

Clearwater Chrysalis

2018 Winter Women's Retreat
Friday, February 23 - Sunday, February 25



Listening for the Whisper of God

Keynote Speaker: The Reverend Denise Dunbar-Perkins

When we find ourselves at a crossroads in life, we tend to wait until that “big moment” appears before our eyes that guides us to making the absolutely, no holds barred, correct decision. When in fact, that moment of decision sometimes passes us by, because we may be focusing on the wrong type of message for guidance. Learn how to “be still” and listen in the “quiet” before moving forward.



Workshops

Cooking With the Bible ~ Prayer Flags ~ What's the Buzz About Bees?

Free time book discussion on *In a Pit with a Lion on a Snowy Day* by Mark Batterson

Saturday evening entertainment: Chrysalis Game Show!



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Speaker Bio

The Reverend Denise Dunbar-Perkins is a Minister of the Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church USA, currently serving at Abbott-Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis as a Board Certified Staff Chaplain. (soon to be retired).

She is one of the original founding members of Kwanzaa (now Liberty) Community Church PC (USA) in North Minneapolis, the only African American Presbyterian Church in Minnesota. In the last twenty-one years she has served locally, nationally and internationally as a speaker, teacher, preacher, workshop and retreat leader, and curriculum writer. She previously served as the Moderator of the local Presbytery and is a Parish Associate at Westminster, Minneapolis and Oak Grove Presbyterian Church.

Denise grew up on the south side of Chicago, the youngest of five siblings. She now resides in the St. Paul suburb of Inver Grove Heights. Denise is proud mother to Kuro Yuki, her three year old Shih tzu, along with four lovely granddaughters.

What Women Say about Chrysalis

"I like the time to relax and be on vacation; reconnecting again for another year and making new friends."

"In my heart I carry the truly loving and supportive community of women that is Chrysalis."

"I like the wonderful women, time to talk, small groups."



Save the dates for Summer Chrysalis August 16 - 19
Optional work day August 15

Our Mission

Clearwater Chrysalis is a balanced, faith-building program of Clearwater Forest. We welcome adult women from all Christian traditions. Our vision is to nourish and support the body, mind, and spirit in community with other women.

Fees, Registration, General Info

Fees for Chrysalis cover two nights housing, all meals, speaker presentations, most workshops, and more. Cost is \$150 or \$200, depending on housing choice. A \$75 deposit is required. All fees paid, minus the \$75 deposit, are refundable if a cancellation of registration occurs at least ten days prior to the event

First timers may be eligible for a discount.

REGISTER ONLINE

www.clearwaterforest.org

Or call the camp office at **(218) 678-2325** to register. You will receive registration confirmation and additional information via e-mail.

Register by February 8, 2018.

Scholarship funds are available through the Chrysalis Steering Committee. Contact the camp office at **(218) 678-2325**.

Housing for Winter Chrysalis is available in both lodges, and Osprey House.

Clearwater Forest is a regional program, retreat and conference center of the Presbyterian Church (USA). This beautiful setting near Brainerd, Minnesota, covers more than 1,000 acres of forest and includes 3-1/2 miles of lakefront, 10 miles of wooded trails, and majestic stone buildings.

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