

# ADVENT RETREAT

*For you my  
body yearns;  
for you my  
soul thirsts*

Psalm 63



*How are we in this  
21st century called  
to live hope?*



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*As the deer longs  
for running streams...*



Psalm 42

ONLINE  
RETREAT

Thursday,  
November 30, 2023  
9:30-11:30 a.m.

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# Longing for God

This half-day online retreat calls participants to **be in touch with the longing for God** we each experience, the desire for friendship, and a loving intimacy with the God who loves us unconditionally.

As we pause to get in touch with the deepest longings of our hearts, we walk with the people of Old Testament days as **they longed for a Savior**.

- What were they really longing for?
- What images spoke to their hearts?
- How did they express their longing in prayer?

With song, prayer, silent reflection, times of sharing, and brief presentations, we will open up the Scriptural riches of **this season of longing for the coming of God** anew in our lives, finding hope in New Testament stories of

- Promise and Fulfillment
- Simeon and Anna
- Zachary's Cantic

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**For more information or to Register:**

- **Visit** [YanktonBenedictines.org/advent-retreat](http://YanktonBenedictines.org/advent-retreat)

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**Cost of Retreat**  
**\$30 (tax included)**



**Registration Deadline:**  
**November 27, 2023**

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**A Zoom link will be sent on  
November 29.**