



Brookland Retreat Center
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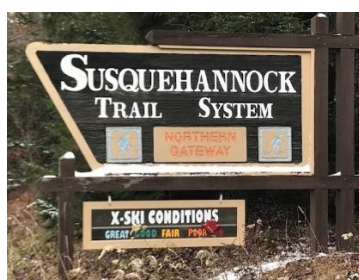
<https://www.brooklandcenter.org/>

A Ministry of the Episcopal Diocese of Central Pennsylvania

The Brookland Retreat Center can give you the stillness and natural beauty of God's Creation – People everywhere are seeking quiet and silence in a noisy world. Small to mid-sized groups can be accommodated as well as individual and group retreats to provide an opportunity to rest, pray, meditate, take walks, and enjoy outdoor recreation. A wonderful way to see the world and yourself through the lens of the beauty of God's Creation. The simple facilities and beautiful chapel can provide an amazing experience for all.



Location – The Brookland Retreat Center is uniquely located in Pennsylvania's Northern Tier between Coudersport and Galeton in Potter County and near the beautiful wilderness of the 265,000 acre **Susquehannock State Forest**. The area is home to several nearby state parks with camping, hiking, biking, fishing streams, cross country skiing, boating, swimming, wildlife and a host of other year-round recreational activities. Hiking and biking on the **Pine Creek Rail Trail** near the beautiful **Pennsylvania Grand Canyon**. The *Dark Skies* of **Cherry Springs State Park** is one of the best places in the eastern United States for stargazing! All Saints Brookland can be your "home base" for a Northern Tier adventure, secluded meeting place for your group or a place of rest.



All Saints Retreat House

The All Saints Retreat House is ideal for small/mid-sized groups that are looking for a simple place to have meetings and group activities. It has a large dining room/meeting area, well-appointed kitchen, sitting room, two full baths and two half baths, 2 large shared bedrooms with four twin beds each, one small bedroom with two XL twin beds (total sleeping capacity @ 10 persons inside), space outside for tents for additional sleeping capacity, a large porch for sitting with that morning cup of coffee. Bring your own sleeping bag (to throw on the bed) or bed linens (pillows are supplied – bring pillow cases), towels and supply your own food. Everything else is there! Wi-Fi is available.



First Floor - All Saints Retreat House

Dining Room/Meeting Area has tables and chairs to accommodate 30 persons. Comfy reading spaces. Two half baths, sitting Room with couch and chairs, and large front porch.



Kitchen equipped with 2 refrigerator/freezers, 2 stove tops (with 4 burners each), 4 ovens, 4 sinks, microwave oven, slow cookers, tea kettles, coffee pots, fully stocked with dishes, utensils, cups, plates, bowls, pots and pans and selected condiments.



Second Floor - All Saints Retreat House

Two Large Bedrooms – each has 4 twin beds (each large bedroom sleeps 4) and one Small Bedroom (two XL twin beds).

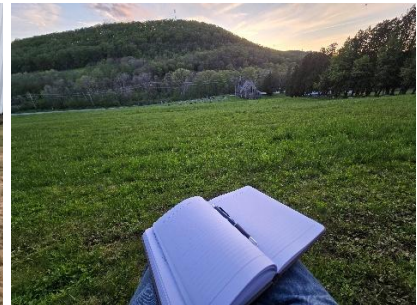


Two Full Bathrooms with sinks, private toilets and showers.



Outside Grounds

The spacious property has many acres for walking, hiking, camping, campfires, games, and, of course, stargazing on clear nights!



All Saints Chapel

Dedicated in 1889, All Saints Chapel, with its beautiful stained glass windows, woodwork, Italian tile floors, and Estey Reed organ, marble altar and baptismal font, and private prayer corner, provides a quiet and perfect space to worship, meditate, and hold religious services. Seating for around 50-75 persons.



Plan Your Own Activities (some suggestions)

Outside: Stargazing at nearby venues, creation care workshops, fire pit, nature walks, hiking, biking, cookouts, bird watching, porch sitting and reading

Inside Retreat House: Community meals, cooking classes, Icon writing, art classes, crafts, creative writing/poetry, book study, Yoga, meditation classes

For Groups: Organize community service projects and mission trips working with local organizations and groups, silent retreats, vestry retreats, pilgrimages, quiet days, classes and workshops, regional meetings, youth, college retreats, and young adult groups.

Local Attractions - Feel like an adventure? (Times are from Brookland Retreat Center)

Pennsylvania Lumber Museum (12 minutes)

Rainbow Paradise Trout Farm (14 minutes)

Coudersport Ice Mine (15 minutes)

Lyman Run State Park – swimming, fishing, kayaking (25 minutes)

Cherry Springs State Park - Stargazing (30 minutes)

Austin Dam Memorial Park (30 minutes)

Pennsylvania Grand Canyon – Pine Creek Gorge (40 minutes)

Tioga-Hammond Lakes Recreation Area (55 minutes)

Kinzua Bridge State Park (1 hour 12 minutes)

Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, New York (1 hour 15 minutes)

Watkins Glen State Park, New York (1 hour, 30 minutes)

Winslow Hill Elk Viewing Area, Benezette (1 hour 40 minutes)

Niagara Falls, New York (2 hours, 30 minutes)

Mid-State Trail System: <https://hike-mst.org/>

Website with regional suggestions and ideas: <https://www.visitpottertioga.com>

Need extra sleeping space? There is space behind the Retreat House to pitch a tent. About 10 minutes from Brookland Retreat Center is the Susquehannock Lodge, which has single rooms with bathrooms and breakfast included for a low price. <https://susquehannock-lodge.com/> Additional lodging places are available nearby.

Fees for Using the Brookland Retreat Center

Your financial support for this ministry of hospitality is very much appreciated. **Here are the fees for use per day/night:**

BROOKLAND RETREAT CENTER Guest Fees Matrix			
Effective Date:	11-Feb-25		
Category	Standard Fee	Clergy Retreat Fee*	Comment
In-season Overnight Fee	\$150	\$100	May 1 - October 31
Off-season Overnight Fee	\$100	\$75	November 1 - April 30
Tent fee (per tent)	\$25		In addition to overnight fee Max: Three 2-person tents
Cleaning Fee	\$75		Applied one-time per overnight visit for stays up to 7 nights. (No interim cleaning provided.)
Security Deposit	\$125		Required for first-time guests who are not associated with an Episcopal Diocese.
Day Use Fee	\$100		Includes cleaning fee Note: Use of upstairs bathrooms and bedrooms is not included, in order to reduce cleaning costs.
* A reduced rate is available for Diocesan clergy for individual/ couple retreats is available by contacting Stuart Scarborough.			
Note: A 20% deposit is required in order to hold a reservation. The deposit must be received within two weeks or the reservation will be released.			
Note: All payments are required 10 days before the start of the reservation.			

Booking Instructions

Ready to book a stay at the Brookland Retreat Center? Complete the form on the website: <https://www.brooklandcenter.org/> and click on the “Plan Your Retreat” button to initiate the discussion. We will contact you, determine availability, and answer any questions you have. Once dates are confirmed as available, we will send you a Reservation Form for you to review and approve. We will then send you an invoice with payment instructions. After your non-refundable deposit is made, you will receive a confirmation letter with check-in information.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us!
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