

Oasis Pilgrimage:
A High Desert Retreat
July 29 - August 4, 2018



Led by
Glenn Mitchell &
Theresa Shay

Ghost Ranch
Abiquiu, New Mexico

Space limited

Register at oasismin.org



Join Glenn Mitchell and Theresa Shay as Oasis Returns to the Southwest July 29, 2018 - August 4, 2018



Ten years ago Oasis offered its first retreat at Ghost Ranch led by Sanford Alwine and Glenn Mitchell. Glenn has led three additional retreats in the years since. This year Glenn's wife Theresa joins him in providing leadership for the retreat. Theresa is Director of TriYoga of Central Pennsylvania and will be leading the group in gentle yoga and breath meditation. Group time will also include centering prayer, a regular rhythm of silence and sharing, and lots of opportunity for hiking and time in solitude and community in the unique high desert environment of Ghost Ranch. Our group will be housed on the main campus and will gather for our meetings in the courtyard of the lovely Agape Center.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of Thomas Merton's visit in 1968 to Ghost Ranch and to the Christ in the Desert Monastery, a Benedictine desert community along the Chama River, about 15 miles from Ghost Ranch. Merton was deeply moved by the monastery and the way its chapel fit the canyon landscape. We will mark this anniversary with our own visit to Christ in the Desert, where we will join the brothers as they chant one of the hours of the day. On another day there will be opportunity to participate in a tour of Georgia O'Keeffe's home and studio in nearby Abiquiu or take a tour of the area around Ghost Ranch which inspired so many of her paintings and where she spent her summers. Other options include a trip to Taos Pueblo, the oldest continuously inhabited community in the United States, and alongside the pueblo a renown art community that first drew Georgia O'Keeffe to the southwest. Most of the retreat will be spent right at Ghost Ranch with its dramatic vistas and abundant possibilities for connecting with Creator Spirit, with creation and with the rich community that always forms on these retreats. Both the inner and the outer landscape will beckon those coming together for this week apart.

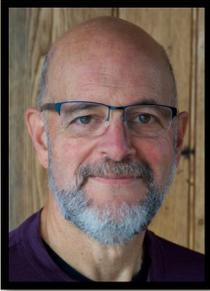


Retreat Includes:

- ◆ Transportation to and from the Albuquerque Airport to Ghost Ranch
- ◆ Lodging accommodations for six nights, double occupancy.
- ◆ All meals
- ◆ Excursions Include: visit to Christ in the Desert Monastery, Georgia O'Keeffe home or van tour, and admission to Taos Pueblo
- ◆ Leadership of Glenn Mitchell and Theresa Shay



Your Leaders



Glenn Mitchell, M.Div., is Director of Oasis Ministries and has been a lead teacher with Oasis since 1996. He was trained in spiritual guidance by the Shalem Institute and Oasis Ministries and has a practice of spiritual direction based in State College, Pennsylvania. Glenn has two adult children and is married to Theresa Shay. He loves all things contemplative and in his spare time enjoys watching birds, restoring their 1800's log home, and making things from wood.

Theresa is the Founding Director of TriYoga of Central Pennsylvania and a senior-level TriYoga® teacher who introduced the practice to Central Pennsylvania in 2000. She has taught yoga since 1996 in the U.S., India and Venezuela and has studied closely with TriYoga founder Kali Ray for over 20 years. Formally trained with a Master's degree in Education, she works directly with students and trains others to teach TriYoga. Her passion for TriYoga and loving presence invite others into an awareness that brings a fuller flow to life.



Location

Ghost Ranch is an education and retreat center of the Presbyterian Church with 21,000 acres of scenic high desert, located 130 miles north of Albuquerque and 65 miles northwest of Santa Fe outside of the community of Abiquiu.



Dates

Arrival: Sunday, July 29, to Albuquerque Airport (ABQ) by 2:00 pm.

Departure: Saturday, August 4, from Albuquerque Airport (ABQ), noon or later.

Optional Arrival/Departure Point: Pick-up or drop-off may be arranged in Santa Fe, NM, as group travels to/from Ghost Ranch.

Cost

\$1800 - Double Occupancy

\$2265 - Single Occupancy (limited availability)

**Price does not include airfare, ground transportation if traveling outside of the group's schedule, personal snacks/beverages, and travel insurance.*



Registration Details

Deadline: June 1, 2018, full payment due.

Space is limited. Register early.

Deposit: \$600 (\$250 of which is non-refundable) secures your spot.

Late Registration: Contact the office to inquire about availability. Extra fees may be added to accommodate late registrations.

Registration Form: Fill out the attached registration form (please complete a separate form for each person registering), or register online at www.oasismin.org. Completed registration form is due at time of deposit.



Trip Contact Information:

Glenn Mitchell (glenn@likeafeather.com)

or the Oasis Ministries office at (717) 737-8222

You can also visit our website at www.oasismin.org
to register and/or pay online



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Registration Form

(Please complete one form for each person)

Personal Information

Name (Rev/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

Email: _____ Birthdate: _____

Lodging

\$1800 Double Occupancy

Roommate Request: _____

\$2265 Single Occupancy (Limited Availability)

Payments

- To reserve your spot a \$600 deposit is required (\$250 is non-refundable)
- June 1, 2018 - Deadline to register, full payment is due
- Please include your deposit with this registration form if prior to June 1, 2018.

Travel Insurance

Oasis Ministries highly advises the purchase of travel insurance whether purchased through our recommendations or another source. We have had several people comment to the reliability and ease of using AAA for their travel insurance. Travel insurance is expected to be secured by participant at the time of deposit.

Travel Insurance details: _____

I decline travel insurance: _____ *Name of company and policy info*

Signature

I have read and understand the "Terms and Conditions" on the back page:

Signature

Date

Please complete this form and mail along with \$600 deposit to:

Oasis Ministries
419 Deerfield Road
Camp Hill, PA 17011

Payments can be made via check or credit card. Please make checks payable to **Oasis Ministries**.

Please indicate your method of payment included with your registration:

Check # _____

Amount: \$ _____

Credit Card

To pay by Visa/MC/Discover:

Card# _____

Exp. (month/year): _____ / _____

3 digit security code on back: _____

Amount to charge: \$ _____



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Full balance of retreat cost DUE BY JUNE 1, 2018. Registration deposit of \$600 (\$250.00 non-refundable) is required to confirm a spot for you. Proof of Travel Insurance and completed registration form due at time of deposit. If waiving travel insurance, be sure to indicate this through your signature at the designated spot on the registration form.

