



Cross Trails Ministry

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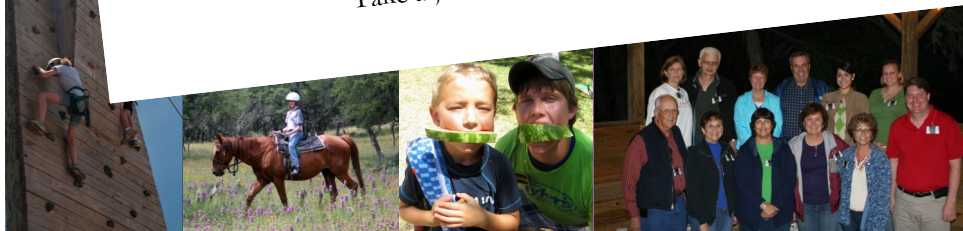
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Retreats!

All Cross Trails Ministry retreaters experience heartfelt Christian hospitality as they enjoy settings and experiences that inspire and renew! Both Camp Chrysalis and Ebert Ranch Camp staff enjoy providing sincere Christian hospitality to all our guests, have a variety of indoor and outdoor meeting spaces, and numerous activity options from contemplative to adventurous are available. Come retreat with us!

Expeditions!

Cross Trails Ministry now offers short-term international mission trips organized and led by an experienced leader. Adults or youth can choose to join a trip we have scheduled or contact Cross Trails Ministry to custom design an Expedition for your congregation or group. Our experienced leaders will make contacts with missionaries & international leaders, organize all travel & logistics, provide tools to help raise financial support, conduct essential pre-trip preparation & training, lead your Expedition, and facilitate valuable debriefing of the experience. Take a journey with a purpose!!



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Get Involved!

Take Advantage of the Many Options!

The most important way you can get involved is by being an active participant in our ministries and programs we offer! We have year round opportunities for all ages all over the great state of Texas, and the world!

Financial Leadership

Cross Trails Ministry provides summer camp, retreats and expeditions for youth, adults and families, year round. Financial gifts help us reach our goals of providing unique settings and experiences to participants year round. Fees charged to youth and adults for programs at Cross Trails Ministry do not cover all of the costs. In fact, program fees fund approximately 70% of the ministry of Cross Trails. We intentionally keep the fees low to accommodate all campers and congregations who wish to participate, regardless of economic circumstances. Therefore, the remaining money for operating costs must be raised each year through outside sources. We have a number of ways for individuals, families, and congregations to be financial leaders with Cross Trails Ministry. Please see our web-site for more details in each area.

Volunteer Leadership

Cross Trails Ministry needs the time and talents of volunteers in order to keep Lutheran Camp Chrysalis and Ebert Ranch Camp operating to their full potential. Cross Trails has limited full time staff positions, the rest of this ministry is completed by dedicated summer staff, part time help and many, many volunteers. We seek volunteers year round in the following areas: long-term volunteers, summer volunteers, serving as a *Trail Guide* in your home congregation, volunteer retreats, volunteer work weekends, and special projects that are completed in your congregation. More details about each of these areas can be found on our website at www.CrossTrails.org. If you have questions about volunteering with Cross Trails, please contact our main office at (830) 257-6340.



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