

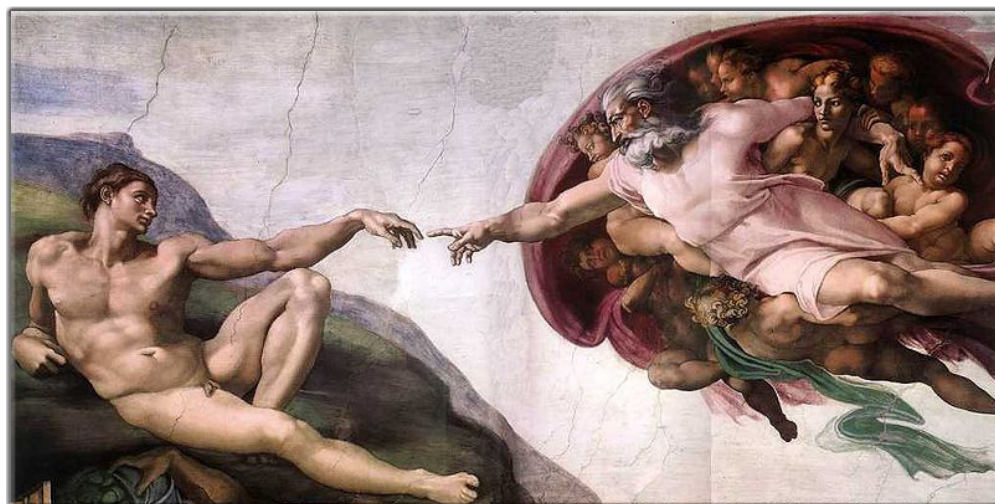


Mater Dolorosa Passionist Retreat Center

2011-2012 Weekend Retreat Schedule

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Catch the Fire!



Responding to God's Touch.

One of the best-known works of Western art is that section of the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel, called “The Creation of Adam.” It depicts Adam leaning on his elbow, while, somewhat languidly holding his arm out towards God. By contrast, God is reaching, straining to touch Adam’s fingertip to give him life, spiritual life.

That is the story of salvation history. It is the story of a God who never gives up reaching out to touch us. God wrestled with Jacob and called Moses from the Burning Bush. He touched Isaiah with burning coal and whispered to Elijah. God sent his Son. Jesus chose the Twelve. He healed lepers, drank water with a Samaritan woman, dined with sinners – society’s “untouchables.” On the road to Damascus, the Lord touched Saul, who responded to God’s touch, caught the fire, and became Paul the Apostle. Those who respond to God’s touch are always transformed.

The story continues with you. From the cross, the Lord yearns to touch you, too, to touch your heart. He stretches to touch you from a place of stillness, at the depth of your soul. How will you respond? You are invited to come on retreat to catch the fire of God’s love. As with Adam, it begins with a touch.

Your Retreat Team



(l-r) Fr. Mike Hoolahan, CP, Fr. Pat Brennan, CP, Fr. Alfred Pooler, CP, Br. John Rockenbach, CP, Deacon Manuel and Chela Valencia, and Juliette Marsh Williams (Not pictured)

Setting

North of I-210, Mater Dolorosa is located in the San Gabriel foothills. Nestled on 80 acres, the center has 88 air-conditioned rooms (doubles and singles) with private baths, chapel, dining room, library and gift shop/bookstore. The grounds of the retreat center provide special places for meditation: The Stations of the Cross, which replicates the distance Jesus carried his Cross to be crucified, the Garden of the Seven Sorrows of Mary, the Blessed Sacrament Garden, a mountain waterfall below a meditation pergola, and an outdoor amphitheater that overlooks the Los Angeles basin.

Dress

Casual dress and comfortable shoes are recommended. Please inform the office in advance if you need a medical diet, wheelchair ramp, room for physically challenged, etc.

Time

Arrivals begin after 3 pm on Friday. A buffet supper opens the retreat on Friday at 6 pm followed by Orientation at 7 pm. The retreat closes Sunday about 12:30 pm.

Cost

The suggested donation for the weekend is \$195, (this includes \$50 deposit) for two nights and five meals. No one is turned away because of financial inability to make the recommended donation.

Reservations

Most people come as part of a parish group. Please contact your parish captain to reserve your place for your parish's scheduled weekend. All others call Cathleen Hainley, Weekend Retreat Coordinator: 626.355.7188, ext. 130.



