

Area Attractions:

Enchanted Rock State Park, Lost Maples State Park, Natural Bridge Wildlife Ranch, and shopping.

Nearby Towns

There are a number of charming historic towns nearby, including Bandera, Blanco, Boerne, Comfort, Canyon Lake, Fredericksburg, Kerrville, and New Braunfels.



Directions from San Antonio: Take IH 10 West to the Waring Exit (Exit 527), follow the access road until it intersects FM 1621, by the large flag pole, just south of Comfort. Turn right on FM 1621 for four miles. The entrance to Camp Capers is on the left.

From Kerrville and Fredericksburg Areas: Take IH 10 East towards Comfort, cross the Guadalupe River, and take the Waring Exit (Exit 524). Turn right on the access road that will circle under the Guadalupe River bridge. Follow the road to the intersection of FM 1621, by the large flag pole. Take FM 1621 exactly four miles. The entrance to Camp Capers is on the left.

From Austin: Take US Hwy 290 West and then turn North on US Highway 281. Turn West on US Hwy 290 at Johnson City. In Fredericksburg, take US Hwy 87 South to Comfort. Turn South on IH 10, take the Waring Exit (Exit 524). Turn right on the access road that will circle under the Guadalupe River bridge. Follow the road to the intersection of FM 1621, by the large flag pole. Take FM 1621 four miles. The entrance to Camp Capers is on the left.

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Camp Capers Retreat Center

Waring  Texas

Experience the love of God in the setting of the peaceful Texas Hill Country.

In the middle of the Texas Hill Country, located on the Guadalupe River, guests will experience God's gracious gifts in an atmosphere of care and acceptance as they grow together in a community of trust, openness, and sharing. Camp Capers lends itself to spiritual retreats, conferences, seminars, reunions, and much more. Welcome to this special place, where the power of nature's bounty nourishes, restores, and rejuvenates.



Accommodations

Camp Capers is located on 80 acres bordered by the Guadalupe River. The camp sits about halfway between Kerrville and Boerne, four miles off IH-10 near Waring. Camp Capers has multiple buildings and meeting areas around the campus to meet the needs of various groups.

STEVES HALL

Located near the center of camp, Steves Hall is an air-conditioned multi-purpose building with a large meeting space, including a fireplace, Internet access, and beautiful views of the property. This building can accommodate 23 people in eight rooms with semi-private baths.

COTTAGES

Located on a bluff of the river is the **River Cottage**, which can accommodate four people in two identical bedrooms with twin beds and private bathrooms. There is a shared living room area with a small refrigerator and microwave. Enjoy sitting on the patio and quietly watch the deer, birds, and squirrels as they go about their day.



The **Retreat House** sits near the pool and is a one bedroom private, cottage that accommodates two people who share a living area and kitchen. There is a porch and patio which offer quiet places to meditate, read, or relax and enjoy the beauty of Camp Capers.



CABINS

The Viola Walker Cabin sleeps six in two bedrooms with private baths. The building also has a comfortable breakout meeting space that can accommodate a group of 25.

Camp Capers also has 16 heated cabins. Every cabin has four triple bunk beds, housing up to 12 people. Each cabin has private bathrooms with sinks and showers. The 16 cabins are divided into two "quads" of eight cabins each and are separated by a large field for easy division by gender or age groups.



PRIVATE ROOM

Attached to the camp office is a room with a private bath that can accommodate two people. The room is often used by the leaders of groups and is centrally located next to the dining hall.

Dining Hall

The Camp Capers Dining Hall is a place where family and new friends come together to share a meal, talk, sing, and get to know each other. 180 people can comfortably gather in our wood and stone dining hall. Each round table seats 10 adults. Delicious, nutritious, home-made meals are served buffet-style, and a breakfast or salad bar is also available at every meal.



Group Amenities

In addition to the accommodations and dining, Camp Capers offer year-round meeting spaces. The Arts and Crafts is an air conditioned building and can accommodate 100 people around tables and chairs and has two covered porches on both sides.

The Activities Building is a wonderful space to host numerous activities, including keynotes, presentations, dances, and indoor worship. During nice weather, this building can be opened up providing breezes and views from all sides. In inclement weather, it is a dry space with heating. A sound system, projector, and a large screen are available for presentations.



A restored 1900's split-level barn offers two open meeting areas which can accommodate your group's needs. The bottom level holds 80 people and the loft will hold up to 25. Give your events, dances, or meetings that unique Hill Country feel.



Chapel

St. Francis Chapel has been a place where young and old have asked for, received, and felt God's presence. The chapel can accommodate 160 people.

Also available is an outdoor cross with a stone altar, located by the river, known as "The Point." The Point, shaped like a natural amphitheater, is perfect for worship.

Activities

The east boundary of Camp Capers is cut by the meandering Guadalupe River. Visitors can enjoy the Meditation Trail, which takes walkers along the banks of the river and through pristine native grass and forest areas.

The outdoor picnic and bonfire area is a place where friends can gather and eat under the canopy of a majestic heritage oak. At night you can watch the fire or gaze at the countless stars in the sky.



Nestled under the cottonwoods and oaks is the swimming pool surrounded by a grassy lawn and seating areas. The entrance to the pool opens up into a Centrum, a large covered pavilion with a sport court used for basketball or other activities.



Camp Capers offers a Ropes Course that includes a climbing wall, zip line, and giant swing. High adventure activities offer a profound experience for participants and help develop trust, concentration, commitment, confidence, and a sense of accomplishment. Also available are spacious areas for games and kayaking on the river.

