Association, Feast of Tabernacles." Be sure to give your arrival and departure dates, be prepared to pay a deposit, and be sure to get a confirmation number.
4. Please take notice of the maximum number of occupants allowed in a room, and *do not exceed that number.* Reserving a room for four people and then putting six or seven in the room is a violation of fire code. It violates our agreement with the facility, and it also creates extra work for the housekeeping staff.
5. PLEASE make only one housing arrangement at one Feast site. Making duplicate reservations blocks housing from others looking for housing and is also unfair to the housing establishment when they get cancellations only a few weeks before the Feast. If your plans to attend that site change, be sure to cancel your housing reservation as soon as possible to free up housing.

Mike Blackwell
Festival Planning Team

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q. What if I have a large family and need a larger facility, such as a house, to have enough space. Can I rent "outside" our housing list?

A. If there is no satisfactory housing on our housing list, you are certainly free to rent something that isn't on the housing list. Most of the large, home-type facilities are "one of a kind," and it would cause more potential problems than it would solve for us to list a large number of one-of-a-kind facilities. And once such a facility was reserved, it would be a frustrating waste of time for any other members who tried to reserve the facility.

Q. What if I'm torn between two different housing properties (maybe even at two different sites). What is wrong with reserving them both until I decide and then releasing the one I decide not to use?

A. This situation happens probably more often than most would think. It causes difficulties on more than one level. First, it removes a room from the "available block" that may eventually go unused if you cancel just before the Feast. Second, it may cause a facility to assume it is full and turn down possible bookings only to later have one or several cancellations by people who had "double-booked" rooms. This causes us problems when we go to book blocks of rooms for the following year.

Q. My extended family is all attending the same site, yet we find we are paying different tax rates on our rooms. Why is that? It seems confusing!

A. Some Feast sites have facilities in different communities, each with different "lodging tax" setups. Some facilities have a "county tax," while others have a "county tax" and a "city lodging tax." Generally, the difference isn't that great, but it may be 4 to 5 percent different.

Q. What about "extra fees" that appear on my bill in addition to the basic room charge?

A. Some facilities have extra charges for things such as "resort fee," "fee for Internet service in sleeping rooms" (in some facilities, the Internet is free only in the public areas). Most of these should be listed in

the housing brochure, but it is good to ask about any extra fees that the facility charges when making your room reservation. When in doubt, ask, so you aren't surprised when you check out.

Q. I have found an establishment that I feel would be a great fit for our housing block. How do I go about giving this input to the right person?

A. At times, members may find a facility that we may have overlooked or that may be under new management. There are a couple of ways you can give input in this area. First, since we may already have our room blocks set for this year, you can write in your suggestion on your copy of the Housing Survey, which is passed out at each site. The Festival coordinator for that site will see it and can follow up on it. Second, you can email the suggestion to the Festival coordinator for that site or to a member of the Festival Planning Team. But either way, please do not try to negotiate with the establishment on behalf of the Church.

Q. I have several ideas on areas that I feel would make wonderful Feast sites. How do I go about giving input on possible locations?

A. We are always keeping our eyes open for possible Feast sites. Our main criteria for site selection is desirable locations within a reasonable distance of the majority of our people in a region. We will occasionally

have a specialty site on a one-time or a periodic basis, but due to manpower and expense, we mostly focus on regional sites across the United States and regional sites in the international areas as well.

The Festival Planning Team is always open to suggestions for possible future sites and welcomes input from interested members. If you know of a specific facility in a particular area, feel free to mention it in an email to a member of the Festival Planning Team. But please do not contact the facility directly or discuss possible terms with the facility, as if you are representing the Church. Doing so can cause confusion. Send in your ideas, and we will look at and consider them in light of current needs, contracts and other relative conditions.

Q. What do I do if I check into a facility selected from the housing guide and, after checking in, I find the conditions to be totally unacceptable?

A. While this situation seldom happens, it is a possibility. Before you actually occupy the room, go back to the management and tell them the conditions are totally unacceptable and ask for either another room that is acceptable or for a refund. Most facilities will work with you. In the event that you still have a situation, feel free to contact the Festival coordinator for the site or, if you know his name, the housing officer. Either of them will be able to help you with the situation.

Key Dates for 2017 Feast of Tabernacles

April 16-May 15, 2017
Online registration

July 10, 2017
Activity information posted to website

May 15, 2017
Early housing reservations begin (check with your local Festival adviser for guidelines)

Oct. 5-11, 2017
Feast of Tabernacles

May 22, 2017
General housing reservations begin

Oct. 12, 2017
Last Great Day

Registration begins April 16
feast.cogwa.org



BRANSON, MISSOURI



Nestled in the rolling hills of the Missouri Ozarks, Branson has served as a popular Feast site for over 20 years. Branson sits beside three lakes in the beautiful hardwood forests of southern Missouri. It is a mecca for families who desire to vacation in a family-oriented area that offers something to excite almost everyone. If you want to get away from the hustle and bustle of the city and sit beside a lake or take a hike in the woods, Branson is for you. If you like the excitement of musical shows and amusement areas, Branson is for you. If you like to shop or golf, or if you prefer to simply sit back and fellowship with brethren, Branson is for you.

The beautiful White House Theatre, sitting on a hill off the busy strip, is an ideal location for God's people to keep the Feast of Tabernacles. There is plenty of room for fellowship, a modern theater with comfortable seating and a wonderful family-friendly seating section. There is room on-site to have virtually all of our activities and seminars in one location.

Branson offers a wide variety of housing for every taste and budget. Whether you'd like an inexpensive motel with cooking facilities, an upscale hotel or a condominium or cabin with all the conveniences of home, we have you covered.

Average high and low temperatures for October are 72 and 49 degrees.

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: Varies from 6 to 12 percent.

Closest airports: Springfield/Branson National (SGF), 55 miles; Little Rock, Arkansas (LIT), 178 miles.

Mike Blackwell

Classic Motor Inn

417-334-6991

classicmotorinn.com2384 Shepherd of the Hills Expressway
Branson, MO 65616

\$40 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, refrigerator, microwave, deluxe breakfast included.*Distance from meeting hall:* 0.8 mile**Days Inn Branson/Near the Strip**

417-337-5207

tinyurl.com/daysinnbranson2316 Shepherd of the Hills Expressway
Branson, MO 65616

\$50 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, microwave, refrigerator, coffeemaker, full hot breakfast included.*Distance from meeting hall:* 0.7 mile**First Inn Branson**

417-334-7000

800-343-9302

firstinnbranson.com2719 W. Highway 76
Branson, MO 65616

\$45 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, steep grades or many steps, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, microwave, refrigerator, coffeemaker, hair dryer, hot breakfast included.*Distance from meeting hall:* 0.6 mile**Hotel Grand Victorian**

417-336-2935

800-324-8751

hotelgrandvictorian.com2325 W. Highway 76
Branson, MO 65616

\$67 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, indoor pool, king or queen beds, microwave, refrigerator, air-conditioning,

elevator, free Wi-Fi, pets allowed with \$35 one-time fee, hot breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.8 mile**Hunter's Friend Resort**

