



Carmelite Spiritual Center

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INTO THE LAND OF CARMEL **A Retreat/Seminar in the Carmelite Tradition** **July 14 - July 19, 2024**

The Carmelite tradition began with a small group of Christians coming together in a valley on Mount Carmel in Israel in the early 1200's. Life in the valley included an atmosphere of silence and solitude. These hermits gathered for daily Eucharist and weekly dialogue. Their fundamental activity was a contemplative attending to God's loving presence.

This retreat/seminar will reflect the life lived long ago on Mount Carmel, but with additional elements of instruction in the tradition. With the saints of Carmel as our guides, we will explore the origins of Carmel, our living tradition, and the nature of contemplative prayer.



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Sunday, July 14

5:00 pm

Eucharist for travelers

6:00 pm

Dinner

7:30 pm

*The Dwelling Places of
Saint Teresa of Avila*

Presenter: John Welch, O.Carm.

Daily Schedule

Monday, July 15

through

Thursday, July 18

8:00 am

Morning Prayer

8:30 am

Breakfast

10:00 am

CONFERENCE

11:30 am

Eucharist

12:30 pm

Lunch

1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

*Quiet time to
enjoy the campus,
shrine, museum,
& gift shop*

4:00 pm

CONFERENCE

5:30 pm

Evening prayer

6:00 pm

Dinner

7:30 pm

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Friday, July 19

8:00 am

Morning prayer

8:30 am

Breakfast

10:00 am

*Carmelite Studies at The
Catholic University of America*

Presenter: John Welch, O. Carm.

11:30 am

Eucharist

Liturgy at the Shrine

12:30 pm

Lunch & Departure

RETREAT CONFERENCES

Monday, July 15

10:00 am

**The Evolution of Carmel's Charism
from the Rule to the Reformation**

Presenter: Keith Egan, T.O. Carm.

4:00 pm

Leading the Lectio Divina I

Presenter: Craig Morrison, O. Carm.

7:30 pm

How the Rule Came To Be

Presenter: Michael Mulhall, O. Carm.

Tuesday, July 16

10:00 am

Simon Stock: Many Scapular Legends

Presenter: Leopold Glueckert, O. Carm.

4:00 pm

How To Be Guided by the Rule Today

Presenter: Michael Mulhall, O. Carm.

7:30 pm

Carmelite Family Night

Hosts: Cindy Perazzo, T.O. Carm.

& Kelley Henderson, T.O. Carm.

Wednesday, July 17

10:00 am

Leading the Lectio Divina II

Presenter: Craig Morrison, O. Carm.

4:00 pm

**John of St. Samson's Commentary
on the Rule**

Presenter: Neil Conlisk, O. Carm.

7:30 pm

Open Evening

Private Time, Discussions, Group Meetings

Thursday, July 18

10:00 am

**Saint Thérèse: Simplicity
in a Complex World**

Presenter: Robert Colaresi, O. Carm.

4:00 pm

**Baptist of Mantua,
the "Christian Virgil"**

Presenter: Leopold Glueckert, O. Carm.

7:30 pm

A Night at the Saint Thérèse Museum

Guide: Robert Colaresi, O. Carm.



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RESERVATION INFORMATION

\$475 for double occupancy

*Includes
Meals & Tuition*

\$625 for single occupancy

*Includes
Meals & Tuition*

COMMUTERS

\$375 for the week

*Includes
Meals & Tuition*

REGISTRATION

DEADLINE

JULY 1ST, 2024



RETREAT REGISTRATION FORM

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Please Check One

Due to high demand we encourage participants to choose double occupancy if possible.

Program w/Double Occupancy Room & Meals - \$475

Roommate Name: _____

Program w/Single Occupancy Room & Meals - \$625

Commuter Rate - Program w/Meals - \$375

We respectfully request that each attendee provide verification, verbal or otherwise, of COVID vaccination.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Email _____ Cell # _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

I authorize Carmelite Spiritual Center to charge \$ _____ to my Visa Mastercard AMEX Discover

Name on card: _____ Account #: _____

Expiration date: _____ CVV #: _____

Please sign here: _____

or

I have enclosed check in the amount of \$ _____

Please Check All That Apply

Special Meal Requirements - *kitchen will contact you prior to event.*

Accessibility Requirements - *front desk will contact you prior to event.*

Return Registration Form & Payment To
CARMELITE SPIRITUAL CENTER | 8419 BAILEY ROAD | DARIEN, IL 60561
Registration Deadline is July 1st, 2024