

Pallottine Renewal Center

15270 Old Halls Ferry Road Florissant, MO 63034 314-837-7100

Driving Directions:

IF YOU ARE COMING FROM THE EAST

Take Highway I-70 to I-270. you can pick up I-270 in Illinois and cross the Chain of Rocks
Bridge across the Mississippi River. Stay on I-270 to Lindbergh Boulevard. Take Lindbergh
Blvd. **NORTH** to Old Halls Ferry Road. You will come to New Halls Ferry Road before Old Halls
Ferry Road, so don't turn on New Halls Ferry.

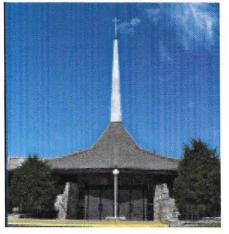
Make a left and you will go about a mile to the Retreat Center. It is on the right. If you are coming from the West:

Take I-70 to i-270 and go north Stay on I-270 to Lindbergh Boulevard. Take Lindbergh Blvd. **NORTH** to Old Halls Ferry Road. You will come to New Halls Ferry Road before Old Halls Ferry Road, so don't turn on New Halls Ferry. Make a left and you will go about a mile to the Retreat Center. It is on the right.

About the Pallottine Center:

The Pallottine Renewal Center is a ministry of the Pallottine Missionary Sisters, an order of Roman Catholic religious sisters founded by St. Vincent Pallotti.

Our retreat center in North Saint Louis County provides a welcoming place for groups to come for retreat, conference, or other types of gatherings. We welcome small and large groups who wish to host a one-day event or stay overnight. With the competence and capabilities of a conference center and the hospitality and comforts of home, our facility is the perfect place for your group to come for reflection and renewal.



The Pallottine Renewal Center is a sacred place of peace, hope, and renewal where all are welcome.

We provide and maintain an environment which is comfortable and safe, faith driven and supportive, open and present to the needs of individuals and communities, and reflects the charism of the Pallottine Missionary Sisters.

"The Love of Christ Impels Us" is the motto of the Pallottine Missionary Sisters – an international congregation of religious women serving in 18 countries.

This motto was the spirit that impassioned their founder, St. Vincent Pallotti, towards holiness by imitating Jesus and spreading the Gospel message – and it is the same spirit that inspires them today.

Their religious mission is two-fold: to spread the Gospel message by any and all means, and to empower the laity to focus their God given talents and gifts so they may fully live out the 2 vocation to which God has called them.





Pallottine Renewal Center Amenities

(All amenities are included in your registration fee)

BRING YOUR BATHING SUITS.

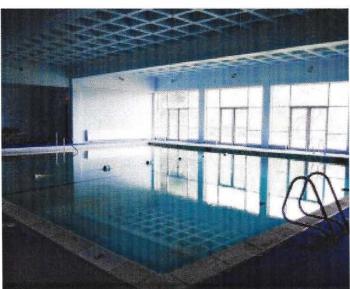
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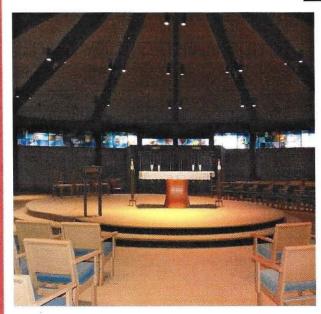
wifi throughout

breakout rooms; labyrinth

Chapel

Assembly Room







When it comes to life the critical thing is whether you take things for granted or take them with gratitude. G.K. Chesterton

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Praise the Bridge that carried you over. George Coleman

Registration form:

Please return all pages to: Pat Daly, OPA 480 Liberty Street Braintree, MA 02184 781 843 8137 pmdaly@beld.net



Dominican Institute for the Arts

Gathering 2019

Please note:

If you have to cancel please call Pat Daly 781 843 8137 at least one week prior to the Gathering or a fee will be charged for your room to DIA. Please make checks payable to DIA - (if sent by your Congregation please make sure your name is somewhere on the check for bookkeeping accuracy)

