

You are invited to the Forty First Annual

CORPUS CHRISTI

MEN'S RETREAT

Mount St. Mary's University

Emmitsburg, Maryland

August 2, 2019 Weekend



Led by Father Bill Garrott, O.P.

"The Gospel Toolbox"

**JOIN THE MEN OF OUR PARISH FOR A WEEKEND OF RENEWAL AND
REFRESHMENT! For more information & reservations,**

CONTACT:

RETREAT INFORMATION

Corpus Christi Men's Retreat

Mt. St. Mary's University, Emmitsburg, MD August 2-4, 2019

OPEN TO ALL MEN, AGE 14* AND UP

*Father or guardian must accompany if age 14-17

Our retreat master will be *Father Bill Garrott, O.P.*

The theme of the retreat is

"The Gospel Toolbox"

Come enjoy the relaxed and refreshing experience of spending a weekend on the beautiful Mount campus.

A reservation form is required. See your parish coordinator, or send a request to:

Keith Smith, c/o Men's Retreat, Corpus Christi Church, 320 Philadelphia Ave. Chambersburg, PA 17201

His phone number is (717) 263-3442 and his email is krstbone@yahoo.com

**NOTE: DUE TO LIMITED SPACE, YOU SHOULD MAKE YOUR RESERVATION BEFORE JULY 15, 2019
RESERVATIONS MADE AFTER THAT DATE CANNOT BE GUARANTEED WITHOUT CONFIRMATION
BY THE RETREAT COMMITTEE.**

DEPOSIT: a \$60 deposit (not refundable after 7/19/19) is required for each reservation. Make checks payable to 'Corpus Christi Men's Retreat'. A balance of \$110 (for a total of \$170) is due at registration on August 3 for all rooms except those in **Keating and Powell Halls** (see below) which are available for a total of \$200 and on a limited basis, as explained below.

KEATING/POWELL HALL ROOM ASSIGNMENT SPECIFICS: Keating Hall has about 30 single rooms, with private baths. We will accept reservations for Keating on a first come-first serve basis...you must specify "Keating" on your reservation form and we will attempt to place you as requested. **ALL** rooms on lower floors and **Keating Hall** are assigned **first** to those with physical limitations - then assigned based on age. **Powell Hall**, located on the north side of campus, has 4-bedroom suites as well a limited number of single rooms available. It also has an elevator to all floors as well as a large parking lot.

IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT FOR GOOD ORDER that you indicate physical limitations as well as your age and/or type of room desired when completing your reservation form. Also, if you wish to share with a specific person - or have adjoining rooms - write this information on the reservation form. Utmost effort will be made to accommodate your wishes, so **PLEASE TELL US ON THE FORM**. Please note: There is an elevator to the second floor of the Seminary and on all floors in Keating Hall.

GENERAL ACCOMODATIONS: All accommodations include 2 nights lodging, six meals, and snacks at the Friday evening welcoming event. NOTE: There are many single rooms. In addition, there are some apartment style rooms that accommodate up to five men.

RETREAT SCHEDULE: YOU ARE EXPECTED TO REMAIN FOR THE ENTIRE RETREAT.

- Registration — Friday, 3 to 5:15 PM on ground floor of the Seminary
- Dinner — Friday at 5:45 PM in Patriot Hall
- Late Registration — 6:30 to 7 PM on ground floor of the Seminary
- Retreat begins Friday at **7:15 PM** and ends Sunday by **1:15 PM**
- Sunday, your family members are invited to attend the 10 AM Mass at the **Grotto Chapel**, have lunch (extra charge) and attend the 12:45 PM Closing Service-Benediction in **Immaculate Conception Chapel**

DIRECTIONS: Mt. St. Mary's is on U.S. 15, about 1 1/2 miles south of Emmitsburg, MD. The seminary is on the far-left rear of the campus. After turning into the campus, look for retreat signs to guide you to the parking lot, which is south of the Seminary. (No parking is allowed directly in front of the Seminary.) If your room is nearer another parking area, you will receive directions at registration.

