

2010
Clergy & Educators Retreat
Presbytery of Chicago

Greg Buell (Village Church, Northbrook) and Jay Moses (First Pres, Wheaton) from the Ecumenical & Inter-Religious Work Group are keynote speakers for Monday morning on the theme "Welcoming Strangers: Renewal Within - Reaching Out."

Following Greg & Jay, there will be Table Groups to discuss the theme.

On that Monday evening, several colleagues will form a panel looking at practical efforts for welcoming strangers - to see those we have not been seeing.

On Tuesday morning, we will gather in Small Groups to define action steps for reaching out. And we will also form Triads of Accountability for 2010.

The Retreat will culminate with a celebration of worship and Communion.

REGISTER TODAY!

Please fill out
and send the registration form
on the back by January 8, 2010.

**Directions to St. Mary of the
Lake Seminary —
Registration is in the Conference
Center Residence Hall**

Using I-94, exit west at Route 176 - Rockland Road, west through Libertyville. Entering Mundelein turn right at the main entrance to the Seminary. Follow signs for the Conference Center parking.

Using I-290 follow signs for Route 53 - North Suburbs to Lake Cook Road - Exit east—right on Lake Cook east to Arlington Heights Road, turn north - left on Arlington Heights to Route 83, then left on 83 to route 45 in Mundelein. Route 45 enters at a right angle so follow straight ahead on 45 beyond route 176 - turn right at the next traffic light—the entrance to St. Mary of the Lake. Follow signs for the Conference Center Parking.

To be contacted during the retreat
our 24-hour contact phone is:
(847) 566-8290

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"Welcoming Strangers"
Renewal Within -
Reaching Out



A retreat by and
for all clergy and educators
of Chicago Presbytery

Sunday, January 31 thru
Tuesday, February 2, 2010
St. Mary of the Lake Seminary
Mundelein, IL

Sponsored by the Empower Ministry

2010 Retreat Goals

“Welcoming Strangers”
is for personal renewal within and
practicing ways of reaching out
There will be time with colleagues
and time to be alone.

Also, there will be activities;
discussions regarding outreach; spiritual
direction; worship and celebration;
open caring for friends;
and walks around the lake.

A part of POC’s vision and a large part of the
mission strategy of the
Empower Ministry
Mission Priority Leadership Team is
to strengthen our leaders.

The goal for
Welcoming Strangers
is to help meet this priority...
all with the goal for renewal within and
reaching out.

Spiritual refreshment through worship,
music, prayer, a labyrinth and
time with spiritual directors
is yours to enjoy.

Be good stewards of your body, mind and
soul by taking these 40 hours to retreat with
your friends and colleagues!

Tentative Schedule

Sunday, January 31

- 4:00 p.m. Come anytime 4-9:00 p.m.
Register in the Resident Hall
living room, visit, rest and relax
- 7:00 p.m. Light buffet meal in coffee room
- 9:00 p.m. Evening prayer in living room

Monday, February 1

- 8:15-9:00 a.m. Breakfast ~ Dining Hall
- 9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer ~
Room 102 in Conference Hall
- 10:00 a.m. Buell & Moses: Welcoming
Strangers
- 11:30 a.m. Table Groups ~ Room 102
- 1:00 p.m. Lunch ~ Dining Hall
then free time, optional activities
- 2:00 p.m. Free time, labyrinth, Spiritual
Director appointments, walk the
campus, lake, or rest
- 5:00 p.m. Sing Along in Residence Hall
living room
- 6:15 p.m. Supper ~ Dining Hall
- 7:15 p.m. Evening Prayer
- 7:30 p.m. Panel: Welcoming Strangers
- 9:00 p.m. Group Social ~ living room

Tuesday, February 2

- 8:15-9:00 a.m. Breakfast ~ Dining Hall
- 9:30 a.m. Small Groups - Chapel ~
Residence 2nd floor
- 10:15 a.m. Break ~
Residence Hall - Checkout
- 10:30 a.m. Final Celebration:
Worship- Communion ~ Chapel

Cost: \$150 single room, \$120 Double, \$100
Commuter. Meals are included and bed and
bath linens are provided.

Complete this registration form & mail to:

2010 Clergy Retreat
Presbytery of Chicago
100 S. Morgan
Chicago, IL 60607-2619

Make Check Payable to:

PRESBYTERY OF CHICAGO

Include ‘2010 Clergy Retreat, Empower Ministry’
on the memo line

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____

Home Phone _____

Email _____

COMMUTER

\$100.00 Yes _____ No _____

HOUSING

Sunday Yes _____ No _____

Monday Yes _____ No _____

ROOM ACCOMMODATIONS

Single - \$150.00 _____

Double - \$120.00 _____

I would like to room with _____

MEALS

Check which meals you expect to be present for:

Sunday: Dinner _____

Monday: Breakfast _____

Lunch _____

Dinner _____

Tuesday: Breakfast _____

Please describe any special dietary needs: