FIRST CHURCH

First Church Sterling Heights

2026

Pastoral Staff Retreat

Birmingham, Michigan

Tuesday — FOUR DAYS TOGETHER — Friday

1240 E Lincoln St, Birmingham

Tuesday

Arrive and settle in

4:00 P.M.
Check in and setup
Get settled at the house.

6:00 P.M.
Dinner at Hyde Park Prime Steakhouse
201 S Old Woodward Ave, Birmingham

DRESS CODE: BUSINESS CASUAL

Men: collared shirt, dress pants or nice jeans, and closed-toe shoes.

Ladies: dresses, blouses, or dressy separates.

Leave at home: athletic wear, shorts, flip-flops, ball caps, and ripped jeans.

Directions | Website

Coffee and dessert at the house

EVENING
Team session 1 PASTOR
Back at the house.

LIFE AND MINISTRY ROUNDTABLE

We would love to hear what is going on in your ministry and your life, how things have gone this year, and your thoughts for next year.

EVENING
Team session 2: Growing and Guarding PASTOR
Leadership session with Pastor Bernard. Acts 6:1-7 with Exodus 18 and Nehemiah 4.

Open the session

Wednesday

Rest, shop, and dream

MORNING
Breakfast at the house

LUNCH
Lunch at Marrow On The Go
Directions

AFTERNOON
Shopping

IDEAS FOR THE LADIES

Found Objects Lifestyle boutique. 168 S Old Woodward Ave.
Map | Website

Lost and Found Vintage Vintage clothing and antiques. 574 N Old Woodward Ave.
Map | Website

Retro Fit Woodward Vintage, streetwear, and designer. 33744 Woodward Ave. Opens at noon.
Map | Website

3:00 P.M.
Ladies spa and guys hangout
Both at the same time.

DINNER
Pizza at the house

EVENING
Team session PASTOR
Five Voices discussion. Back at the house.

About 5 Voices

Thursday

Games, shopping, and a good dinner

MORNING
Breakfast at the house

MORNING
Games at the house, then shopping

LUNCH
Lunch at Birmingham Roast
Directions

AFTERNOON
Relax at the house

5:30 P.M.
Dinner at Bell Bistro
185 N Old Woodward Ave, Birmingham

Directions | Website

EVENING
Team session PASTOR
Vision and looking ahead, with the entire staff.

Friday

Head home

MORNING
Breakfast at the house or a coffee shop

11:00 A.M.
Check out

Every evening
Group hangout and games at the house.

WHERE WE ARE STAYING

1240 East Lincoln Street
Birmingham, MI 48009

CHECK IN	CHECK OUT
Tue, 4:00 p.m.	Fri, 11:00 a.m.

Directions

See the house

You belong here.

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