

# Retreat Centers

Retreats are healthy get away from everyday life, rest and renew your faith. It can offer seclusion and solitude to allow time for prayer, reflection, meditation, and study. Today in the United States, there are countless retreat centers offering a wide variety of programs – all with the general purpose of the spiritual growth of the individual.

## ALHAMBRA

### SACRED HEART RETREAT HOUSE

920 E Alhambra Rd, Alhambra 91801-2799  
(866) 598-4389  
(626) 289-1353, ext. 2200

www.sacredheartretreathouse.com  
contact@sacredheartretreathouse.com

**Conducted by:** Carmelite Sisters of the Most Sacred Heart of Los Angeles **Offers:** Directed retreats, events, and facility rentals.

**Capacity:** 65 overnight, 200 days

### ST. JOSEPH CAMPUS OF SACRED HEART RETREAT HOUSE

507 N Granada Ave, Alhambra 91801-2728  
(626) 289-1353

www.sacredheartretreathouse.com  
contact@sacredheartretreathouse.com

**Conducted by:** Carmelite Sisters of the Most Sacred Heart of Los Angeles **Offers:** Day and event rentals; weekend retreats and mid-week group retreats

**Capacity:** 84 overnight, 200 day

## BIG BEAR LAKE

### SACRED HEART RETREAT CAMP

896 Cienega Rd, Big Bear Lake 92315-1795 (909) 866-5696

www.sacredheartretreatcamp.com  
retreatcamp.sdsh@gmail.com

**Conducted by:** Sisters of the Society Devoted to the Sacred Heart.

**Offers:** Youth and adults; dorm-style accommodations; in-person and virtual retreats.

**Capacity:** 10-120; Sept.-May

## BLUE JAY

### ALPINE CAMP AND CONFERENCE CENTER

415 Club House Dr, Blue Jay 92317-0155 (800) 350-6289

www.alpine-cc.org info@alpine-cc.org

## ENCINO

### HOLY SPIRIT RETREAT CENTER

4316 Lanai Rd, Encino 91436-3617  
(818) 784-4515

www.HSRcenter.com  
officemanager@hsrcenter.com

**Conducted by:** Sisters of Social Service Director: Sr. Chris Machado, S.S.S. Retreat Masters: Religious and laity.

**Offers:** Retreats, seminars, workshops, and spiritual direction, with four meeting rooms, a complete dining area, a chapel seating up to 175.

**Capacity:** 46 overnight; 100 days; youth groups day use and overnight

## FULLERTON

### PRO SANCTITY SPIRITUALITY CENTER

205 S Pine Dr, Fullerton 92833-3227  
(714) 956-1020

www.capro sanctity.org apostolico@aol.com

## IDYLLWILD

### SPIRIT MOUNTAIN RETREAT

PO Box 676, Idyllwild 92549  
(951) 659-2523

www.spiritmountainretreat.org  
info@spiritmountainretreat.org

**Offers:** Non-denominational; year-round for individual, small group, directed and silent retreats/programs.

## MALIBU

### SERRA RETREAT CENTER

3401 Serra Rd, Malibu 90265-4952  
(310) 456-6631

www.serraretreat.com

**Conducted by:** Franciscan Community

**Offers:** Men, women, married couples, AA 12-Step, young adults, private.

**Capacity:** 100

## OCEANSIDE

### MISSION SAN LUIS REY RETREAT CENTER

4050 Mission Ave, Oceanside 92057-6402  
(760) 757-3651

www.sanluisrey.org

Staffed by: Franciscans, lay volunteers

**Offers:** Group, private and sponsored retreats.

**Capacity:** 90 overnight

### PRINCE OF PEACE ABBEY RETREAT CENTER

650 Benet Hill Rd, Oceanside 92058-1253  
(760) 967-4200 ext. 200

www.princeofpeaceabbey.org

**Conducted by:** Benedictine Monks

**Offers:** Days of Recollection, retreats, with bookstore and gift shop, library and Prayer Walk (outdoor Stations of the Cross).

**Capacity:** 31 guest rooms, 44 beds

## ORANGE

### LOYOLA INSTITUTE FOR SPIRITUALITY

434 S Batavia St, Orange 92868-3907  
(714) 997-9587

www.loyolainstitute.org

**Conducted by:** The Society of Jesus

**Offers:** Conferences, days of reflection, workshops; English and Spanish formation classes in Ignatian discernment and leadership.

