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Maumee Bay Lodge offers free wifi and guestrooms have either a patio or balcony, most with a Lake Erie view. There are many recreational activities available such as: basketball, volleyball, tennis, pickleball, golf, wally-ball, racquetball, geocaching, along with an indoor pool and game room. The lodge features a full service dining room, cocktail lounge, gift shop and several fireplace areas for networking and having casual conversations with colleagues and friends.

Maumee Bay Lodge and Conference Center

1750 State Park Road #2
Oregon, OH 43616

Sunrise on Lake Erie



GREAT LAKES CONFERENCE
OF THE EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH

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Fall Pastors Retreat

2024

Oct. 21st - 23rd

GREAT LAKES CONFERENCE

Fall Pastor Retreat
Spouses welcome

Maumee Bay Lodge
& Conference Center
1750 State Park Road #2
Oregon, OH 43616

Speaker: Sanetta Ponton

Pastor of Justice, Advocacy, and Compassion at Metro Community Church, in Englewood, New Jersey



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Sanetta Ponton



Sanetta Ponton is the Associate Pastor of Justice, Advocacy & Compassion at Metro Community Church in Englewood, New Jersey. Having grown up in Englewood, she is a proud graduate of the Englewood Public School District and has been blessed to receive degrees from Columbia University (BA), Harvard Law School (JD), and Duke Divinity School (M.Div.). It was in law school that God called her to ministry and she has been on a rollercoaster ride with God in formal ministry ever since. She has served in Houston, TX; Durham, NC; and even as far away as Kenya. In addition, she faithfully served in her home church, First Baptist Church of Englewood, for 6 years as an Associate and later Assistant Pastor before moving to Metro. Her heart beats for justice, equity in education, and to see the realization of the prayer, "thy kingdom come" and will speak to this during our time together.

Retreat Schedule

Monday, October 21st

3:00-5:00pm	Check-in
5:30pm	Dinner
7:00pm	Session 1
9:00pm	Fellowship

Tuesday, October 22nd

8:00am	Breakfast
9:00am	Session 2
12:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm	Free Time
6:00pm	Dinner
7:00pm	Session 3
9:00pm	Fellowship

Wednesday, October 23rd

8:00am	Breakfast
9:00am	Session 4
Noon	Head Home

Special note regarding the resort

Maumee Bay will be undergoing some renovation work during the time we are there, so they are offering the use of their deluxe cottages at no additional fee. There will be 16 2-bedroom cottages and two 4-bedroom cottages available to us. The cottages are down the road from the Lodge and are up to one mile away. These will be available on a **first come, first served basis**. So, if these cottages are something you are interested in, **please see the attached map and the specific cottage registration instructions.**

Registration

Registration includes lodging, all retreat sessions, and meals.

Rates:

Shared rm/cottage: \$270 per person or \$540 per couple
Single/private rm/cottage: \$430 per person

Register by Sept. 16th

Register on-line at www.greatlakes.cc
or mail in this form to:

Great Lakes Conference
21840 W. Nine Mile Rd.
Southfield, MI 48075

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Church: _____

I (we) would like a cottage:

