



CONFERENCE

STRENGTH TO STAND

What I Need to Know About the Registration Forms!

Thank you for requesting an information packet for the Strength to Stand Conference. We want to make your registration process as simple as possible. Below is the 4-1-1 on what forms you need to turn into the STS office and a run down on the forms we have provided for you to promote the conference to your group.

Turn these forms into the Strength to Stand Office:

- Summary Registration Form
- Room Sign-up Sheet (if applicable)
- Tentative Schedule (January attendees only) – at the bottom of the form you can pick your schedule – cut off the portion and mail it in with your registration.
- Hotel Form – choose your top three hotel choices
- Special Needs Information Sheet – if you have a student with special needs, please send this sheet to the STS office so we can make any necessary arrangements for your group.
- Group Leader Agreement



December Registration Form

Church: _____
 Church Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Church Phone: (____) _____
 Leader: _____ Leader's E-Mail Address: _____
 Leader's Mobile Phone: (____) _____
 Mail Correspondence to: Leader Church (circle one)
 Mailing Address (if different from above): _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Basic housing:

| persons | price per room | | # of rooms | | total | total (if discount applies) |
|---------|--------------------|---|------------|---|---------|-----------------------------|
| 4 | x \$139 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 3 | x \$149 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 2 | x \$169 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |

Standard housing:

| persons | price per room | | # of rooms | | total | total (if discount applies) |
|---------|--------------------|---|------------|---|---------|-----------------------------|
| 4 | x \$159 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 3 | x \$169 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 2 | x \$189 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |

Deluxe housing:

| persons | price per room | | # of rooms | | total | total |
|---------|--------------------|---|------------|---|---------|---------|
| 4 | x \$179 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 3 | x \$209 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 2 | x \$249 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |

Premium housing:

| persons | price per room | | # of rooms | | total | total |
|---------|--------------------|---|------------|---|---------|---------|
| 4 | x \$199 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 3 | x \$229 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |
| 2 | x \$279 per person | x | _____ | = | \$_____ | \$_____ |

Total Number Attending: _____ Enclosed: \$ _____
 Persons not staying at the hotel: _____ x \$89.00 per person = \$ _____
 You may reserve spots at the conference by paying a **non-refundable deposit** of \$50 per person, however, you must be paid in full by October 11, 2023, to receive the \$10 per person discount.

FORM OF PAYMENT: (please check one)

____ Check/Money Order for \$ _____
 ____ Discover/ ____ VISA/ ____ American Express/ ____ MasterCard (3% surcharge for CC payments)
 Card # _____ CSC# _____ Expiration Date _____
 Signature on Card _____ Address of Cardholder: _____



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January Registration Form

Church: _____

Church Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Church Phone: (____) _____

Leader: _____ Leader's E-Mail Address: _____

Leader's Mobile Phone: (____) _____

Mail Correspondence to: Leader Church (circle one)

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Basic housing:

| persons | price per room | # of rooms | total | total (if discount applies) |
|---------|--------------------|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| 4 | x \$129 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 3 | x \$139 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 2 | x \$159 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |

Standard housing:

| persons | price per room | # of rooms | total | total (if discount applies) |
|---------|--------------------|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| 4 | x \$149 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 3 | x \$159 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 2 | x \$189 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |

Deluxe housing:

| persons | price per room | # of rooms | total | total |
|---------|--------------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| 4 | x \$179 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 3 | x \$209 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |
| 2 | x \$259 per person | x _____ | =\$ _____ | \$ _____ |

Total Number Attending: _____ Enclosed: \$ _____

Persons not staying at the hotel: _____ x \$89.00 per person = \$ _____

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FORM OF PAYMENT: (please check one)

____ Check/Money Order for \$ _____

____ Discover/____ VISA/____ American Express/____ MasterCard (3% surcharge for CC payments)

Card # _____ CSC# _____ Expiration Date _____

Signature on Card

Address of Cardholder:



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For office use only:
Page ___ of ___
Group # _____

R o o m S i g n - u p s h e e t

Leader: _____

Church: _____

City: _____ State: _____

| Males | | | | Females | | | |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| Room #1 | Name | Grade | C/S | Room #1 | Name | Grade | C/S |
| 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ |

| Room #2 | Name | Grade | C/S | Room #2 | Name | Grade | C/S |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ |

| Room #3 | Name | Grade | C/S | Room #3 | Name | Grade | C/S |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ |

| Room #4 | Name | Grade | C/S | Room #4 | Name | Grade | C/S |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 1. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ | 4. | _____ | _____ | _____ |

(C – counselor, S – student)



CONFERENCE

STRENGTH TO STAND

@ LeConte Convention Center
in Pigeon Forge, TN
December 28-30, 2023

t e n t a t i v e s c h e d u l e

Thursday, December 28, 2023

| | |
|--------------|-----------------|
| 2:00-4:00 PM | Registration |
| 5:00 PM | Free Time |
| 7:00 PM | Worship/Concert |
| 9:00 PM | FREE TIME |
| 11:30 PM | **Church Time |
| 12:00 AM | Lights Out |