## PALOMAR MOUNTAIN

### PALOMAR CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE CENTER

34764 Doane Valley Rd, Palomar Mountain 92060  
(760) 742-3400

www.palomar.camp retreats@palomar.camp

**Offers:** Youth camps and adult retreats.

**Capacity:** 360 meeting/dining room

## POMONA

### CASA DE CURSILLOS RETREAT CENTER

1233 E Kingsley Ave, Pomona 91767-5101  
(626) 281-0466

www.cursillo-losangeles.org  
paolajurado@gmail.com

**Offers:** Retreats, meetings, and training events, with conference rooms, dorms and two suites.

**Capacity:** sleeps 97

## RANCHO PALOS VERDES

### MARY & JOSEPH RETREAT CENTER

5300 Crest Rd, Rancho Palos Verdes 90275  
(310) 377-4867

www.maryjoseph.org  
pcraig@maryjoseph.org

Founded by: Daughters of Mary and Joseph

**Offers:** Spiritual and personal growth; educational, religious, corporate, 12-Step and other groups whose programs are compatible with our spirit. Meeting rooms for 10-150.

**Capacity:** 70 overnight

## REDLANDS

### EL CARMELO RETREAT HOUSE

926 E Highland Ave Redlands 92374  
(909) 792-1047

www.elcarmelo.org elcarmeloh@gmail.com  
Staffed by: Discalced Carmelite Friars

**Offers:** Men, women, couples, private retreats, AA & AI-Anon groups, Carmelite spirituality, Engaged Encounter

**Capacity:** 72 overnight

## RIVERSIDE

### DIVINE WORD RETREAT CENTER

11316 Cypress Ave, Riverside 92505-2314  
Main: (951) 689-4858

Retreat Center: (951) 588-6860

www.divinewordseminary-riverside.com

**Conducted by:** Society of the Divine Word

## ROSEMEAD

### ST. JOSEPH SALESIAN RENEWAL CENTER

8301 Arroyo Dr, Rosemead 91770-4219,  
(626) 280-8622

[www.sjscenter.org](http://www.sjscenter.org) info@sjscenter.org

**Conducted by:** Salesians of Don Bosco

**Offers:** Groups K-12, young adults, Confirmation, faculty, RCIA, young people and those who work with the young, with meeting rooms.

**Capacity:** 94 (dorm-style)

## RUNNING SPRINGS

### PONDEROSA PINES CHRISTIAN CAMP (CAMP PONDO)

31324 Green Valley Lake Rd, Running Springs 92382

(909) 867-7037

[www.pondo.org](http://www.pondo.org) zarah@pondo.org

**Offers:** Retreats

**Capacity:** 400 meeting/dining room

### ST. ANNE IN THE MOUNTAINS CATHOLIC CHURCH AND RETREAT CENTER

30480 Fredalba Rd Running Springs 92382

(909) 867-2832

[www.mountaincatholic.org](http://www.mountaincatholic.org)

Operated by: St. Anne in the Mountains Catholic Church

**Offers:** Youth retreats, priests, religious and laity leaders, with chapel, conference room and a commercial kitchen.

**Capacity:** 54 (dorm-style), 10-20 (lodge), 5-8 (A-frames)

## SAN DIEGO

### WHISPERING WINDS CATHOLIC CAMP AND CONFERENCE CENTER

4636 Mission Gorge Pl Ste 203,

San Diego 92120-4131

(619) 464-1479

[www.whisperingwinds.org](http://www.whisperingwinds.org)

office@whisperingwinds.org

**Offers:** High school and parish ministry retreats, year-round mountain camp, food service, indoor and outdoor chapels, meeting rooms with A/V.

**Capacity:** 300 overnight

## SAN FERNANDO

### POVERELLO OF ASSISI RETREAT HOUSE

1519 Woodworth St, San Fernando 91340

(818) 365-1071

[www.poverelloofassisiretreat.com](http://www.poverelloofassisiretreat.com)

poverelloretreathouse@hotmail.com

**Conducted by:** Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Conception

**Offers:** Men, women, married couples, staff meetings, priest, and sisters retreats; 1-day retreats for high schools and elementary schools.

**Capacity:** 102

## SANTA ANA

### HEART OF JESUS RETREAT CENTER

2927 S Greenville St, Santa Ana 92704

(714) 557-4538

[www.sacredheartsisters.com/retreats](http://www.sacredheartsisters.com/retreats)

retreatcenter@sacredheartsisters.com

**Conducted by:** Sisters of the Society Devoted to the Sacred Heart.

Ages: Children, youth, and adults.

