

# A Autumn Adventures 2017

## Island Hopping! Sapelo, Amelia and Cumberland Islands!

An Event for Older Adults  
**September 18-21, 2017**

Epworth By The Sea ~ St. Simons Island, Georgia

### Explore with Us:

Spend a day on **Sapelo Island**, a National Estuarine Research Reserve and the 4th largest of Georgia's chain of barrier islands. Tour the Gullah Geechee community of Hog Hammock, the island's privately owned 434 acre community. The remaining land belongs to the state of Georgia. Most of the approximately 70 residents of Hog Hammock trace their Sapelo ancestry back to the early 19th century and are descendants of former slaves and tenant farmers. Visit the Old Sugar Mill and Lighthouse. Lunch will be served in the historic and beautiful Reynolds Mansion.



The Amelia Island Museum of History will offer the "**Golden Era of Amelia Island**" guided walking tour of Fernandina Beach's historic north end. You will be introduced to the players in Amelia Island's unique history while learning how the island was affected by national and world events from 1782-1850. A brown bag lunch at the museum offers time to explore the museum's home, the former county jail building. Travel from the Museum of History through Fernandina Beach's historic shopping district to the dock to board our charter boat for the cruise to Cumberland Island.

Your private charter tour is a blend of history and nature, including a trip up Beach Creek with a beautiful view of the salt marshes and bird life of Cumberland Island. It offers a close up view of the ruins of the 19th century Dungeness Mansion and takes you literally inside **Cumberland Island**. This peaceful cruise is 1 ½ hours. Cumberland Island is Georgia's largest barrier island and one of the most spectacular natural habitats in the northern hemisphere, hence having the distinction of being a National Seashore.



#### **Monday, September 18**

4:00 Registration opens  
5:30-7 Dinner is served  
7:00 Welcome  
7:15 The History of Sapelo Island  
8:15-9 Lovely Lane Chapel open for Personal Devotion Time

#### **Tuesday, September 19**

6:15 Early Breakfast  
7:00 Bus departs for Ferry to Sapelo Island  
9-2:30 Spend the day exploring Sapelo with Yvonne and JR Grovner - Lunch will be served at the historic Reynolds Mansion  
4:00 Arrive back at Epworth By The Sea  
4-5:30 Time to Unwind or Explore St. Simons on your own  
5:30-7 Dinner is served  
7:00 Evening free to explore your own interests  
7:00-9 Lovely Lane Chapel open for Personal Devotion Time

#### **Wednesday, September 20**

7:00-8 Breakfast is served  
8:15 Bus departs for Amelia and Cumberland Islands  
9:30-10:30 Golden Era Walking Tour of Fernandina Beach  
11:00 Box lunches at the Amelia Island Museum of History  
12:30-2 Private Charter Cruise of Beach Creek to Cumberland Island  
4:00 Arrive back at Epworth By The Sea  
4-5:30 Free Time - Time to Unwind  
5:30-7 Dinner is served  
7:00 The Golden Isles Strummers Music Program  
8:00-9 Lovely Lane Chapel open for Personal Devotion Time

#### **Thursday, September 21**

7:00-9 Breakfast is served followed by departures

*Safe Journey Home*

**Online registration available at [www.epworthbythesea.org](http://www.epworthbythesea.org) or call 912-638-8688.  
Space is limited for your comfort. Early reservations advised.**



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HOUSING FORM FOR EPWORTH BY THE SEA

*Registration begins at 4:00 Monday.  
The event begins with dinner at 5:30  
and concludes with Thursday breakfast.*

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Male ( ) Female ( )  
NAME(S) FOR NAME TAG: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate Request: \_\_\_\_\_ Roommates other than family, complete separate form.

Indicate group name if you are part of a group. (Please mail all forms together): \_\_\_\_\_

Registration includes 3 nights' lodging in Pitts/Booth motels, 8 meals, all scheduled activities, tax and State of Georgia motel fee.

**View accommodations and detailed agenda online at [www.epworthbythesea.org](http://www.epworthbythesea.org)**

**PITTS/BOOTH**

*Please Check Applicable Rate:*

( ) \$471.54 per adult staying 2 adults per room ( ) \$596.01 per adult staying 1 adult per room TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requests (Disability, diet, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

ARRIVAL DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DEPARTURE DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE INCLUDE TOTAL PAYMENT WITH RESERVATIONS**

Make check payable to Epworth By The Sea. Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ - OR -

Charge to ( ) Visa or ( ) Mastercard or ( ) Discover. Amount to Charge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Epworth Cancellation Policy: Full refund prior to August 18, 2017. Cancellations 1 month prior to event forfeit registration fee.

Cancellations within 2 weeks of event forfeit registration fee and first night's lodging and meals.

SEND THIS FORM TO: EPWORTH BY THE SEA OR FAX THIS FORM TO: EPWORTH BY THE SEA (912) 634-0642

Attn: Tiffany Flavell

OR REGISTER ONLINE: [www.epworthbythesea.org](http://www.epworthbythesea.org)

P.O. BOX 20407

St. Simons Island, GA 31522

No phone reservations accepted. No pets or alcohol. Check in: 4:00 p.m. – Check out 11:30 a.m.

**\*CONFIRMATION OF YOUR RESERVATION WILL BE EMAILED OR MAILED TO YOU\***

Sometimes great opportunities are missed when too many people wait until the last minute to register. We cancel undersubscribed events so please register early. We don't want to cancel what you want!!