Single/Private Rm/Cottage: \$ _____

*Shared Rm/Cottage: \$ _____

*Name of Roommate: _____

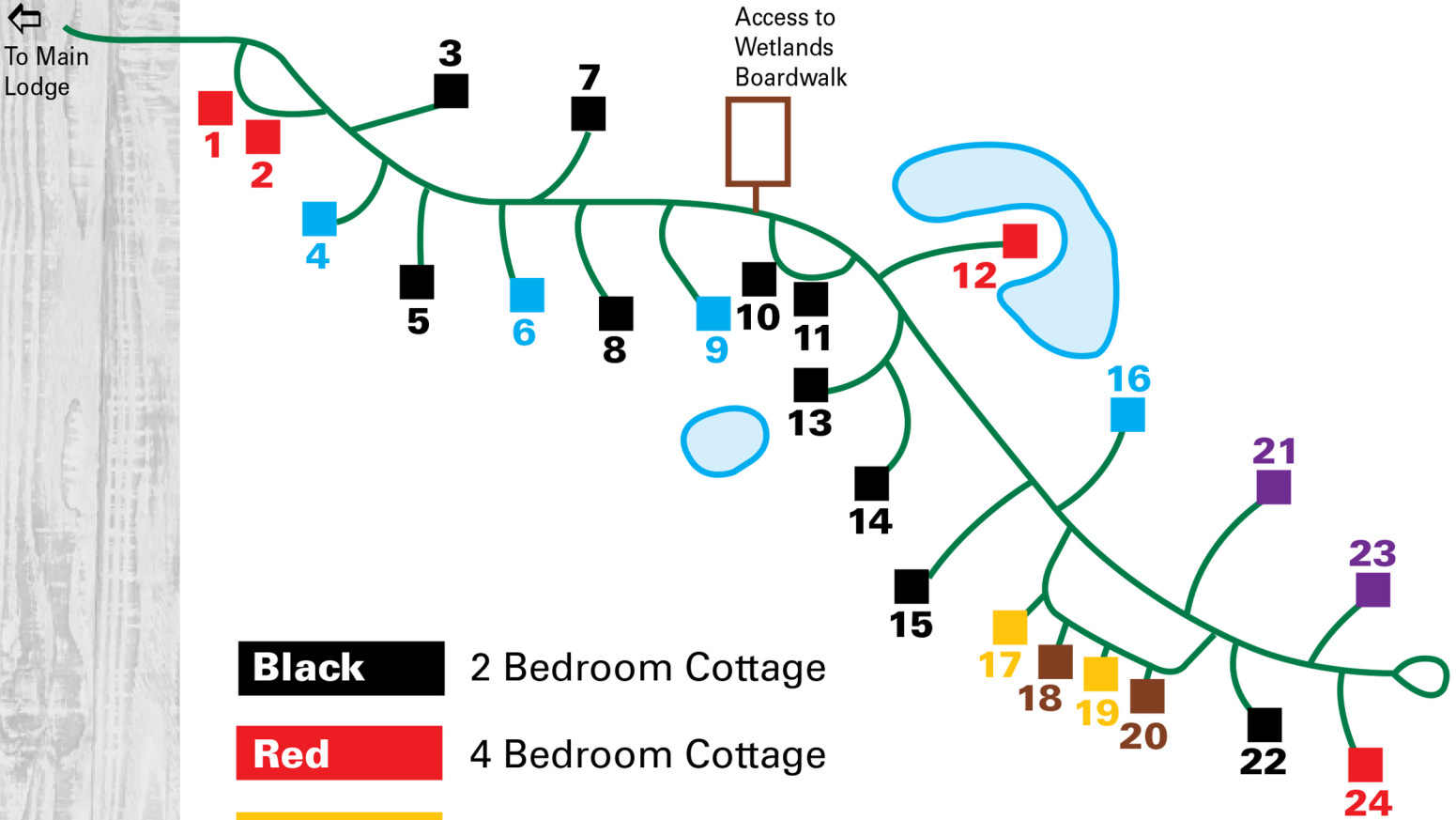
Instructions for reserving cottages

One wing of Maumee Bay Lodge will be undergoing some roof replacement while we are there. During the construction, those accommodations will be unavailable to us. We are instead receiving 2- and 4-bedroom cottages at the same price as the rooms in the lodge. The number of people expected to come to the retreat will require that we use all of the rooms/cottages that are available to us. The 2-bedroom cottages have one bathroom; maximum occupancy (for this retreat) will be either one couple or two people of the same gender and the minimum occupancy will be one person. In the 4-bedroom cottages with two bathrooms, the maximum occupancy will be two couples or four people of the same gender and the minimum occupancy will be three people. There are 16 2-bedroom cottages and two 4-bedroom cottages. Registration for the cottages will be on a first come first served basis. To register for a 2-bedroom cottage, indicate on the registration form that you would prefer a cottage. If a cottage is available when you register, one will be reserved for you. Otherwise, if a cottage is not available, a room in the lodge will be reserved for you. You will be notified as to which accommodation has been reserved for you. To register for a 4-bedroom cottage, call Peg Wolter at 248-921-8336 and she will email you the link for the online registration for a 4-bedroom cottage. Each couple or individual is responsible to register and pay for themselves, but you will need to know who will be sharing the cottage with you to start the cottage registration process.

Rates:

4-bedroom cabin
2 couples; \$370 per couple
4 individuals- \$185 each
3 individuals- \$215 each

COTTAGE MAP



- Black** 2 Bedroom Cottage
- Red** 4 Bedroom Cottage
- Yellow** Deluxe Cottage, ADA Roll-IN Showers
- Brown** Deluxe Cottage
- Purple** Pet Friendly 2 Bedroom Cottage
- Blue** 2 Bedroom Cottage – ADA but with a shower