Friday, December 29, 2023

| | |
|----------|--------------------|
| 8:30 AM | *Personal Devotion |
| 9:30 AM | Worship |
| 11:00 AM | FREE TIME |
| 7:00 PM | Worship/Concert |
| 11:00 PM | **Church Time |
| 12:00 AM | Lights Out |

Saturday, December 30, 2023

| | |
|----------|--------------------|
| 8:30 AM | *Personal Devotion |
| 9:30 AM | Worship |
| 11:00 AM | Depart for Home |

*SDEA will provide devotions in student handbook and STS app

**Church Time is designed for your group to gather and share. God will move in your group during the conference, so take advantage of this time by sharing laughs, tears, prayers and experiences together. You choose the location and setting that best suits your group.



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@ LeConte Convention Center
in the Smoky Mountains of Tennessee
December 28-30, 2023

H o u s i n g F o r m

Please select your top three choices for lodging during the Strength to Stand Student Bible Conference in December. We will try to accommodate your requests, but we cannot guarantee first choice placement. Hotels are filled upon a first come, first serve basis.

*Most of our hotels include a continental breakfast.

| Basic Housing | Standard Housing | Deluxe Housing | Premium Housing |
|--|------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Comfort Inn and Suites Dollywood Lane | Sleep Inn | Best Western Plaza | Appy Lodge (Gatlinburg) |
| Quality Inn and Suites Dollywood Lane | | Econolodge Riverside | Fairfield Inn and Suites |
| | | Fairfield Inn and Suites | Hampton Inn - Pigeon Forge |
| | | Rivers Landing | Hampton Inn and Suites |
| | | The Lodge at Five Oaks | Holiday Inn and Suites Convention Center |
| | | Willowbrook Lodge | LeConte Hotel |
| | | | Residence Inn |
| | | | SpringHill Suites |
| | | | The Inn on the River |



@ LeConte Convention Center
in the Smoky Mountains of Tennessee
January 13-15, 2024

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Alpha Session

Saturday, January 13, 2024

5:30 PM – **Session I**
7:30 PM – Free Time
11:00 PM – Church Time
12:00 AM – Lights Out!

Sunday, January 14, 2024

7:30 AM – Personal Devotion
8:30 AM – **Session II**
10:00 AM – Free Time
5:30 PM – **Session III**
7:30 PM – Free Time
11:00 PM – Church Time
12:00 AM – Lights Out!

Monday, January 15, 2024

7:30 AM – Personal Devotion
8:30 AM – **Session IV**
10:00 AM – Head for home – See you next year!

Omega Session

Saturday, January 13, 2024

9:00 PM – **Session I**
11:00 PM – Free Time
11:30 PM – Church Time
12:30 AM – Lights Out!

Sunday, January 14, 2024

9:00 AM – Personal Devotion
11:00 AM – **Session II**
12:30 PM – Free Time
9:00 PM – **Session III**
11:00 PM – Free Time
11:30 PM – Church Time
12:30 AM – Lights Out!

Monday, January 15, 2024

9:00 AM – Personal Devotion
11:00 AM – **Session IV**
12:30 – Head for home – See you next year!

P i c k Y o u r T r a c k

If AT ALL possible, our group would like to be in the **Alpha / Omega** session.

Please choose your session. Sorry, no guarantees.
 This is a tentative schedule – your final schedule will be given to you within 2 weeks of the conference. All times are subject to change.



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*Most of our hotels include a continental breakfast.

| Basic Housing | Standard Housing | Deluxe Housing |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| Best Western Toni Inn | Appy Lodge (Gatlinburg) | Black Fox Lodge |
| Comfort Inn and Suite Dollywood Lane | Best Western Plaza Inn | Dollywood's DreamMore Resort |
| Creekstone Inn | Country Cascades | Dollywood's HeartSong Lodge and Resort |
| Quality Inn Dollywood Lane | Econolodge Riverside | Fairfield Inn and Suites |
| Ramada Inn North | Holiday Inn Express – Sevierville | Holiday Inn and Suites Convention Center |
| | LeConte Hotel | Residence Inn |
| | The Lodge at Five Oaks | River Lodge Suites at Wilderness at the Smokies |
| | Quality Inn Pigeon Forge | The Resort at Governor's Crossing |
| | Rivers Landing | Riverstone Resort and Spa |
| | Willowbrook Lodge | SpringHill Suites |
| | | The Summit at Country Cascades |
| | | Wilderness at the Smokies |

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SPECIAL NEEDS INFORMATION

Attention Group Leader: The purpose of this section is (1) to enable you to notify STS of individuals in your group who have special needs and (2) to communicate to group leaders about what STS is able to do to accommodate those with special needs, particularly disabilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

It is our desire to host all people with excellence, including those with special needs. This will not be possible without the help of the group leader. Please provide notification at least 45 days prior to the first day of your conference in order to allow us enough time to accommodate the individual's need. Please mail, email or fax this form to the STS office. If you have questions, you may contact us at 800.869.8738. When we receive notification of your special need request, you will be contacted by a person in our office to begin the process of preparing to accommodate the need.