Women's Weekend Retreats

October 7-9, 2011

All Saints, El Sereno
Incarnation, Glendale
St. John Vianney, Hacienda Heights
OL Queen of Angels, Newport Beach
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Carmen Cordova 323-222-0441
Lee Henry 818-246-5400
Sylvia Perez 626-968-3461
Helene Markel 949-697-9703
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
Carmen Cordova 323-222-0441

November 4-6, 2011

Divine Mercy Group
St. John the Baptist, Baldwin Park
St. John Neuman, Irvine
St. Rita, Sierra Madre
St. Thomas Apostle, Riverside
St. Boniface, Anaheim
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Estrella Arellano 909-393-6887
Lourdes Cerna 626-337-2264
Kathy Lamoureaux 949-387-0505
Joann Ruggles 626-355-3904
Debi Young 951-237-3283
Dita Marquez 714-778-6684
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
Debi Young 951-237-3283

December 2-4, 2011

Assumption of the BVM, Pasadena
St. Martin de Porres, Yorba Linda
Holy Family Cathedral
St. Luke, Temple City
San Antonio de Padua
Santiago de Compostela, Lake Forest
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Nicole Daze 626-791-2678
Maureen Williams 714-693-1931
Mary Lou Bell 714-997-3020
Jeanette Blum 626-287-4745
Michelle Molendyk 714-992-4781
Geneva Shisbey 949-586-1896
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
Maureen Williams 714-693-1931

February 3-5, 2012

St. Cecilia, Tustin
St. Norbert, Orange
St. Philip the Apostle, Pasadena
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Jan Miles 714-544-7093
Marcia Ferraro 714-637-6189
Jean Bowler 626-793-8953
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
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February 10-12, 2012

Married Couples Retreat, English

Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188

March 30-April 1, 2012

St. Catherine, Laguna Beach
St. Joseph, Placentia
St. Margaret Mary, Lomita
St. Paul of the Cross, LaMirada
St. Edward, Dana Point
St. Angela Merici, Brea
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Kristin Reis 949-497-3977
Cathy Hainley 714-996-1793
Yolanda Manansala 310-834-9432
Christie Pelayo 562-944-1663
Liz Mojica 949-661-9647
Cecilia Witchey 714-745-6117
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
Cathy Hainley 714-996-1793

May 4-6, 2012

Beatitudes of Our Lord, La Mirada
St. Peter Claver, Simi Valley
Blessed Kateri, Saugus
St. Catherine of Alexandria, Temecula
St. Linus, Norwalk
Holy Family, South Pasadena
Santa Clara, Oxnard
All other Parishes
Vice-President

Joie Azurin 562-947-4942
Linda Cravens 805-522-0981
Carol Nicholson 661-296-4983
Fran Phillips 951-699-4453
Lenore Sandoval 562-335-7353
Shelly Stokes 714-350-6865
Rosa Dominguez 805-985-8706
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188
Linda Cravens 805-522-0981

May 11-13, 2012

St. Charles Borromeo, No. Hollywood
St. Joseph the Worker, Canoga Park

Evelyn Medel 818-982-8929
Rosemarie Camonayan 818-414-4353
Maureen Peel 949-249-7889
Marian Molina 909-591-5661
Josie Carrillo 909-599-8935
Shelly Stokes 714-350-6865
Rosa Dominguez 805-985-8706
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188

St. Timothy, Laguna Niguel
St. Paul the Apostle, Chino Hills
St. Louise de Marillac, Covina
Holy Family, South Pasadena
Santa Clara, Oxnard
All other Parishes
Vice-President

June 8-10, 2012

Young Adult Retreat
All Parishes Call Retreat Center

626-355-7188

June 22-24, 2012

Women's Weeken Retreat
All Parishes Call Retreat Center

626-355-7188

July 6-8, 2012

Married Couples Retreat
All Parishes Call Retreat Center

626-355-7188



Men's Weekend Retreats



September 9-11, 2011

Holy Family, Orange	Mark Buckles	714-771-4079
St. Columban, Garden Grove	Don Reid	714-530-1821
St. Joachim, Costa Mesa	Frank Consoli	949-433-9901
St. John Baptist, Costa Mesa	Roy English	714-454-9555
St. Justin Martyr, Anaheim	Ed Fodor	714-533-1550
St. Norbert, Orange	Frank Cooper	714-630-5581
O.L. of the Angels Cath., LA	Gus Catipon	213-617-1477
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Mark Buckles	714-771-4079

September 16-18, 2011

All Saints, L.A.	George Cabrera, Jr.	323-222-1581
Blessed Sacrament	Jim Miller	714-894-2755
Holy Angels, Arcadia	Tony Delgatto	626-358-0122
St. Frances/Rome, Azusa	Joe Perez	626-872-6697
St. James, Redondo Bch	Tony LoBue	310-318-2414
St. Lawrence, Redondo Bch	Robert Olsen	310-376-3751
St. Mary Assumption, Whittier	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
St. Francis of Assisi, LaQuinta	Richard Gregg	760-772-7781
Bride Family	Jerry Bride	626-447-3700
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Jim Miller	714-894-2755