WHAT TO BRING: The *Magnificat* prayer book for August will be provided at registration. Bring a **Bible**, a **Rosary**, and an **alarm clock**. Bring your own toiletries, including soap, and light, comfortable clothing. Bed linens are provided. (All buildings are air-conditioned.) If you are serving/reading at the altar in any role, please bring long pants and collared shirt for that assignment. If you wish to record any of the talks, bring a battery-powered recorder. Books, CD's, tapes, and religious articles are available Saturday afternoon. Swimming may be available Saturday afternoon. In keeping with the spiritual nature of the weekend, retreatants are not permitted to bring alcoholic beverages, video or card games, etc. to the retreat. Always keep cell phones in "silent" mode. Enjoy being "unplugged" from social media and your phones!

CONDUCT: SILENT AREAS will be posted and observed. Refrain from loud conversation in sleeping areas. EXCEPT IN EMERGENCIES, retreatants are asked to not leave the campus. Please observe all posted parking restrictions.

The emergency number to call the campus is 301-447-5357.

**Our Corpus Christi Men's Retreat is entering its 41st year with Father Bill Garrott, O.P. and the theme —
"The Gospel Toolbox"**



Father Bill Garrott, O.P., was born and raised in Hagerstown, Maryland. He is the youngest of eight children.

He received a Bachelor of Science in chemistry from Mount St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD. Father Bill entered the Order of Preachers in 1988 and was ordained a priest by Cardinal Sean O'Malley in 1994.

Father Bill has served in various parish and campus ministries for the Eastern Province of Dominicans including 8 years as director of vocations.

In 1999, Father Bill obtained a Masters in spiritual theology from the Pontifical University of Saint Thomas, also known as "The Angelicum" located in Rome.

Using his musical abilities, Father Bill has preached over 175 parish missions and retreats throughout the United States and Canada. His home base is Washington, DC.

FRIDAY

- 3:00 - 5:15 p.m. Registration
Seminary Lounge
- 5:45 Dinner and Welcome
Patriot Hall Dining Room
- 6:30 Late Registration
Seminary Lounge
- 7:15 Conference I
Knott Auditorium
- 8:30 Immaculate Conception Chapel
(ICC)
Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
and Procession to St. Bernard's
Chapel (Seminary)
- ** 24-HOUR ADORATION BEGINS
- 9:00-10:00 Gaudemus
Seminary Lounge
- 10:20 Night Prayers – ICC

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| * See Bulletin Board |
| ** Silence Period |
| *** Families Welcome |

SATURDAY

- ** 6:30 a.m. Rising
- ** 7:30 Morning Prayers - ICC
- 7:45 Breakfast
- 8:45 Conference II -
Knott Auditorium
- ** 9:15 Sacrament of Reconciliation -
Knott Auditorium, ICC and
Seminary
- 11:15 Mass - ICC
- 12:15 Lunch
- * 1:00 Rest / Relaxation / Meditation
(See bulletin board for available activities)
- 3:00 Stations of the Cross
Seminary Walk
- 3:45 Conference III -
Knott Auditorium
- 5:00 Scriptural Rosary
Knott Auditorium
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:00 Conference IV -
Knott Auditorium
- ** 8:30 Reposition of
Blessed Sacrament and
Night Prayers - ICC

SUNDAY

- ** 6:30 a.m. Rising and
Private Morning Offering
- 7:45 Breakfast
- 8:30 Conference V -
Knott Auditorium
- *** 10:00 Mass at Grotto Chapel
- *** 11:45: Lunch
- *** 12:45 Benediction and
Farewell - ICC
- *** Families Welcome



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and Serve the

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Address: _____ Town: _____
State & Zip: _____ Parish: _____
Email _____ Cell Phone (____) _____
Year of Birth: _____ Is this your first retreat with us? _____
Phys.Limit.? _____ Room.Reqmts? _____

Will Serve As: Lector Mass Server Euch.Minst. (current appointment needed)
Deposit* \$ _____ Check # _____ Cash Rec'd By: _____

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