The Christian Science Nursing Network, Inc

2015 INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE NURSING CONFERENCE

September 9-13, 2015 ♦ CedarS Camps Lebanon, MO



We are happy to announce that once again, CedarS Camps will be our host for the 2015 ICSNC. The camp is ideally situated in the beautiful Ozark Hill Country atop an "uplifting plateau" over 1,000 feet higher than the surrounding plains. The location is only a small part of what makes CedarS Camps unique. It is their spiritual altitude of thought and the excellent staff that makes CedarS the perfect spot for us to be "hid with Christ."

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU

The 2015 International Christian Science Nursing Conference is a special opportunity to gain fresh inspiration, form new relationships, reconnect with old friends, and learn more about the worldwide healing ministry of Christian Science nursing. All Christian Science nurses, whether or not they are advertising in *The Christian Science Journal*, are welcome to attend.

SPEAKERS

The conference opens with an inspirational talk by Marjorie Dagnall, CS of Aptos, CA. In person from the Mother Church will be the Manager of the Christian Science Nursing Department and Ken "Keb" Bemis, C.S. from the Office of the Committee on Publication. The Board of Directors of the Mother Church will converse with attendees for an hour via video conference. We will welcome a Brad Stock who will give an inspirational talk titled: Mary Baker Eddy: A Lifetime of Christian Science. The conference ending will be a concert by Désirée Goyette.

WORKSHOPS

Planned for the Conference are three two hour workshops that will be presented by experienced Christian Science nurses. The first is: Food — What Hast Thou in the House. The workshop leader will discuss how to make a meal from the little a CS nurse may find on the pantry shelves in a home they visit, etc. The second workshop will be about Transition. How the CS nurse may help a patient receiving care in a facility return home and regain their independence and dominion. The third workshop will deal with Caring for those with Mental Needs. A panel will give practical care ideas for the CS nurse who is presented with a challenging picture. Where/how might they begin to care for the person and what steps might they be led to take? Ethics will be included as part of each workshop.

FREE TIME

During free time, you may take advantage of the ping pong and foosball tables, grass volleyball court, hiking trails, and of course, the study rooms with bound volumes and computer access. There is a 300-foot water slide, lap pool and diving well with on-duty lifeguards during recreation time each day. CedarS is making available a few special activities that will carry an additional fee per activity.

Optional Recreational Activity: \$15 apiece

- Wake boarding
- Bible Land Zip Line
- Horseback riding or pony cart driving

COSTS

Fees for the conference are divided into two parts. Online registration will begin on May 15, 2015.

Part 1 is paid to CSNN. Part 2 is paid to CedarS Camps.

Registration Deadline: August 26th

PART 1: 2015 ICSNC

Conference Fee: \$300 Late Registration Fee: \$25 (after August 10th)

PART 2: ACCOMMODATIONS

CedarS Camps is providing accommodations and meals in a special all-inclusive package.

Plan A: \$275 - Shared cabin with a dormitory-style bath (assigned or request up to 5 roommates). \$75 - Cost per each additional day

Plan B: \$325 - Shared airconditioned room with bath (assigned or request 3-4 roommates).

\$90 - Cost per each additional day

Plan C: \$350 - Shared airconditioned room with bath (assigned or request 1 roommate).

\$110 - Cost per each additional day

Plan D: \$425 - Private airconditioned room with private bath. No additional days available.

Private AC rooms are limited and available on a first come, first served basis.

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BENEVOLENCE

We are delighted to announce that CSNN is able to provide modest benevolence to Christian Science nurse attending the conference for the following expenses: travel, conference fees, or CedarS Camps.

To apply for assistance through CSNN, visit our website:

http://csnnetwork.org/conference/benevolence/

Benevolence inquiries please contact Elizabeth Harned
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Phone: 651-470-7816
Mail: PO Box 120702
New Brighton, MN 55112

In order to be considered for benevolence, your application must be received by July 22nd.

OTHER POSSIBLE SOURCES OF FUNDING ASSISTANCE

The following is a list of organizations that have assisted Christian Science nurses to attend ICSNC in the past. We suggest you approach them directly.

Within the USA:

- Albert Baker Fund Assists
 JLCSN within and without the
 USA.
- CSN Care Endowment
 Foundation of Southern
 California Assists CSN in a specific geographical area in CA.

Outside the USA

CS Trust in Australia
CS Trust in Canada
CS Trust in Great Britain
CS Trust in South Africa

TRANSPORTATION

There are several choices for travel to the CedarS Camps (about 3 hours SW of St. Louis, Missouri).

- 1. You can drive directly to the camp.
- 2. You can fly into the Springfield-Branson National (SGF) airport, rent a car and drive to the camp. It is about a one-hour drive from this airport to the camp.
- 3. You can fly into the St. Louis Lambert International (STL) airport. When you arrive, you may either rent a car, drive to camp or you can take the CedarS eXpress chartered bus (\$45 each way).**

Be alert when booking your airline flights. In order to take advantage of the CedarS eXpress, you MUST arrive at the airport before the bus departs at 2PM on Wednesday. If returning to St. Louis on Sunday, your flight out cannot leave before 2PM.

**The first 45 people that register with both CSNN and CedarS, pay their fees in FULL by August 1, plan to arrive by 2 PM on Wednesday and fly out after 2 PM on Sunday may ride the Cedars Express free of charge.

MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of Christian Science Nursing Communication Network is to encourage and support the healing ministry of Christian Science nursing by providing forums for perpetuating and strengthening communication among Christian Science nurses.

NOT PLANNING TO ATTEND?

If you are unable to attend, but would like to support the conference financially, a donation of and size is most welcome, and like the widow's mite, no contribution is too small.

We have several options for you. Visit our website to find a list of items needed for the conference or you may make a contribution directly from our website: http://csnnetwork.org/donate/.

Thank you for your support.

Please feel free to print this announcement. You may post it on you facility bulletin board or email it to friends.

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