

Adult Lutherans Organized for Action



Ironwood Springs LUTHERHOSTEL

October 2 - 6, 2023

Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch
Stewartville, Minnesota



Join ALOA and our dynamic presenters for a time of learning, reflecting and connecting. Experience inspiring spiritual study, music, devotions and outdoor activities.

Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch is located on 200 acres in southern Minnesota along the Root River. Activities will take place in the camp's Miracle Lodge Retreat and Conference Center.

- Spacious, accessible Lodge sleeping rooms are uniquely decorated and equipped with microwave, small refrigerator and private bathroom.
- Registration includes all meals and full program. If you live in the area, attending as a commuter fee (program and lunch/dinner meals) is also an option.

Relax • Renew • Connect • Reflect • Grow in Faith

MEET OUR PRESENTERS

Drs. Mark and Rhoda Schuler



This year we welcome Drs. Mark & Rhoda Schuler to present ***The Stones Cry Out: Archaeology and Spirituality in the Holy Land***. Hear their insights, as they will have just returned from spending 3 months in Israel. The Schulers recently retired from full-time teaching at Concordia, St. Paul, where Dr. Mark taught theology and shared his passion for the New Testament as well as his first-hand archeological research of Biblical times at Hippos of the Decapolis in Israel. Dr. Rhoda was the lead professor on service to the world and on “hearing the voices of the marginalized”.

Pastor Frank and Deaconess Jan Janzow



Frank and Jan Janzow will lead our worship with the theme ***Sacred Stories of Deliverance – Then and Now***. They'll explore God's transforming grace rescuing real people through stories, song and prayer. For 50 years Frank and Jan Janzow have served the church as pastor and deaconess, 37 of which they served at Ascension Lutheran Church, Waukesha, WI. In 2013 they stepped away to focus on retirement ministries and lead Frank's Jazz liturgy, “Rise Up!” in their area. Frank has authored several books, and he and Jan have published liturgies and songbooks.

The retreat begins in the afternoon of Monday, October 2 and ends by Noon on Friday, October 6

Cost

\$660 per person (double occupancy) Lodge Room

\$710 per person (single occupancy) Lodge Room – Very limited number

\$400 per person - Commuter (no lodging or breakfast) – Limited number

Other program highlights

- Our popular Chuckwagon lunch & songfest
- “Welcome Home Veterans” Thrivent Action Team
- Evening with Katie Luther
- Cornhole, zip line, campfires and a scavenger hunt
- Sessions on Helpful Spiritual Practices, History in Paintings, Nature Talk

Location

Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch is a Christian Camp established in 1976 and serving over 24,000 people per year. Their purpose is to provide an atmosphere and opportunity for adults and children to get to know themselves, others and God better. Ironwood Springs strives to do this through their lives, words, and activities by conducting themselves in a manner pleasing to God. Ironwood Springs asks all to respect their request of no alcohol on the property and tobacco use only in designated areas. No weapons of any type are allowed on the property.

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About ALOA



ALOA embraces God's unconditional love as the cornerstone for older adulthood as a significant chapter of life and values older adults as contributing members of church, community and society. We:

- Partner with those who are committed to positively impact individuals as they journey through the aging process.
- Empower those in the second half of life by equipping through education, connecting through service and celebrating by living as disciples of Jesus Christ.
- Serve as a nationwide resource focused on strengthening church ministry for, with and by those in the second half of life.

Find out more information, contact us:

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REGISTRATION FORM

Lodge space is limited; register early.

Important Registration Information

- Send your registration form with full payment to ALOA at PO Box 4367, Clearwater, FL 33758
- OR - [click here to register online](#) and pay with a credit card.
- Full registration amount should accompany the registration form.
- Direct questions to program directors, Ernie & Kathy Freudenburg at 507-282-4162 or ekfreud@gmail.com, or to ALOA at aloa4u@gmail.com or 800-930-2562
- Receive a full refund, less \$50 per registration for processing, on cancellations made by September 2, 2023. No refunds after September 2, 2023, unless we can fill the space.

Name (single occupancy) or names (double occupancy)

Name: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Name: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Name(s) you prefer for your nametag(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Home phone: _____ Email address: _____

Please list any food allergies: _____

Church body affiliation: ☐ ELCA ☐ LCMS ☐ WELS ☐ Other Lutheran ☐ Other Christian

☐ Double occupancy Lodge room: **\$660** per person. Roommate (if registering separately): _____

☐ Single occupancy Lodge room (very limited availability): **\$710** per person

☐ Commuter: **\$400** per person (no lodging or breakfast) Limited space available.

Registration accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, so register early!

Amount enclosed: _____ **No refunds after September 2, 2023, unless we can fill the space.**

Make checks payable to: ALOA and send to P.O. Box 4367, Clearwater, FL 33758

Recording Policy: During this event, ALOA may be recording (audio and video) and/or photographing. Most likely, you will be filmed, recorded or photographed as part of the audience or individually. By your attendance, you are granting your permission to be recorded or photographed for commercial purposes and agree to the following: being recorded, filmed or photographed by any means; commercial or any other use of your likeness, voice and words without compensation; specifically waiving all rights of privacy during the filming, recording or photographing and release ALOA from liability for loss, damage, or compensation from the commercial or other use of your likeness, image, voice or word.



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Missouri Synod

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an affiliated Social Ministry Organization of the ELCA.



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