417-338-2849

800-338-2842

huntersfriendresort.com118 Myrtle Lane
Branson, MO 65616

\$41.25 motel room, 1-2 people

\$52.50 kitchenette, 1-2 people

\$5 extra person per night

\$75 2-bedroom apartment, 2-6 people

\$119.25 3-bedroom apartment, 2-8 people

\$134.25 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, water-front (some), king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, maid service once a week, pets allowed with a \$25 one-time fee.*Distance from meeting hall:* 9 miles**Oak Grove Inn (formerly Gretna Inn)**

417-334-8444

877-781-1218

bransonoakgroveinn.com205 N. Gretna Road
Branson, MO 65616

\$45 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Shopping nearby, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, microwave, refrigerator, coffeemaker, air-conditioning, continental breakfast included.*Distance from meeting hall:* 1 mile**Quality Inn on the Strip**

417-334-1194

800-826-0368

bransonqualityinn.com2834 W. Highway 76
Branson, MO 65616

\$59.50 flat rate, 1-4 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, steep grades or many steps, indoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, hot breakfast included.*Distance from meeting hall:* 1 mile

Residence Inn

417-336-4077

marriott.com/sgfbr

280 S. Wildwood Drive

Branson, MO 65616

\$95 studio, 1-4 people
\$101 1 bedroom, 1-4 people
\$167 2 bedrooms, 2-6 people

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, indoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, pets allowed with \$100 one-time fee. Complimentary reception Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Full hot breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 1 mile

Thousand Hills Resort

417-243-2245

877-262-0430

thousandhills.com

245 S. Wildwood Drive

Branson, MO 65616

\$106 1-bedroom condo, 1-4 people
\$133 2-bedroom condo, 2-6 people
\$185 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people
\$230 4-bedroom condo, 2-8 people
\$110 1-bedroom cabin
\$140 2-bedroom cabin
\$180 2-bedroom cabin, plus loft

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, indoor pool, king or queen beds, suites, free Wi-Fi, elevator (at some locations).

Additional information: Condos and cabins have mid-week maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: 1 mile



ESTES PARK, COLORADO



The town of Estes Park is the gateway to one of the most spectacular national parks in the United States, Rocky Mountain National Park. The numerous elk, both in town and surrounding areas, add a millennial atmosphere.

Downtown Estes Park is rather quaint, with many shops and a variety of restaurants along the main street and scattered throughout the area.

Trail Ridge Road, the main route into the national park, tops out at over 12,000 feet and offers spectacular views. It is the highest paved through road in the country. The alternate route is Old Fall River Road. It's a one-way (from bottom to top) and unpaved road, but it's easily driven in a passenger car. It terminates at the high elevation visitor center, and you can then return to town via Trail Ridge Road.

The elevation of Estes Park is moderate for Colorado resorts, just 7,500 feet. Our host hotel is the Rocky Mountain Park Inn. Meeting space is more than adequate for the approximately 300 people we are expecting. Larger accommodations with kitchens, such as condos, cabins and houses, are plentiful. And there are some more moderately priced motels.

From the Denver International Airport, you can expect a driving time of about two hours, perhaps a little less. The fastest route uses Highways 66 and 36. An alternate is Highway 34 up the scenic Big Thompson Canyon, which takes about 45 minutes from Loveland.

Snow is always possible at Feast time in the Colorado Rockies. Come prepared for both cold and moderate weather.

All in all, Estes Park offers a great deal for the 2017 Feast of Tabernacles!

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: 10.55 percent.

Closest airport: Denver (DEN), 76 miles.

Larry Neff

Housing in Estes Park is expensive and good values are hard to find. On the other hand, there is an abundance of housing and decent rates can be found. Generally speaking the best quality per dollar lies with property management companies like Ponderosa. Because many establishments will not provide a discount or give a room block, our list of available housing is not as complete as we would like it to be. If you are not able to find suitable housing and would like some assistance or direction, feel free to contact Larry Neff by phone (719-495-3550) or by email (larry.neff@cogwa.org). He may be able to direct you toward some suitable options.

Alpine Trail Ridge Inn

970-586-4585
alpinetrailridgeinn.com
927 Moraine Ave.
Estes Park, CO 80517

\$89 room, 1-2 people
\$149 suite, 1-2 people
\$15 extra person

Note: Use **code 102017** to receive the \$89 rate for online reservations. A one-night deposit is required within 10 days to hold any room. Deposit will be refunded in full, less a \$25 cancellation fee, if reservation is canceled 14 days before check-in.

Amenities: Restaurants on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities adjacent, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, refrigerator, microwave, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, children 12 and under stay free.

Distance from meeting hall: 4.2 miles

Rocky Mountain Park Inn

970-586-3776
844-744-5525
rockymountainparkinn.com
101 S. Saint Vrain Ave.
Estes Park, CO 80517

\$139 1-2 people (Sunday through Thursday)
\$209 1-2 people (Friday and Saturday)
\$10 extra adult

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent (open for breakfast and dinner only), laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, indoor pool, king or double beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, children under 18 are free.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site

Ponderosa Realty & Management

970-586-6500
ponderosainc.com
1751 N. Lake Ave. #104
Estes Park, CO 80517

This is a property management company with various homes, condos, cabins and townhomes, beginning at \$700 per week (minus 5% discount for the Church; pro-rated for extra days). Information about the properties is online; there are no brochures. Please note the deposit requirements on the website. You should make reservations online and make an online notation that you are with the Church so you can receive the 5% discount. Deposits may not be made online so you would need to call to confirm your reservation with a credit card. (You can also make your deposit by sending a check via the postal service.) Since all units are available to the general public, we recommend you secure your reservation as early as possible.

Discovery Lodge

970-586-3336
estesdiscoverylodge.com
800 Big Thompson Ave.
Estes Park, CO 80517

\$79 flat rate, 1-2 people

Note: Credit card number required upon reservation. Nothing will be charged if reservation is canceled at least two days before check-in.

Amenities: Pets allowed with \$15 per day fee, hot tub, queen beds, suites, refrigerator, microwave (upon request).

Distance from meeting hall: 0.9 mile



KOHALA COAST, HAWAII



We will be returning to the Big Island of Hawaii this year for the Feast, meeting at the Fairmont Orchid, a hotel and resort about a half hour north of the city of Kona. This has been a very popular area, and this year will be our third Feast on the Big Island.

This area north of Kona, on the west side of the largest of the Hawaiian Islands, is the world-famous Kohala Coast. The Fairmont Orchid will be a new property for us in 2017. The hotel we used previously is undergoing major renovations, and much of it will be closed during October. The new hotel is a few miles south of the hotel we used previously.

The Fairmont Orchid hotel and resort is located on over 33 acres of lush, tropical oceanfront grounds that include not only the resort with seven restaurants, but also a private beach, two championship golf courses, a fitness center, spa, 10 tennis courts, pools, gardens and coastal hiking trails through a historical park.