September 23-25, 2011

Assumption, Pasadena	Ed Robledo	626-791-2222
Holy Family, Glendale	Jason Schultz	323-403-8585
Incarnation, Glendale	Jim Trinity	818-241-9087
St. Robert Bellarmine	Ruben Segura	818-848-4319
Our Lady of Grace, Encino	Ron Mulvihill	818-800-2815
St. Andrew, Pasadena	Ernie Benevides	626-791-5697
St. Anthony, San Gabriel	Mark Padilla	323-728-2096
St. Therese, Alhambra	Rex Owens	323-255-1881
Santiago de Compostela, El Toro	Ray Puzio	949-858-8837
Live Again Ministries	Jaime Barajas	661-270-0025
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	James Dyrness	818-246-7694

September 30-October 2, 2011

Holy Trinity, San Pedro	Anthony DiRocco	310-547-5010
Mary Star of Sea, San Pedro	John Scognamillo	310-547-5174
O/L Assumption, Claremont	Edward Ochoa	909-624-6727
St. Joseph, Pomona	Fred Pacheco	909-860-3622
St. Joseph the Worker, Canoga Pk	Ben Buenviaje	909-894-1521
St. Madeleine, Pomona	Mike Kelly	909-463-1996
St. Barnabas, Long Beach	Fred Montoya	562-424-1985
Blessed Kateri, Sta. Clarita	Ron Joller	661-296-2299
Servants of the Lord	Raphael Sustento	661-254-8584
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Lou Oddo	714-522-5909

October 14-16, 2011

Mission San Diego	Leslie Williamson	858-278-8992
St. Bartholomew, Long Bch	David Herrera	562-856-9671
St. Helen, Southgate	Eduardo Alvarado	323-566-8990
St. Joseph, Hawthorne	James Kelly	310-643-5399
St. Philip the Apostle, Pasadena	Pat Bowler	626-793-8953
Winter Group	Francisco Hernandez	909-865-7564
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Pat Bowler	626-793-8953

October 21-23, 2011

Spanish Couples	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
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November 18-20, 2011

Our Lady Miraculous Medal, Montebello	Gus Duran	626-308-3570
St. Bernard, Bellflower	Patrick Joyce	562-865-3497
St. Bonaventure, Huntington Beach	Herb Soto	714-842-6107
Ss. Peter & Paul, Wilmington & Holy Family	John Perez	562-743-3074
St. Pius V, Buena Park	Daniel Gebelin	714-870-4472
San Antonio de Padua, Anaheim	Richard Crawford	714-343-5735
Santa Clara De Asis, Yorba Linda,	Greg Hastings	714-281-9673
San Gabriel Mission	Mike Abril	626-614-5921
St. Elizabeth, Altadena	Tom Polenzani	626-449-0030
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	John R. Ramos	626-300-8501

January 6-8, 2012

Annunciation, Arcadia	Bruce Kvidahl	626-444-1123
O/L Queen of Angels, Newport Beach	James Arnold	949-760-1498
Oxnard Group, Oxnard	Rudy Moraga	805-844-4627
St. John Baptist, Baldwin Pk	Jose Garcia	626-962-1848
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	John Ramirez	805-983-2675

January 13-15, 2012

St. Cecilia, Tustin	James Baer	714-832-7343
St. Joseph, Placentia	Thomas Woore	714-996-3478
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Pete Morandini	714-996-0767

January 20-22, 2012

Transfiguration, L.A.	Greg Warner	323-242-9686
St. Anthony Claret, Anaheim	Joel Inzunza	714-535-4518
St. Bernadette, L.A.	Gilbert Wright	310-645-3580
St. Boniface, Anaheim	Roger Bramm	714-772-8643
St. Mark, Venice	Friedrich Hirt	310-827-1585
Pope John Paul II Polish Ctr	Don Palmer	714-528-8059
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Roger Bramm	714-772-8643

January 27-29, 2012

Mission San Juan Capistrano	Dave Snyder	949-443-9819
O/L of Fatima, San Clemente	Eduardo Jimenez	949-584-9680
St. Edward, Dana Point	Conrad Esser	949-361-9813
St. Irenaeus, Cypress	Fred Navarro	714-761-8617
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Conrad Esser	949-361-9813

Men's Weekend Retreats



February 10-12, 2012

Married Couples Retreat, English
Call Retreat Center 626-355-7188

February 17-19, 2012

Ascension, L.A.	Mel Thomas	323-755-9486
St. Christopher, West Covina	Oscar Abcede	626-961-7120
St. Finbar, Burbank	Michael Calabrese	818-802-0490
St. Jane Frances, No. Hollywood	Romeo Mendoza	702-338-5853
St. John Vianney, Hacienda Hts	Manuel Briones	626-333-5493
St. Juliana Falconieri, Fullerton	Terry Reinhold	714-772-6234
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Dcn. Gerhard Stadel	714-870-5714