Information about the individual with the special need:

Church: _____
City/State: _____

Youth Minister: _____

Conference Dates: _____

Youth Minister Contact Information:

Email: _____
Phone: _____

Name of Individual with Disability: _____
Gender: M / F Age: _____

Please check the appropriate box to indicate the type of special need of the individual:
_____ Deaf or Hard of Hearing (proceed to page 2: Deaf/Hard of Hearing Section)

_____ Physical Disability requiring wheel-chair access (proceed to page 3)

_____ Blind

_____ Other Disability (please be specific in the space below)

Comments:



SPECIAL NEEDS INFORMATION SHEET DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING STUDENTS

STS will do the following to host individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing:

- Strategic placement of reserved seating to allow for good sight lines to video screens and the stage.
- Space for interpreter, as well as accommodation of needs of interpreter (lighting, podium, etc.) during large group gatherings including worship and concerts.
- Assistance with provision of interpreters during large group gatherings including worship and concerts.

The group leader will be responsible for the following:

- Prior to the event, all communication with STS, including special requests, needs to be made by the group leader.
- During the event, all requests must be made by the Group Leader TO the Conference Director.
- STS may require the individual and special helps (interpreters, etc.) to be in place 15 minutes before doors open to the large group session to ensure that reasonable accommodations will take place.
- Assistance with provision of interpreters during large group gatherings including worship and concerts.

Information about the individual with the special need:

Church: _____

City/State: _____

Youth Minister: _____

Conference Dates: _____

Name: _____ Gender: M / F Age: _____



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SPECIAL NEEDS INFORMATION SHEET SPECIAL NEEDS OTHER THAN DEAF/HARD OF HEARING

Information about the individual with the special need:

Church: _____

City/State: _____

Youth Minister: _____

Conference Dates: _____

Name of individual with disability:

Gender: M / F Age: _____

Please describe the extent of the disability/special need:

Please describe your special need request:



Church: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Group Leader Name (Authorized Agent): _____

It is the desire of STS to reach the world one by one. During events this best happens through a solid partnership with the local church to help create a meaningful and safe experience. The following responsibilities are asked and required from each attending group's leadership:

- **I understand the responsibilities of the Strength to Stand Conferences are only to provide programming for the conference.**
- **I am responsible for the Spiritual guidance of all individuals in our group.** *This includes, but is not limited to, counseling students and adults concerning spiritual decisions in corporate gatherings, quiet time, church group time, as well as other opportunities throughout the event.*
- **I am responsible for discipline, supervision and leadership of individuals in our group.** *This includes, but is not limited to, in the lodging, during corporate gatherings, during scheduled events and throughout free time.*
- **I understand that any damages incurred on campus due to actions from members of our group will be the sole responsibility of that individual or the church/group that they are attending with.**
- **I understand that all decisions regarding medical needs of individuals under my supervision are the sole responsibility of our adult leadership and me.** *This includes, but is not limited to, decisions about medical/injury treatment, collecting and maintaining copies of medical release forms, medical history or attendees' medical insurance information, transportation to medical facilities if needed and communication with parents or guardians regarding any medical needs of attendees.*
- **I am responsible for a child protection policy.** *This may necessitate conducting background checks on the adult leaders you bring, as well as establishing guidelines and policies that ensure safety of the students you to bring the conference.*
- **I understand that I am responsible for the arrival and departure of all my students. If parents are picking up a student early, they will make arrangements through me, and I will communicate with them regarding any attendee's departure from an STS event.**
- **I also understand and agree to abide by the refund policy and the cost of attendance requirements.**
- **I understand that I am responsible to uphold the event guidelines that STS and the conference location have set that will be communicated to each student and adult at STS events.** *This includes, but is not limited to, dress standards, attendance, lights out, guys and girls being in the appropriate rooms, no alcohol, tobacco, drugs, weapons or fireworks.*

In the event of an accident or injury to a participant at STS events, the STS staff will not make any recommendations or decisions regarding medical treatment or diagnose illnesses or injuries. Our staff may provide basic first aid but will never provide medication of any kind. All medical decisions are reserved for the authorized agent (group leader) of the church. We strongly urge that medical attention be sought for any injury occurring during at a STS event.

I understand my responsibilities as the authorized agent of my church and I will properly train, educate and inform each of my adult leaders to help our group carry out our assigned tasks and expectations.

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____ Date: _____