We are expecting between 300 and 400 to attend the Feast on the Big Island this year. All of our services and meetings will be held in the ballroom at the resort, where we have reserved a large block of rooms at deeply discounted rates.

The hotel is offering us complimentary meeting space for our services and activities if most attendees stay at the hotel. Those staying at the hotel will help save the Church thousands of dollars in rental fees, and we appreciate your support in reserving rooms and staying at the hotel during the Feast.

There is plenty to do and see on the Big Island. Of course, sightseeing, shopping, fine dining, ocean water sports and beaches abound. Organized Feast activities will include Family Day on the beach, a teen pool party, a young adults' kayaking and snorkeling excursion, a family sailing and snorkeling adventure, and a traditional Hawaiian luau.

You will find plenty of helpful information and pictures on our Facebook page, *Feast of Tabernacles 2017 Kohala Coast*. We look forward to seeing you on the Big Island! Aloha!

Fragrance-controlled room available: No.

Tax rate for accommodations: 13.4 percent.

Closest airport: Kona (KOA), 22 miles.

David Register

Staying at the Fairmont Orchid hotel and resort helps the Church receive complimentary meeting space and resort discounts. Thank you for helping us out by reserving rooms at the hotel!

Additional housing, including condominiums and homes, may be available in the area. However, these are all privately owned, and we are unable to negotiate reduced group rates. If you would like additional information on housing options, you may contact the Festival coordinator, David Register, at david.register@cogwa.org.

Fairmont Orchid Hotel

800-257-7544

808-885-2000

808-885-8886 fax

www.fairmont.com/orchid-hawaii

1 North Kaniku Drive

Kohala Coast, HI 96743

\$185 garden-view hotel room, 1-2 adults or 2 adults and 2 children

\$205 partial ocean-view room, 1-2 adults or 2 adults and 2 children

\$230 ocean-view room, 1-2 adults or 2 adults and 2 children

Amenities: Restaurants on premise, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, mini-refrigerator, coffeemaker, elevator, free Wi-Fi, online reservations.

Additional information: Self-parking is free; Wi-Fi is free for registered guests; children 5 and under eat free, and children 6-12 get 50% off with a paying adult; and there is a 10% discount at restaurants within the resort and at the spa. Daily resort fee (\$30) is waived for all COGWA guests staying at the hotel. Fee for rollaway bed (request when making reservations) is \$25 per day. One-time portage fee is \$8.50 per person. Room tax is 13.4%.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site



LAKE HARMONY, PENNSYLVANIA



We're expecting 2017 to be another successful year at the Lake Harmony, Pennsylvania, Feast site. Additional improvements upon last year's renovations of the ballroom meeting hall are planned.

Split Rock's Galleria hotel offers economical, cabin-like hotel rooms, as well as one- and two-bedroom suites with kitchenettes. Also, just one mile away, all of the Willowbrook suites have full kitchens. Additionally, Willowbrook "two-bedroom" suites are actually two adjoining suites, providing two full kitchens and a fireplace (switch-controlled).

There will be *free* one-day water park passes—the first 150 water park passes are free for those staying at Split Rock Resort (Galleria, Willowbrook and Historic Lodge) and discounted for Feastgoers staying elsewhere.

We're pleased to announce our *first* New York City tour! On Sunday, Oct. 8, a tour guide will board our coach bus (for our convenience), as we view notable sites, such as the 9/11 Memorial, Times Square and more (details are forthcoming). Also, on Monday, Oct. 9, COGWA has seats reserved for the showing of [Jonah](#) (Sight & Sound Millennium Theatre, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania).

Additional indoor resort activities include an indoor pool, arcade, bowling, fitness center, basketball, tennis and billiards. Several good restaurants are located in surrounding communities. Family attractions include the nearby historic town of Jim Thorpe, Amish Country in Lancaster County and more.

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: 6-9 percent.

Closest airports: Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (AVP), 32 miles; Allentown/Lehigh Valley (ABE), 45 miles; Trenton, New Jersey (TTN), 105 miles; Philadelphia (PHL), 131 miles.

Kevin Epps

Split Rock Resort Galleria (main hall)

570-722-9111
 800-255-7625
 570-722-2999 fax
splitrockresort.com
 100 Moseywood Road
 Lake Harmony, PA 18624

- \$99 1-bedroom suite (slope side/mini deluxe; long walk to elevators)
- \$142 2-bedroom interior suite (skylight, but no exterior windows)
- \$169 2-bedroom suite (exterior)

Note: Rates apply three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Restaurant, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, refrigerator, microwave, indoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, coffeemaker, ironing board, kitchen/kitchenette (except the mini deluxe, which has knee-high refrigerator, but no microwave or kitchenette).

Distance from meeting hall: on-site

Split Rock Resort (Willowbrook Suites)

570-722-9111
 800-255-7625
 570-722-2999 fax
splitrockresort.com
 100 Moseywood Road
 Lake Harmony, PA 18624

- \$128 1-bedroom suite, 1-4 people
- \$169 2-bedroom suite, 2-8 people

Note: Rates apply three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, hallway laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, queen beds, sofa sleeper, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, fully equipped kitchen/kitchenette, coffeemaker, ironing board, Jacuzzi/air-jet tub, gas fireplace, balcony/patio, some units within walking distance, shuttle to the main hall available.

Distance from meeting hall: 1 mile

Split Rock Resort (Historic Lodge – Lake Side/Garden Side)

570-722-9111
 800-255-7625
 570-722-2999 fax
splitrockresort.com
 100 Moseywood Road
 Lake Harmony, PA 18624

- \$96 standard room, 2 queen beds

Note: Rates apply three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, steep grades or many steps, lakefront or garden view, indoor pool, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, coffeemaker, ironing board, full- or medium-sized refrigerator in each room, complimentary coffee in the morning, shuttle to the main hall available. No elevator.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.75 mile

Econo Lodge Inn and Suites

570-443-0391
 570-443-7542 fax
choicehotels.com/pennsylvania/white-haven/econo-lodge-hotels/pa375
 Rt. 940, HC1 Box 35
 White Haven, PA 18661

- \$60 1 bed, 1-2 adults
- \$65 2 beds, 1-2 adults
- \$10 extra adult
- free children 17 and under

Note: Rates apply three nights before and after the Feast. For reservations, call Amy at the front desk number—570-443-0391.

Amenities: Equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi. Each room has a kitchenette with a small refrigerator, microwave, stove and coffeemaker, but no utensils, dinnerware or cookware. Continental breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 3 miles



NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS



New Braunfels is a small town of approximately 60,000 people, located in the hill country of Texas, just 30 miles northeast of downtown San Antonio. Its German heritage is evident in the city's history, culture and cuisine.

Services will be held in the New Braunfels Convention Center, where we will have exclusive use of this beautiful facility throughout the Feast. Complimentary coffee and tea will be provided every morning prior to services. Anticipated attendance is 350.