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Name preferred on Name tag	<i>*</i>				
Please indicate any specific or dietary needs so we can make these known to the food service.					
DIA Membership fee (due in January - please include if not paid)	35.00				
Gathering Fee Deposit: (put toward fee) Gathering Fee: (by June 1)	50.00				
Room Accommodations: (choose one of the following options)					
31 private rooms with bathrooms	Price 400.00				
12 private rooms with shared bathroom	Price 375.00				
10 Private Rooms with Community Bathrooms	Price 360.00				
Shared room	Price 350.00				
TOTAL ENCLOSED:					



Keynote Speaker: Sr. Margaret Ormond, OP

A Dominican Sister of Peace and a native of Brooklyn, NY,
Margaret Ormand has spent much of her ministerial life in the States where she ministered in education, formation, preaching and congregational leadership.
Margaret did her theological studies in Rome and served there as the first Coordinator of Dominican Sisters International.

As such, she facilitated collaboration among Dominican Women in Africa, Asia, Europe, and Latin America. She continued this ministry of collaboration as the First Prioress of the Dominican Sisters of Peace.

Presently, she serves as President of Dominican Academy in New York City. She looks forward to discovering more about the "Attitude of Gratitude as Beatitude" at the DIA meeting in St. Louis, next summer.



"Wisdom consists in doing the next thing you have to do, doing it with your whole heart, and finding delight in doing it." Meister Eckhart

Tentative Gathering Schedule

Sunday July 28, 2019

Arrival, Registration, Room Assignment,

Joy doesn't give us Gratitude, Gratitude gives us joy. Br. David Rast

5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Dinner will be served Gathering will Open

Dining Room Conference Room

Welcome - Pat Daly, OPA

Opening Prayer

Introductions - Elizabeth Slenker, Chair of Planning Committee Welcome - Marilyn Webb, MA, Director of the Pallottine Center

Virtual Gallery

Social

Monday, July 29, 2019

7:30-8:30 a.m.

Breakfast

Dining Room

9:00 a.m.

Morning Prayer

Conference Room

9:30 a.m.

Introduction of Keynote Speaker, Pat Daly

10:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sr. Margaret Ormond, OP: Part 2

Sr. Margaret Ormond, OP: Part 1

Conference Room

12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:15 p.m.

Group Photo

front of Building

1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Workshops Part 1

Assigned rooms

3:00 3:30-5:00 Break

Workshops Part 2

Assigned Rooms

5:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Dinner

Dining Room Nominations for Board

Social following immediately

Tuesday, July 30, 2019

7:30-8:30 a.m.

Breakfast

Dining Room

9:00

Morning Prayer

Conference Room

9:30-10:30

Board Elections and Business Meeting

10:30-11:00

Break

11:00 - 12:00

Presentation by Sheila Flynn

12:00 - 1:00

Lunch

1:00 - 2:30

The Art of Preaching through the Arts - Sharing our Art

2:30-3:00

Break

3:00 - 3:30

Soundings from Membership

Liturgy and Presentation of Awards

4:00

Dinner immediately following Liturgy and Awards

7:00

Gala followed by Social

Wednesday July 31, 2019

Breakfast & Departure There is a full group coming in right after the DIA so please be out of your room by 9:00 a.m.

Anyone who wishes to spend time in St. Louis to see the sights after the Gathering can speak to Pat Daly or Elizabeth Slenker about other accommodations. Please do this by July 1. 6

2019 Workshops
There is not a more pleasing exercise of the mind than gratitude. It is accompanied with such an inward satisfaction that the duty is sufficiently rewarded by the performance Joseph Addison



The Art of Illumination

Irene Mary Diones, OP

This workshop is in the contemporary or decorative style having a significant theme, a letter or a focal symbol and decorating /illustrating/or elaborating it with designs and colors. Text will be added in calligraphy to complete the piece.

The Blessing of Dance

Dr. Phyllis Chappell, Dominican Family/Houston

Explore the art of dance and how dance becomes a prayer of worship through body movement.

Praying with Gratitude using the Mandala

Paulette Patritti, OP

Experience prayer using an age old centering technique of the Mandala form.

The Art of Icons

Glynis Mary McManamon, RGS

This will be a presentation of Iconography using age old techniques of Eastern style and thought.

Contemplative Photography

Pat Daly, OPA

Discover the beauty and Mystery within and around you as we explore the grounds to see and hopefully capture the natural beauty surrounding the Pallottine Renewal Center. Any type of camera is welcomed. In case of rain, bring along a few of your photographic images to share and we can chat about photography.

