



*A retreat to help students discern if they are being called into Christian vocational ministry.*

**January 10-11, 2020**

*Conference begins with dinner on Friday at 6:30 pm  
and ends at 4 pm on Saturday*

**Garaywa Camp and Conference Center's  
Patterson Place in Clinton, MS**

**Do you have high school or college-age students who have experienced a call to vocational ministry OR are exploring a call?**

**DISCERN** is a weekend retreat designed to help students along this exciting journey. Led by a volunteer staff of Mississippi Baptist Student Ministers, DISCERN will look at 3 areas:

1. Focus on their SHAPE (*spiritual gifts, heart ability, personality, experience*)
2. Take a biblical look at a call to ministry
3. Practical Look at ministry and the various types of ministry

There also will be a time for fellowship and team-building to help students understand the importance of encouraging one another and to know that they are not alone in this journey.

## **Who Can Attend?**

This retreat is designed for high school (10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades) and college students (*as well as college-aged individuals who have graduated high school*) who are serious about learning more about what it means to be called into Christian vocational ministry. Ministers or adult leaders are encouraged to attend with their student as well.

Students are not required to have an adult to attend, but it is highly recommended. Please note that students will be assigned roommates and adults will share rooms with other adults (*we do not house students and adults in the same rooms*).

## **Cost**

Student Participants - \$25

Ministers/Accompanying Adults - \$10

*(must be attending with a student)*

Cost includes 1 night lodging at Garaywa, Friday night dinner, Saturday breakfast and lunch, conference materials

**Online Registration opens September 1, 2019.**

at [www.tinyurl.com/2020discern](http://www.tinyurl.com/2020discern)

*Student Ministers are welcome to attend with their students at no cost.*

Full Schedules will be sent to all registrants along with a list of what to bring in late December.

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