Many recreational opportunities in New Braunfels include water. Whether you're enjoying the famous Schlitterbahn Water Park and Resort, wakeboarding without a boat at the Texas Ski Ranch, floating one of the rivers, or swimming in the largest spring-fed pool in Texas—there are plenty of ways to get wet!

For those interested in history, there are seven museums to visit and the historic district of Gruene (a district within the city of New Braunfels) to explore. And for dining, there are many restaurants nearby where visitors can sample German dishes, Texas barbecue and contemporary fare.

If you'd like to venture beyond the local area, San Antonio is just 30 miles south on Interstate 35. There you can tour the historic Alamo, wander the River Walk, go up the Tower of the Americas, visit SeaWorld and enjoy the Six Flags Fiesta Texas theme park.

The nearest major airport is located in San Antonio. The average high temperature in New Braunfels in October is 81 degrees.

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: 13 percent.

Closest airports: San Antonio (SAT), 30 miles; Austin (AUS), 55 miles.

David Treybig

Candlewood Suites

830-387-4014
830-627-9537 fax
ihg.com/candlewood/hotels/us/en/reservation
1471 IH 35 North
New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$89 1 king bed
\$89 1 or 2 queen beds

Note: Rates available three nights before and after the Feast. Cancellation policy: Deposit refunded in full if canceled one day before check-in.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, linen changed once during stay, pets allowed with \$25 one-time fee.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Courtyard New Braunfels River Village

830-769-8380 (Code: COG)
830-626-4701 fax
marriott.com/hotels/travel/satnb-courtyard-new-braunfels-river-village/
750 IH 35 North
New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$112 Run of house

Note: Rooms based on availability. Rates available three nights before and after the Feast. Cancellation policy: one night's cost if not notified three days before check-in. Use the reservation **code "COG"** when calling, or book online at our specific link: cwp.marriott.com/satbf/churchofgod.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, waterfront, outdoor pool, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi. Excellent value on the Guadalupe River.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Fairfield Inn & Suites

830-626-3133
marriott.com/hotels/travel/satbf-fairfield-inn-and-suites-new-braunfels
1465 IH 35 North
New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$99 1 king bed
\$99 2 queen beds

Note: Rates available three nights before and after the Feast. Use the reservation **code "COG"** when calling, or book online at our specific link: cwp.marriott.com/satbf/churchofgod. Cancellation policy: one night's cost if not notified three days before check-in

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, hot breakfast included. Nicely maintained property.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Holiday Inn Express

830-626-1234
830-626-1235 fax
ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels
1436 N. Business IH 35
New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$99.95 1 king bed
\$99.95 2 double beds

Note: Rates available three nights before and after the Feast. Cancellation policy: Deposit refunded in full if canceled two days before check-in.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, hot breakfast included. New hotel, just opened in February 2016.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham New Braunfels

830-557-4409
830-387-3018 fax
wyndhamhotels.com/microtel/new-braunfels-texas/microtel-inn-and-suites-new-braunfels/overview
1175 N. Business IH 35
New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$59 1 queen bed
\$59 2 queen beds, 2 adults plus children, age 14 and under
\$10 extra adult

Note: Rates available three nights before and after the Feast. Cancellation policy: one night's cost if not notified three days before check-in.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, queen beds only, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, continental breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

New Braunfels Leasing & Property Management

830-643-0656
830-643-0658 fax
newbraunfelsresorts.com
471 Main Plaza, Suite B
New Braunfels, TX 78254

\$100 1-bedroom condo/home, 1-4 people
\$125 2-bedroom condo/home, 2-6 people
\$150 3-bedroom condo/home, 2-8 people
\$85 cleaning fee for 1 bedroom
\$95 cleaning fee for 2 bedrooms
\$105 cleaning fee for 3 bedrooms

Note: Reservation fee of \$30. Deposit of \$250 required with reservation. Balance due two weeks prior. If canceled up to 14 days before check-in, deposit will be refunded, less \$75 cancellation fee.

Distance from meeting hall: varies

Ramada New Braunfels

830-625-8017

830-625-3131 fax

ramada.com

1051 IH 35 East

New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$45 king or queen or 2 doubles, 1-4 people

Note: Rates available three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets under 25 pounds allowed with \$25 one-time fee, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, microwave and refrigerator available (must request), hot breakfast buffet (with turkey sausage and eggs) included. Excellent value.

Distance from meeting hall: 3 miles**River Run Condos**

830-629-0077

830-629-0712 fax

rrcondos.com

500 N. Market Street

New Braunfels, TX 78130

\$650	1-bedroom condo, 1-4 people
\$800	2-bedroom condo, 2-6 people
\$875	larger 2-bedroom condo, 2-6 people
\$950	3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people
\$80	cleaning fee for 1 bedroom
\$90 or \$95	cleaning fee for 2 bedrooms
\$100	cleaning fee for 3 bedrooms

Note: Prices for eight-night stay and seven-night minimum.

Deposit of \$250 required at booking. Deposit less \$100 is refunded if a reservation is canceled up to 14 days before check-in. Cancellation less than 14 days before check-in results in loss of deposit.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, waterfront, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, no maid service, online reservations.

Distance from meeting hall: 1 mile



ORANGE BEACH, ALABAMA



Serving the southeastern area of the United States, we will again be hosting this year's Feast of Tabernacles at beautiful Orange Beach, Alabama. Orange Beach is a family-friendly location, with beautiful, white-sand beaches if you want to stay on the coast—or a quaint marina with sailboats in a secluded harbor if you prefer staying a bit inland.

The housing will again be a mixture of hotels and condos. Since this year's Feast falls earlier in the calendar year, we will be finishing up the Feast just as the area's annual shrimp festival is getting started. We have secured good rates, but they may be a bit higher than last year, so pay attention as you make housing arrangements.

Services will be held in the Orange Beach Event Center, located in the Wharf district. The Wharf has many fine restaurants, shopping, a marina and lots of outdoor activities for the whole family. Many area restaurants are now catering to our dietary requirements, so look for those establishments when you arrive.

There are multiple beach locations—stretching across several miles—that allow for parasailing, diving, deep-sea fishing, glass-bottom boats, dolphin tours, beach volleyball and a host of other Gulf-related activities. If your interest isn't beautiful white sand, then just minutes from the beach are kayaking, canoeing, golfing, sailing and several theme parks for the young at heart.

If your plans call for a beach venue for this year's Feast of Tabernacles, we welcome you to Orange Beach, Alabama!

Fragrance-controlled room available: No.

Tax rate for accommodations: 11 percent. (Be sure to read details on each property listed in the housing information. Some Orange Beach accommodations include taxes and fees in their rates.)

Closest airports: Pensacola, Florida (PNS), 36 miles; Mobile, Alabama (MOB), 66 miles.

