

Sabbath Leave Program, Center for Congregational Resources at Samford University

Budget, Lodging and Other Planning Resources

The following information is provided *only* as a help in your budget planning.

Please note that all prices are subject to change.

Local Accommodations

When considering housing, keep in mind that taxes are 18% and are not usually quoted in the price. The following offer discounted rates for Samford guests:

- TownePlace Suites by Marriott has furnished studio suites with queen beds, full kitchens, and a living area.
500 Wildwood Circle, Homewood, Alabama 35209
205-943-0114, 888-236-2427
www.marriott.com/BHMTM
- Residence Inn by Marriott also has furnished studio suites with queen beds, full kitchens, and a living area.
50 State Farm Parkway, Homewood, Alabama 35209
205-943-0044, 888-331-3131
www.marriott.com/BHMHM
- Premier Living Suites has furnished one-bedroom apartments (1- to 3-month leases available).
205-978-8885, 800-987-8828
www.premierliving.com
- Drury Inn & Suites Southwest (3 miles from Samford's campus) standard hotel rooms with microwaves and refrigerators in each room and a free hot breakfast and light dinner. Nightly rate \$102.00 plus tax. www.druryhotels.com

For a complete list of hotels which offer a special Samford rate visit: www.samford.edu/admission/hotels

Meal prices on Campus

Cafeteria prices are: Breakfast (\$6.00); Lunch (\$8.00); Dinner (\$9.50)

There is also a food court on campus with various food options including a Chick-fil-A, Starbucks, grilled hamburgers, freshly made pizza and pasta or "on-the-go" salads/sandwiches.

Meetings with Faculty

Meetings with faculty resource persons at Samford University can be arranged for an appropriate honorarium. A resource list of selected faculty members, their credentials and experience is available upon request.

Samford Fitness Facilities

Sabbath Leave Participants may receive access to the fitness facilities; gyms, fitness classes (as available) and the campus pool. The Homewood/Lakeshore Walking Trail is located directly across from campus. For more information and details, please contact resource@samford.edu.

Pastoral Counseling

Individual pastoral counseling is available through the Samaritan Counseling Center at \$110 per session.