**Capacity:** 15-150 (no overnight facilities)

## SANTA BARBARA

### LA CASA DE MARIA & THE CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

888 San Ysidro Ln, Santa Barbara 93108 (805)

969-2474

[www.lcdm.org](http://www.lcdm.org) info@lcdm.org

**Conducted by:** Immaculate Heart Community

**Offers:** Individuals, couples, small contemplative groups, and non-profit retreats.

**Capacity:** 18-150 overnight/day

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CIRCLE V RANCH CAMP & RETREAT CAMP

Office: 210 N Avenue 21, L.A. 90031-1713

Location: 2550 Highway 154, Santa Barbara 93105

(323) 224-6213

[www.circlevranchcamp.org](http://www.circlevranchcamp.org)

circlev@svdpla.org

**Conducted by:** Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

**Offers:** Non-denominational self-directed facilities for church, school, business, and private groups.

**Capacity:** 120

## SIERRA MADRE

### MATER DOLOROSA PASSIONIST RETREAT CENTER

700 N Sunnyside Ave, Sierra Madre 91024

(626) 355-7188

[www.materdolorosa.org](http://www.materdolorosa.org)

registrar@materdolorosa.org

**Conducted by:** Passionist Community

**Offers:** Weekend retreats for men, women, couples, in English and Spanish; retreat hosting for high schools, parishes, churches and non-profit organizations, 12- Step

**Capacity:** 20-250 for day use, or 20-100 overnight, single & double rooms, each with private bath.

## SILVERADO

### SANTIAGO RETREAT CENTER

27912 Baker Canyon Rd, Silverado 92676

(714) 649-9800

[www.SantiagoRetreatCenter.org](http://www.SantiagoRetreatCenter.org)

info@SantiagoRetreatCenter.org

**Offers:** Parish and school retreats (specializing in Confirmation retreats) at the Catholic-Christian retreat center centrally located in Orange County within the foot-hills of the Santa Ana Mountains; offering four distinct retreat areas, each with its own dormitories, lavatories, meeting space, chapel, Stations of the Cross hikes, Marian Grotto,

Shroud Center of Southern California, Blessed Sacramento reserved, morning and evening prayer.

**Capacity:** 500 beds.

## TEMECULA

### VIÑA DE LESTONNAC RETREAT CENTER

39300 de Portola Rd, Temecula 92592

(951) 302-5571

[www.lestonnacretreatcenters.com](http://www.lestonnacretreatcenters.com)

**Conducted by:** Sisters of the Company of Mary

**Offers:** Group or private retreats, workshops, and seminars.

**Capacity:** 65 overnight, 120-day retreat

## VALYERMO

### ST. ANDREW'S ABBEY RETREAT HOUSE & YOUTH RETREAT CENTER

31001 N Valyermo Rd, Valyermo 93563

(661) 944-2178

[www.saintandrewsabbey.com](http://www.saintandrewsabbey.com)

retreats@valyermo.com

**Conducted by:** Benedictine Monks

**Offers:** Private and group retreats and work-shops; "home-style" meals with the monastic community.

**Capacity:** Retreat: 34; Youth: 80; 17 private rooms

## VENTURA

### SIENA PRAYER CENTER AT ST. CATHERINE BY THE SEA

1931 Poli St, Ventura 93001-2360

(805) 652-1700 ext. 228

[cscsisters.org/siena-prayer-center](http://cscsisters.org/siena-prayer-center)

sistergloriav@gmail.com

**Conducted by:** Sisters of the Holy Cross

**Offers:** Retreats, workshops, recollection days, Centering Prayer, Lectio Divina and Spiritual Direction, in English and Spanish.

**Capacity:** 25 (day groups), 5 (overnight retreat) single rooms

## WRIGHTWOOD

### CAMP MARIASTELLA

Mail: 4316 Lanai Rd, Encino 91436-3617

(818) 285-1555

[www.campmariastella.com](http://www.campmariastella.com)

info@campmariastella.com

**Conducted by:** Sisters of Social Service

**Offers:** Two-week girls summer camp.

Location: Saint Edward Retreat Center in

Wrightwood, CA

**Capacity:** 75

### LIONS CAMP AT TERESITA PINES

PO Box 98, Wrightwood 92397-0098

(760) 249-3580

[www.campteresitapines.org](http://www.campteresitapines.org)

info@campteresitapines.org

Location: 22801 Big Pines Hwy, Wrightwood

**Offers:** Group rentals and retreats.

**Capacity:** 200