Phillip Sandilands

Brett Robinson Gulf Corp. – Phoenix Apartments

888-633-7101

brett-robinson.com

3259 Gulf Shores Parkway

Orange Beach, AL 36547

Phoenix I and II (24132 Perdido Beach Blvd.)

\$103.14 1-bedroom, 1-bath condo, 2-4 people

\$119.38 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo, 2-6 people

\$149.88 3-bedroom, 2-bath condo, 2-8 people

Phoenix West II (23450 Perdido Beach Blvd.)

\$254.27 3-bedroom, 4-bath condo, 2-8 people (Gulf front)

\$238.26 3-bedroom, 4-bath condo, 2-8 people (park view)

\$384.07 4-bedroom, 4.5-bath condo, 2-8 people (Gulf front)

\$375.57 4-bedroom, 4.5-bath condo, 2-8 people (park view)

Note: Rates apply Oct. 4-12. Days before or after will be offered at 10% off rack rate at time of booking. (You may also wish to consider the monthly rates—in many cases only 50-60% more than the rate for eight days—that are available for all but 4-bedroom condos.) The daily rate includes the group discount, but other taxes and fees apply. Reservations must be made by phone. (There is no online reservation for our group.) Give the following number when you call: **Group ID #1123427.**

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, waterfront, indoor pool (Phoenix West II only), outdoor pool, lazy river (Phoenix West II only), hot tub, sauna, fitness room, tennis courts, racquetball courts (Phoenix I and II only), king or queen beds, fully equipped kitchens, laundry facilities in unit, air-conditioning, elevator, equipped for handicapped, free Wi-Fi, no maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: Varies

Caribe

251-980-9000

888-607-7020 toll-free

caribe-resort.net

28103 Perdido Beach Blvd.

Orange Beach, AL 36561

\$226.77 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo, 2-6 people

\$275.72 3-bedroom, 3-bath condo, 2-8 people

\$304.14 3-bedroom, 3.5-bath + media condo, 2-8 people

\$138.75 cleaning fee for 2-bedroom

\$160.95 cleaning fee for 3-bedroom

\$177.60 cleaning fee for 3-bedroom

Note: Stay seven nights and get the eighth night free. All taxes and fees are included. Rates also apply three nights before and after the Feast. There is a one-time reservation charge of \$50. (You may also wish to consider the monthly rate, which is equal to the rate of only 9-10 nights.)

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, waterfront, indoor pool, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, no maid service, online reservations.

Distance from meeting hall: 7 miles

Harris Properties – Orange Beach Villas

251-948-3018

877-446-4853 toll-free

ourgulfshoresvacation.com

P.O. Box 6716

Gulf Shores, AL 36547

\$97.59-\$108.43 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people

\$125 cleaning fee

\$39 accidental damage waiver

Note: Rates apply two nights before and after the Feast. Rates include nightly rate, taxes and fees. There is a \$30 processing fee, which can be waived if guests pay with an e-check.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, pets allowed with \$75 one-time fee (maximum two pets), outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, no maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Kaiser Realty by Wyndham Vacation Rentals

251-968-6868

800-225-4853 toll-free

251-968-4668 fax

kaiserrealty.com

1557 Gulf Shores Parkway

Gulf Shores, AL 36542

\$83-\$147 1-bedroom condo, 1-4 people

\$79-\$239 2-bedroom condo, 2-6 people

\$105-\$301 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people

\$98-\$399 1-4 bedroom home

Note: Rates apply two nights before and after the Feast. Rates do not include taxes, fees or parking pass. To make reservations, call Kaiser's 800 number.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, waterfront, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, no maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: varies

Microtel Inn and Suites

251-967-3000

microtel.com

3600 Gulf Shores Parkway

Gulf Shores, AL 36542

\$49 standard, 1 queen bed, 1-2 people

\$49 standard, 2 queen beds, 2-4 people

Note: Rates apply two nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, continental breakfast.

Distance from meeting hall: 6 miles

SpringHill Suites

251-981-7882
888-236-2427 toll-free
251-943-6650 fax
marriott.com/pnsor
4673 Wharf Parkway West
Orange Beach, AL 36561

\$99 double queen suite, 2-4 people
\$99 king suite, 1-2 people

Note: Rates apply two nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, waterfront, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, continental breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: adjacent

Young's Suncoast – The Wharf

251-968-2839
251-968-5139 fax
youngssuncoast.com
23101 Canal Drive
Orange Beach, AL 36561

\$150.36 1-bedroom, 1-bath condo, 1-4 people
\$183.83 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo, 2-6 people
\$224.32 3-bedroom, 3-bath condo, 2-8 people

Note: Rates are available two nights before and after the Feast. Reservation policy: \$89 nonrefundable deposit due at time of registration. Balance due 30 days prior to arrival. Monthly rates available upon request.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, waterfront, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, no maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.3 mile

Young's Suncoast – Orange Beach Villas

251-968-2839
251-968-5139 fax
youngssuncoast.com
Lindsey Lane
Orange Beach, AL 36561

\$141.55 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people
\$160.30 3-bedroom condo (with pet fee), 2-8 people

Note: Rates are available two nights before and after the Feast. Reservation policy: \$89 nonrefundable deposit due at time of registration. Balance due 60 days prior to arrival. Monthly rates available upon request.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, no maid service.

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles



PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE



Nestled in the foothills of the Smoky Mountains, Pigeon Forge, Tennessee, is known as one of the top family vacation destinations in the country. If you enjoy the outdoors, there is much for you. The Feast of Tabernacles takes place during the time when fall colors are in full array, and the area's natural beauty brings out the outdoorsman in everyone. If you enjoy quality family time, good family entertainment, a wide selection of restaurants and plenty of shopping, you will love Pigeon Forge.

Although the area is known for its many crafts stores, wonderful musicians and countless go-kart tracks and miniature golf courses, it also boasts one of the most active, well-represented outlet malls in the entire country. Additionally, in neighboring Gatlinburg you and your family can take in the beautiful Ripley's Aquarium of the Smokies. We are planning to put together a well-balanced activity schedule sure to interest all tastes.

Housing consists of a variety of motel rooms, with many offering a full breakfast in the rate. And, of course, there are also beautiful 1- to 4-bedroom condos or—for those with extended families wanting to share—there are large chalets and cabins that sleep up to 30! Housing prices begin at \$70 per night and go up from there. This is also an area with several campgrounds for those who might enjoy camping during the Feast.

Pigeon Forge is easily traveled. There is a divided highway through the middle of the town. The Smoky Mountain Conference Center has free parking and has no steps, so it is also easily accessible for everyone. Hope to see you in Pigeon Forge.

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: 12.25 percent.

Closest airports: Knoxville (TYS), 36 miles; Nashville (BNA), 208 miles.

Mark Winner

The five Smoky Mountain Resort properties (The Summitt, Creekstone Inn, Ramada Inn, Rivers Landing and Resort at Governor's Crossing) are tied in with the convention center where we will be holding services. Each room we book with one of these properties lowers the cost of the hall rental for the Pigeon Forge Feast site.

