

Come and Rest Awhile . . . at St. Therese Retreat Center



January 15 - 17, 2010
1st Annual Retreat for St. Brigid Men

Sponsored by
St. Brigid Men's Spirituality Group

Theme: "Spiritual Time Out"
Featuring: Reverend James A. Wehner, STD

The Retreat begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday evening and concludes at 12:00 noon on Sunday
at the St. Therese Retreat Center, 5277 East Broad St., Columbus, OH 43213.
www.st-therese-retreat.org

Men of St. Brigid Parish are encouraged to attend this retreat weekend. A payment of \$125 covers the cost of the retreat.

Reservations are first-come, first-served limited to 50 participants.

Contact Steve Cianca (614) 315-1561 or Tom Corroto (614) 264-6573 or Mark VanHuffel (317) 696-6761 or Matt Vulcanich (614) 519-4937

For reservations, mail this form and a \$125 check made out to "St. Brigid" to:
St. Brigid Men's Retreat, c/o Matt Vulcanich, 6312 Deeside Drive, Dublin Ohio 43017

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Email address: _____ **Age:** _____

Dietary Restrictions: _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ **Relationship:** _____ **Phone:** _____

FEATURED SPEAKER: Father Jim Wehner



Rev. James A. Wehner, STD, was appointed fifteenth Rector of the Pontifical College Josephinum by the Congregation for Catholic Education at the Holy See on July 1, 2009.

Father Wehner was ordained for the Diocese of Pittsburgh in 1995 after completing the BA Degree in Philosophy from Duquesne University and the STB degree from the Pontifical Gregorian University. He earned the STL degree from the Pontifical Gregorian University in 1996.

Father Wehner served as personal secretary to then Bishop Donald Wuerl and Assistant Director for the Office of Worship. He was reassigned to doctoral studies in Rome earning the STD (*summa cum laude*) in 2001 from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Dogmatic Theology with a specialization in the New Evangelization. Father Wehner served as Rector of St. Paul Seminary in 2002. He also served as the Director for the Office for the Diaconate, Director for Clergy and Ministerial Formation, Director for Evangelization, and Vocations Director. Additionally, he served as Chaplain to the Shuman Juvenile Detention Center, chaplain to the Serra Club, a Trustee for Carlow University, member of the Board of Directors for the Catholic Men’s Fellowship of Pittsburgh, and board member for the Institute for Ministries.

RETREAT PREVIEW

Father Jim Wehner will celebrate Mass with us and speak about Male Spirituality during this interactive retreat weekend. Other speakers will also present on this theme as we initiate the St. Brigid Men’s Spirituality Group with its purpose to awaken, renew and grow the Catholic Spirituality of the men at St. Brigid.

WHAT TO BRING

The Retreat is casual. You will receive more specific information regarding what to bring after you register. Room, board, shower/bed linens and all meals will be provided. The atmosphere and accommodations are excellent. You won’t need to bring much more than an open mind and heart.

WHY SHOULD I ATTEND THIS RETREAT?

There are very few opportunities in our lives to experience a spiritual “Time Out”. This retreat can be an important part of your spiritual growth and the growth of our parish community. It is intended to create an atmosphere where we can experience God and grow in our relationship with Christ and other men at St. Brigid.