Sharing the Journey of an Artist

Self Directed exploration

Who are you as a Dominican Artist and how do you preach through your art? What inspired you to be an artist, and how have you evolved in your discipline of art?

The Art of Praising God... CHA, CHA, CHA

Andre Marie Fujier, OP

tips on the use of small percussion instruments in:

* Liturgies, para-liturgies, prayer groups; * using percussion when you only have one instrument to accompany the song or hymn * Hands on use of small percussion with songs and parts of various Mass acclamations* Latin Rhythms and some Gospel Rhythm

The Create Space

Self directed

If you would like to spend time trying new or familiar art media, this is a space for you to do your own thing the way you want on your own time, or just watch.

Just BE

Sometimes it's good just to take a deep breath, relax with nothing pressing to do or someplace one is expected. Relax and take time with God. Enjoy the beautiful grounds.

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Please fill out the following information for reserving a spot for the Marketplace. Reserve Your Place: Name Congregation Phone/Cell Please mail any items for the marketplace addressed to yourself, c/o Marcia Wilderman, Retreat & Events Coordinator 15270 Old Halls Ferry Road Florissant, MO 63034 to arrive between 7/23 & 7/26. If you need to call Marcia # 314 837 7100 Give thanks because contentment only grows when you shower upon it Gratefulness.

Virtual Gallery

Visual artists are invited to submit five pieces of art plus a photo of the artist. Please include the title of the works and your name. Please e-mail your work in JPG format to:

Sr. Barbara Schwarz at artafire@hotmail.com

Please have your work sent to Barbara by June 1, 2019

Hasan Gopalani

Gratitude is the fairest blossom which springs from the soul. Henry Ward Beecher

Workshops

There will be TWO sessions of workshops on Monday afternoon: 1:30-3:00 and 3:30-5:00. Please indicate the workshops you wish to attend so we may plan accordingly. Please choose an alternate as some are limited in participants. Workshops descriptions see page 7.

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The Art of Icons ——— Glynis Mary Mcmanamon	Contemplative Photography ——— Pat Daly
The Art of Praising God, Cha,Cha,Cha —— Andre Marie Fujier	The Blessing of Dance Phyllis Chappell, M.D. OPA
Just Be	Just Be

Gratitude is an offering precious in the sight of God, and it is one that the poorest of us can make and be not poorer, but richer for having made it. A.W. Tozer 8

Transportation:

Please fill out the Transportation form and send it to Pat Daly: 480 Liberty Street

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You will be picked up by the Sparkill Dominican Sisters in St. Louis and driven to the Pallottine Renewal Center. Please try to schedule your flight at a reasonable time not to arrive too early in the morning, nor during rush hour as traffic is horrific. Follow the signs to the baggage claim area. Go outside to the "Pick Up" station. The Drivers will display a sign for DIA. Drivers are not allowed to park the car or leave it, so make sure you meet the car at the specified time. A gratuity of \$5.00 each way to the driver will be appreciated.					
Travel Departure					
Departure front St. Louis International Airport:					
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Sr. Ann Marie Santen, OP 314 952 7930			atítude is the best attitude:		

DIA Gathering - 2019 Checklist:				
Membership fee		(due January 1, 2019)		
Registration form & fee	\Rightarrow	(by June 15, 2019)		
Workshop Reservation	\Rightarrow	(by June 15, 2019		
Special needs		(by June 15, 2019)		
Flight information needed (Please make sure you fill out the flight information paper in the registration packet.	\Rightarrow	(by June 15, 2019)		
If you will be driving please let us know when to expect you				
Market place reservation	\Rightarrow	(by June 15, 2019)		
Virtual Gallery entries	\Rightarrow	(Due June 1 , 2019)		
Scholarship Assistance	\Rightarrow	(by May 1, 2019)		
Tuck that little piece of art for sharing in your suitcase		right before you come		
Please send all your information to: Pat Daly: 480 Liberty Street Braintree, MA 02184 781 843 8137 I'm just thankful for everything, all the blessings in my life, trying to stay that way.				
I think it's the best way to start your day and finish your day. It keeps everything in perspective. Tim Tebow				