We want you to select the housing that best suits your family, whether it is a part of this group or not; however, we did want you to know how these particular properties are tied together and how booking your accommodations with them can benefit the Church. If you can't find what you need or desire from our list, you can find additional condo housing by doing your own online search. There are endless housing options in the Pigeon Forge area.

All Season Suites

865-908-3011

allseasonsuites.com

239 Dollywood Lane

Pigeon Forge, TN 37863

\$97 1-bedroom suite

\$135 2-bedroom suite

Amenities: Full hot breakfast, elevator, laundry facilities, shopping nearby, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, refrigerator and stove top in each suite, heated outdoor pool and in-room safe.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.5 mile

The Summitt (same address as Country Cascades)

800-523-3919

countrycascades.com

204 Sharon Drive

Pigeon Forge, TN 37863

\$124 flat rate, suites

Note: This is a brand-new property built in 2017.

Amenities: Full hot breakfast, shopping nearby, elevator, laundry facilities, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, refrigerator and microwave, indoor and outdoor pools. Jacuzzi suites available. Online booking: tinyurl.com/SMCCPigeonForge

Distance from meeting hall: 2 miles

Creekstone Inn & Rivers Landing

800-523-3919

thecreekstoneinn.com

4034 S. River Road

Pigeon Forge, TN 37863

\$75-\$118 2 queen beds; 2 king beds; 2 king beds with kitchenette

Amenities: Kitchenettes available, suites, continental breakfast included, elevator, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, king or queen beds, online reservations, shopping nearby, in-room safe, outdoor pool. Waterfront property with private balconies. Online booking: tinyurl.com/SMCCPigeonForge

Distance from meeting hall: 0.3 mile

Ramada Inn

800-523-3919

ramadapigeonforge.com

4010 Parkway

Pigeon Forge, TN 37863

\$75 2 queen beds

\$139 3 queen beds suite

\$161 4 queen beds suite

Amenities: New elevator (2016), new carpet and bedding (2017), full hot breakfast, heated outdoor pool, poolside hot tub, pets allowed, air-conditioning, free high-speed Internet, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, online reservations, shopping nearby. Within walking distance from meeting hall. Many rooms are ground-floor level. Online booking: tinyurl.com/SMCCPigeonForge

Distance from meeting hall: next door

Resort at Governor's Crossing

800-523-3919

governorscrossing.net

225 Collier Drive

Sevierville, TN 37862

\$134 condo, up to 4 people

\$205 condo, up to 6 people

Amenities: Full kitchen, elevator, laundry facilities, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, refrigerator and microwave, indoor water park, shopping nearby. Indoor waterpark included. Online booking: tinyurl.com/SMCCPigeonForge

Distance from meeting hall: 4 miles

River Stone Resort & Spa

865-908-0660

866-908-0660

riverstoneresort.com

212 Dollywood Lane

Pigeon Forge, TN 37863

\$167 1-bedroom/1-bathroom condo

\$215 2-bedroom/2-bathroom condo

\$239 3-bedroom/2-bathroom condo

\$349 4-bedroom/4-bathroom condo

Note: A departure cleaning fee is also required:

\$40 + tax 1-bedroom

\$60 + tax 2-bedroom

\$70 + tax 3-bedroom

\$95 + tax 4-bedroom

Amenities: Full kitchen, elevator, laundry facilities, air-conditioning, free Wi-Fi, equipped for handicapped, king or queen beds, pets allowed, shopping nearby, indoor pool and online reservations.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.5 mile



REDMOND, OREGON



Our Pacific Northwest Feast of Tabernacles site for 2017 will return to Redmond—the “crossroads of central Oregon.” Redmond is located approximately 150 miles from the Portland International Airport.

We will be utilizing the Eagle Crest Resort for our Feast of Tabernacles services as well as a number of other activities. The Eagle Crest Resort is located just a few miles outside the actual town of Redmond. The resort will also serve as our primary housing locale with a variety of different housing options. The spacious ballroom-style meeting facility at Eagle Crest will serve as our meeting hall for daily services.

The area has a wide variety of outdoor activities. Hiking trails are in abundance in the area, as well as in the Cascade Mountains, located just 30 minutes away. Several picturesque lakes are located nearby, as well as the Deschutes River if you enjoy fishing.

If you are looking for a unique experience, take a 20-minute drive to the western-themed town of Sisters. Antique shops, one-of-a-kind stores and restaurants make for an interesting afternoon visit to this quaint town. You can also find restaurants and shopping in the town of Redmond or a little farther down the road in Bend. The area has a variety of antique and boutique-style shops and restaurants for all budgets.

If you are looking for a laid-back, slower-paced, country Feast site, come keep the Feast in Redmond this year.

Fragrance-controlled room available: No.

Tax rate for accommodations: 10 to 16 percent.

Closest airports: Redmond (RDM), 8 miles; Portland (PDX), 150 miles.

Jon Pinelli

Eagle Crest Resort

541-923-9644

877-790-6271

eagle-crest.com

1522 Cline Falls Road

Redmond, OR 97756

\$99 2 queen beds, 1-4 people

\$109 1-bedroom suite, 1-4 people

\$149 2-bedroom condo, 2-6 people

\$179 3-bedroom condo, 2-8 people

Note: When calling, identify yourself as being with "COGWA." Rates available one night before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, air-conditioning, suites, elevator.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site

Comfort Suites

541-504-8900

541-504-1316 fax

comfordsuites.com

2243 SW Yew Avenue

Redmond, OR 97756

\$99 2 queen beds, 1-4 people

Note: When calling, identify yourself as being with "COGWA."

Amenities: Restaurants on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, indoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free Wi-Fi, hot breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 7 miles

Super 8

541-548-8881

541-504-8318 fax

wyndhamhotels.com/super-8/redmond-oregon/super-8-redmond/overview

3629 SW 21st Place

Redmond, OR 97756

\$70 2 beds, 1-4 people

\$6 extra person

Note: When calling, identify yourself as being with "COGWA."

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, indoor pool, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, breakfast bar included.

Distance from meeting hall: 7 miles

Motel 6

541-923-2100

541-548-2122 fax

motel6.com

2247 S. Highway 97

Redmond, OR 97756

\$59.82 1 bed, 1-2 people

\$73.29 2 beds, 2-4 people

Note: When calling, identify yourself as being with "COGWA." Tax included in rates.

Amenities: Restaurants on premises or adjacent, air-conditioning, elevator.

Distance from meeting hall: 6.8 miles



SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA



San Diego, the jewel of Southern California, will again be one of our sites for this year's Feast of Tabernacles. San Diego is a top travel destination and has a year-round climate that attracts many visitors.

This year we will be meeting at the Crowne Plaza for all services during the Feast. The resort is located on Hotel Circle and is just one mile from Old Town San Diego and 3 miles or less to Mission Bay, Sea World and other attractions. The Crowne Plaza is beautifully landscaped with a Hawaiian theme, and the hotel has seen many upgrades in the last year. We are expecting about 350 in attendance.