February 24-26, 2012

Our Lady of Victory, L.A.	Frank Medel	213-261-4347
Resurrection, L.A.	Alex Gamboa	626-968-5698
	Ralph Gamboa	323-780-1330
Sacred Heart, L.A.	Louie Magallanes, Sr.	323-222-4825
St. Alphonsus, L.A.	John Felix	323-727-6085
St. Bede the Venerable, LaCanada	Tim Collins	818-541-9711
St. Hilary, Pico Rivera	Richard Barrientos, Sr	562-948-3639
St. Mariana, Pico Rivera	Gabriel Herrera	562-949-3953
St. Thomas More, Irvine	Paul Geiger	714-505-5412
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President		818-790-4283

March 2-4, 2012

State Council K of C	Ross Willour	760-318-3622
Lancaster K of C	Dennis Duffy	818-613-1795
Laguna K of C	Gabriel Ferrucci	949-643-9272
Hesperia K of C	Gil McAdams	760-243-0345
Manhattan Beach K of C	Gregg Profozich	310-658-7175
Simi Valley K of C	Mike Palacios	805-581-9506
San Gabriel K of C	Joe Salaiz	909-621-6692
Fallbrook K of C	Bill Weber	760-728-5325
San Marino K of C	Steve Cipriani	626-449-2837
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Ross Willour	760-324-1591

March 9-11, 2012

St. Bernard, L.A.	Luigi DelPonte	323-254-1005
St. Catherine, Laguna Beach	Jim Raynoha	858-414-2909
St. Charles, No. Hollywood	Nick Fairchild	818-632-5762
St. Dominic, L.A.	John Van Dyke	323-258-6045
St. Mary Magdalen, L.A.	George Schoenstetter	310-657-1912
St. Paul of the Cross, LaMirada	Victor Pelayo	562-944-1663
St. Luke, Temple City	Dale Edgington	626-446-7731
St. Elizabeth/St. John Neumann	John DeNisi	949-786-5458
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Victor Pelayo	562-944-1663

March 16-18, 2012

Holy Family, So. Pasadena	Ernie Arnold	323-982-0927
St. Denis, Diamond Bar	Mike Kellogg	909-860-1332
St. Peter Claver, Simi Valley	Gary Carlson	805-522-0875
St. Pius X, Santa Fe Springs	Tony Reyes	562-868-7696
St. Rose of Lima	Joe Ferrall	805-584-9984
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Gary Carlson	805-522-0875

March 23-25, 2012

Immaculate Conception, Monrovia	Patrick Moore	626-358-4700
	Tom Kielty	909-592-5906
Holy Name of Mary, San Dimas	Dennis Cook	760-356-4198
Lay Bros. of the Poor/St. Mary's	Jiggs Herold	714-539-2894
St. Polycarp, Stanton	Bill Cosso	626-355-5656
St. Rita, Sierra Madre	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
All other Parishes	Don Juge	714-897-9067
Vice-President		

April 6-8, 2012

Tijuana Men's Retreat

April 13-15, 2012

Holy Name of Jesus, L.A.	Clyde Sparrow	323-734-8978
St. Barbara, Santa Ana	Thomas Mueller	714-775-1246
St. Dorothy, Glendora	Jim Shivers	626-963-5162
St. Terese of Avila, L.A.	Edwin Onsgingo	818-982-6833
St. Joseph, Upland	Dan Wilson	909-230-3234
All other Parishes	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
Vice-President	Clyde Sparrow	323-734-8978

April 20-22, 2012

St. Columban, L.A.	Rollie Agonoy	818-846-3050
St. Killian, Mission Viejo	Brian O'Donnell	714-345-1313
St. Louise de Marillac, Covina	Brian Lee	626-966-7989
St. Mel, Woodland Hills	Bob Driscoll	818-225-8065
St. Thomas the Apostle, Riverside	Michael McVeigh	951-639-5290
	Dave McCormick	805-558-7868
Padre Serra, Camarillo	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
All other Parishes		
Vice-President		

April 27-29, 2012

St. Timothy, Laguna Niguel	Ren Lopez	949-859-2397
St. Linus, Norwalk	Francis LeDuff	562-864-3482
St. Margaret Mary/Tom Reis Group	Lawrence Taylor	310-539-4134
St. Stephen Martyr, Monterey Park	August Koch	626-281-0605
	Call Retreat Center	626-355-7188
All other Parishes	Dale Edgington	626-446-7731
Vice-President		

May 18-20, 2012

Italian Men's Retreat	Joe Cici	626-798-3645
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May 25-27, 2012

Men's Recovery Retreat	Ty Harman	818-795-0070
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June 8-10, 2012

Young Adult Retreat		
All Parishes Call Retreat Center		626-355-7188

July 6-8, 2012

Married Couples Retreat		
All Parishes Call Retreat Center		626-355-7188