

A Message from Scott

The most important thing we can do as men is to grow our faith, our trust, and our daily walk with the Lord Jesus Christ. There are three enemies that we face every day. Satan, our flesh (old sin nature), and the world's system (controlled by the prince of the world). These three enemies take many a man down every day. One scheme is to isolate us. Isolation is an easier more effective way to limit, hinder and make us ineffective and unproductive for God's Kingdom. I bought into satan's scheme that I could do life on my own—get up, roll up my sleeves and get to work. I can do this. I can figure this out. I don't need anybody else's help. This line of reasoning is a lie. We must realize isolation is what the enemy wants us to believe and live. Having Godly men as friends, mentors, teachers and co-workers has absolutely made a difference in my life and it will in yours too. This year's Oakwood Men's Retreat will help strengthen and grow your faith, your trust in God, and in God's Word. It will also help grow your daily walk with Jesus by coming along side other men who want to do the same. Let's fight the enemy together so we can be effective and productive for God's Kingdom. I am looking forward to seeing what God is going to do with those of us who take the step to come to this year's Oakwood Men's Retreat at the Lazy L & L Campground.

See You There!

Scott Forester
Men's Ministry Leader

*Checks are payable to: Oakwood Baptist Church
(Be sure to put Men's Retreat in the memo)*

Name: _____

Full Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

If you are bringing a non-Oakwood member please give his name so he can be with you in your small group: _____

____RV \$100
(3 to 4 men to an RV)

OR

____Own RV \$50

Total Paid: \$ _____

oakwood men's RETREAT 2018

OCT 19-21

LAZY L & L CAMPGROUND

www.oakwoodnb.com

Details

Cost: \$50—\$100 depending on your option

We are renting RV's that will sleep 3 to 4 men comfortably. If you would like to bring your own RV the cost is only \$50. If you have space for others please let us know.

Things to Bring:

Bedding (pillow, sleeping bag and/or sheets and blanket for a twin bed).

Toiletries (towels, soap, shampoo, shower shoes). There are community bathhouses but the stalls and showers are private.

Clothes (swimsuit, long-sleeve shirts for evening, clothes to get dirty and play in, closed-toed shoes, water shoes).

Flashlight, Bible, pen, sunscreen, bug spray, crazy creeks or folding chairs and rec equipment (bikes, fishing, ball and glove, etc.)

Transportation:

You're on your own unless you want to carpool with others. It takes about 30 minutes to get there...less for Nascar fans.

Schedule

Check-in @ 5:00pm Friday
Dinner @ 6:30pm

If you are running later than that, you might want to pick up something to eat.

Where: Lazy L&L Campground
11699 River Road
New Braunfels, TX 78132

Lazy L&L Campground has been family owned and operated for over 40 years. Family pride is still of utmost importance to all family members, as well as employees, and we pride ourselves in providing a clean and family-oriented campground. Since 1972, the campground has seen many improvements and repeat customers are many. **The campground is situated on 25 acres with beautiful river frontage** in a scenic Texas Hill Country setting.

From San Antonio: Take IH35 North to Rueckle Road. Exit #184 and turn left. Drive 5.2 miles. and take a left at the Shell Pit Stop (River Road). Travel 1.7 miles and turn right at River Road Ice House. Drive 8.1 miles (between 3rd and 4th crossing) and Lazy L&L will be on the left hand side.

Questions:

Please e-mail Rusty at
rusty.rice@oakwoodnb.com

Gripped by the Greatness of God

Led by: René Maciel

Mr. René Maciel is the Missions Pastor at First Woodway Baptist Church, Waco, Texas. Prior to this transition he invested more than 31 years in higher education and administration with Baptist institutions such as Hardin-Simmons University, Baylor University, New Mexico Baptist Children's Home, George W. Truett Theological Seminary, and the Baptist University of the Americas and. He also most recently served as President of the Baptist General Convention of Texas (Texas Baptists), 2015-2016.

Mr. Maciel graduated from Hardin-Simmons University with a Bachelor of Behavioral Science. He then earned his Master of Science in Education from Baylor University.

He and his wife Sabrina have two daughters – Brianna, an elementary school teacher in Belton who is married to Ryan Johnson, and Carmen, a graduate of the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor and now a graphic designer at East Texas Baptist University.

Come and make some new friends and invest your life in other men at the beautiful Lazy L&L Campground.