The hotel has offered us a \$10 discount off the normal parking rate, charging only \$3 per day for hotel guests and \$5 per day for members staying off-site and coming to the venue each day for services. Those staying off-site can purchase a guest parking pass at the Crowne Plaza's front office for easy access to parking each day. This full-service hotel also has a restaurant, coffee/sandwich shop, sushi bar in the evenings, lounge, gift shop, exercise room, business center, on-site guest laundry, large outdoor heated swimming pool and whirlpool/hot tub.

We appreciate attendees' staying at the Crowne Plaza, since that will reduce our cost for a wonderful meeting space. The hotel has given us a reduced rate and offers complimentary Internet, in-room refrigerators and microwaves. There are numerous restaurants and shopping facilities within 1 to 2 miles of the hotel. Other nearby hotels and vacation rentals will be available. Some of these housing properties are within walking distance.

Planned activities will include a family dance, seniors' luncheon, teen and young adult activities, a golf tournament and more.

Local activities are plentiful, with snorkeling, surfing, kayaking, paddleboarding, deep-sea fishing, whale and dolphin watching, dinner or harbor cruises, wineries, mountain biking, golfing, scuba diving, tide pools, shopping and more. San Diego is also host to a wide variety of restaurants and fine dining.

Fragrance-controlled room available: No.

Tax rate for accommodations: 12.7 percent.

Closest airports: San Diego (SAN), 5.7 miles; Orange County (SNA), 82 miles.

Paul Carter

Bluewater Vacation Homes

800-243-3588
858-408-3247 fax
bluewatervacationhomes.com
926 Turquoise St., Suite F
San Diego, CA 92109

10% off listed rate of less than \$250/night
15% off listed rate of \$250-\$350/night
20% off listed rate of more than \$350/night

Note: To receive discount, reservations must be made by calling the 800 number. Mention you are with COGWA or Church of God, a Worldwide Association. Discounts apply to online rates (subject to change). Discount applies only to fully managed properties, pending approval by Bluewater Vacation Homes. Must book before Aug. 15 to receive discount. Discounts are for 8 or more consecutive nights. See bluewatervacationhomes.com/rental-terms-and-conditions.htm for terms and cancellation policy.

Amenities: Bluewater is a rental agency that lists a variety of apartments, condos and homes, so amenities will vary. See their website to find a property that meets your needs. No security deposit is required.

Distance from meeting hall: varies

Candlewood Suites

619-299-3501
619-394-7882 fax
tinyurl.com/sandiegocandlewood
1335 Hotel Circle South
San Diego, CA 92108

\$99.99 1 king suite, 1-3 people
\$99.99 2 queens suite, 2-5 people
\$99.99 1 queen suite, 1-3 people

Note: For reservations, call the hotel directly—mention you are with COGWA or Church of God, a Worldwide Association, and ask for Tammy Yang. No penalty if reservation is canceled more than 24 hours before check-in. Price does not include applicable taxes. These rates are available three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Kitchen, laundry facilities, pets allowed (with fee), king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, fitness center, whirlpool, barbecues available, free Wi-Fi. Parking fee of \$8 per day.

Distance from meeting hall: 1.2 miles

Comfort Inn & Suites

619-881-6202
619-881-4701 fax
comfortinnzoo.com
2485 Hotel Circle Place
San Diego, CA 92108

\$95 2 queen beds and sofa, up to 6 people
\$105 family suite, up to 6 people

Note: When calling to make reservations, mention you are with COGWA or Church of God, a Worldwide Association. These rates are available three nights before and after the Feast. The deposit is refunded in full if reservation is canceled seven days before check-in.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, suites (mini fridge and microwave included; bunkbeds are available), air-conditioning, elevator, fitness room, free Wi-Fi, parking and hot breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.3 mile

Crowne Plaza San Diego

619-819-7141
888-233-9527
619-297-0555 fax
crowneplaza.com/sandiego
2270 Hotel Circle North
San Diego, CA 92108

\$110 single room, 1-4 people

Note: When calling to make reservations, please ask for the "Feast of Tabernacles 2017" rate. (Call-in hours are from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Eastern time.) To book online, go to: aws.passkey.com/e/49061556. All reservations must be made before Sept. 13, 2017. All individual reservations have a 48-hour cancellation policy. Information for 1-bedroom suites are available upon request.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed (\$75 deposit), outdoor pool, king or queen beds, refrigerator, coffeemaker, air-conditioning, suites (upon availability), elevator, free Wi-Fi, online reservations. Daily parking for guests is \$3 per day. Daily parking for members not staying at the Crowne Plaza \$5 per day.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site

Homewood Suites Hotel Circle

619-881-6800
619-295-6802 fax
hwsuitessandiego.com
2201 Hotel Circle South
San Diego, CA 92108

\$155 1 king bed, 1-2 people
\$165 2 queen beds, 2-4 people

Note: Reservations can be made online at tinyurl.com/homewoodsuitesCOG or by calling 800-225-5466 and referring to the **Group Name "Church of God Festival"** and the **Group Code "COG."** Rates are based on an eight-night-minimum stay. These rates are available three nights before and after the Feast. A \$200 deposit is required within 10 days of reservation to hold any room. Deposit refunded in full if reservation is canceled 30 days before check-in.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises or adjacent, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, suites (pull-out sofa included), elevator, free Wi-Fi, online reservations, evening receptions (Monday through Thursday), breakfast buffet included. Parking fee of \$8 per day.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.7 mile

Motel 6 Hotel Circle

619-296-1612
motel6.com

2424 Hotel Circle North
San Diego, CA 92108

\$69.99 flat rate, 1-4 people

Note: Rates are based on an eight-night minimum stay. Reservations must be made by calling 800-544-4866 and referring to **Group Number M001400431** by Sept. 4, 2017. Rates before and after the 8 days will vary depending on weekday or weekend rates.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed, outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free self-parking, next door to Crowne Plaza. Wi-Fi is available (\$2.99/24 hours basic; \$4.99/24 hours premium).

Distance from meeting hall: 0.1 mile

Residence Inn by Marriott

619-881-3600

residenceinn.marriott.com

1865 Hotel Circle South

San Diego, CA 92108

\$189 2-bedroom 1-bath suite (1 king bed and 2 queen beds), 2-6 people

\$249 2-bedroom 2-bath suite (1 king bed, 2 queen beds and pull-out couch), 2-8 people

Note: Rates are based on an eight-night minimum stay. When calling to make reservations, mention you are with COGWA or Church of God, a Worldwide Association. To book online, go to: tinyurl.com/sandiegoresidenceinn. These rates are available three nights before and after the Feast.

Amenities: Shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, pets allowed, outdoor pool, fitness center, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, suites (full kitchens), free Wi-Fi, online reservations, evening receptions (Monday through Wednesday), breakfast buffet included. Parking fee of \$8 per day.

Distance from meeting hall: 0.3 mile



FORT MYERS,
FLORIDA



Fort Myers, Florida, is a limited-access satellite site for those who meet the criteria. After a very successful first year, it was an easy decision to return to Fort Myers. The beauty of the Gulf Coast of Florida, the many attractions for brethren to visit, and the excellent venue for accommodations and services made this a clear choice for 2017.

Services will be held at the Holiday Inn at the Gulf Coast Town Center, which is a beautiful property located on a lake. There are over 30 top-of-the-line restaurants at the Town Center for brethren to choose from. Most people may wish to stay at the Holiday Inn, where breakfast comes free with your room.

This area of southwest Florida offers many attractions. The Edison & Ford Winter Estates, which includes the Edison Botanic Research Laboratory and the Estates Museum, is nearby and open daily for tours. The causeway to Sanibel and Captiva Islands is 30 minutes away, and so is the bridge to the island of Fort Myers Beach. All have beautiful white-sand beaches. The very popular Naples, Florida, Zoo is 35 minutes away, and the western Everglades National Park's Ten Thousand Islands guided boat tour is just one hour away.

The temperatures in October should be in the low to mid-80s. We are expecting 200 or more at this site.

Fragrance-controlled room available: Yes.

Tax rate for accommodations: 11 percent.

Closest airport: Southwest Florida International Airport (RSW), 5 miles.

Jim Haeffele

Because Fort Myers is a satellite site, we are encouraging everyone to stay at the Holiday Inn, where services will be held. We have a room block there that we want to be sure and fill. If you have a need for a property with a kitchenette, please contact Jim Haeffele directly (jim.haeffele@cogwa.org). He can then verify you have registered for Fort Myers and give you the name of a nearby property that offers kitchenettes. Those staying at the Holiday Inn will receive a full buffet breakfast included at this special rate.

Holiday Inn Fort Myers Airport at Town Center

239-561-1550

hifmyersairport.com

9931 Interstate Commerce Drive

Fort Myers, FL 33913

\$109 1 king bed, 1-2 people

\$109 2 queen beds, 2-4 people

Note: You can make reservations online at tinyurl.com/FMHolidayInn or call 866-792-4969 and reference Church of God. You will need to provide a credit card to reserve the room. All rooms will be available to members unless otherwise booked.

Amenities: Restaurant on premises, shopping nearby, laundry facilities, equipped for handicapped, waterfront (lake), outdoor pool, king or queen beds, air-conditioning, elevator, free Wi-Fi, fridge, microwave, fitness center, full buffet breakfast included.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site



GREEN LAKE,
WISCONSIN



Green Lake, Wisconsin, is a limited-access satellite site for those who meet the criteria.

Brethren in the upper Midwest who find it difficult to make the drive to other sites will again have the opportunity to meet at a more local satellite Feast site. This year it will be at the Green Lake Conference Center.

This site will offer outstanding opportunities for extended fellowship, as well as an all-inclusive atmosphere. Most brethren will be able to stay in the same building where services are held. Our meeting room will be available all day for fellowship. Across the way is a nice cafeteria that serves three wonderful meals each day at a very affordable price. Brethren staying on-site will have the option of choosing between two meal options: breakfast, lunch and dinner, or just lunch and dinner. Green Lake Conference Center will work with individual meal requests, but anticipates that those staying on-site will take advantage of one of the meal plans.

Brethren attending in Green Lake will watch a webcast from one of the other Feast sites for services each day.

Green Lake provides a setting where brethren can go for a walk in the prairie, along the lake or on one of the trails of the 900-acre facility. It is a peaceful setting, allowing plenty of fellowship and activity options, but with limited distractions of the world. The lake itself is noted as the deepest lake in Wisconsin.

Fragrance-controlled room available: No.

Tax rate for accommodations: 0 percent. (Green Lake Conference Center is a nonprofit.)

Closest airports: Appleton (ATW), 52 miles; Madison (MSN), 66 miles.

Gary Black

Green Lake is an all-inclusive satellite site that includes housing and meals. Rooms are available in Bauer Lodge, a modern hotel with 64 rooms and suites, many with a lake view. Rooms accommodate up to four people and the two-room suites accommodate up to six people. Suites have a bedroom and a sitting room with microwave, refrigerator and coffeemaker. There is a lounge with fireplace, TV, microwave, refrigerator and coffee on the second and third floors. Services will be held in a meeting room on the first floor.

There are other types of housing available on campus. If none of the options at Bauer Lodge suits your needs, please contact Green Lake for additional options. Many descriptions are available on the GLCC website at glcc.org.

Green Lake Conference Center

920-294-3323
920-294-3686 fax
glcc.org
W2511 State Road 23
Green Lake, WI 54941

- \$80 2 queen beds, 1-4 people
- \$80 1 queen bed and 2 single beds, 1-4 people
- \$90 1 queen bed with a garden tub, 1-2 people
- \$90 queen/single suite, 1-6 people
- \$90 handicapped suite, 1-6 people

Cost* of full meal package (24 meals—breakfast, lunch and dinner):

- \$280 per adult (aged 12 and up)
- \$192 per child (aged 6-11)
- free per child (aged 5 and under)

Cost* of lunch and dinner only package (16 meals):

- \$202 per adult (aged 12 and up)
- \$136 per child (aged 6-11)
- free per child (aged 5 and under)

*Not including 5.5% Wisconsin sales tax.

Note: Individual reservations can be made through Green Lake Conference Center Guest Services at 920-294-3323. Lodging should be reserved by Aug. 4, 2017.

Standard meal times:

- Breakfast: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.
- Lunch: noon to 1 p.m.
- Dinner: 5 to 6 p.m.

First meal will be dinner on Wednesday, Oct. 4; last meal will be lunch on Thursday, Oct. 12.

Amenities: Restaurants on premises, equipped for handicapped, queen beds, air-conditioning, suites, elevator, free parking.

Distance from meeting hall: on-site

International Feast Sites

AFRICA

Mugina, Burundi
Éséka, Cameroon
Man, Côte d'Ivoire
Kinshasa, Democratic
Republic of the Congo
Kumasi, Ghana
Nakuru, Kenya
Salima, Malawi
Flic-en-Flac, Mauritius
Benin City, Nigeria
Giti, Rwanda
Uvongo, South Africa
Kpalimé, Togo
Mapoko, Zambia
Bulawayo, Zimbabwe

ASIA/PACIFIC

Coffs Harbour, Australia
Pacific Harbour, Fiji
Kochi, India
Taupo, New Zealand
Bacolod City, Philippines

CARIBBEAN

St. Lawrence Gap,
Barbados
Grenada
Lethem, Guyana
Runaway Bay, Jamaica

EUROPE

Calais, France

LATIN AMERICA

Villa la Merced,
Argentina
Santa Cruz, Bolivia
Lican Ray, Chile
El Rodadero, Santa
Marta, Colombia
Antigua, Guatemala
San Miguel de Allende,
Mexico
Huanchaco, Peru

NORTH AMERICA

Orford, Québec

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