

And the Lord Gave Me Brothers . . .

2019 Inter-Provincial Retreat

January 14-18, 2019 Scottsdale AZ

February 04-08, 2019 Winter Park FL

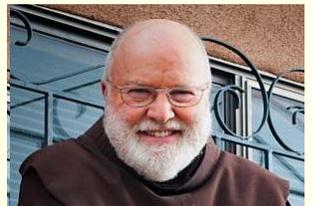
Franciscan Renewal Center ❖ San Pedro Retreat Center

These retreats are jointly sponsored by the USA OFM Franciscan Retreat Committee.

Friars from any OFM province are welcome to attend.

Our Presenter

Richard Rohr, OFM is a globally recognized ecumenical teacher bearing witness to the universal awakening within Christian mysticism and the Perennial Tradition. He is a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Province and founder of the Center for Action and Contemplation (CAC) in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Richard's teaching is grounded in the Franciscan alternative orthodoxy—practices of contemplation and self-emptying, expressing itself in radical compassion, particularly for the socially marginalized.



He is the author of numerous books, including “*Everything Belongs*”, “*Adam’s Return*”, “*The Naked Now*”, “*Breathing Under Water*”, “*Falling Upward*”, “*Immortal Diamond*”, and “*Eager to Love: The Alternative Way of Francis of Assisi.*” His newest book is “*The Divine Dance: The Trinity and Your Transformation*” (with Mike Morrell)

‡ ‡ About the Retreat ‡ ‡

The decision made by six of the seven USA OFM Provinces to join together promises to have a profound effect on the Franciscan movement in our country. It will create a major paradigm shift. *What will be expected of us? What can we expect from the new unified Province? What are the major challenges that await us? Will the People of God be consulted? What about our “sacred cows?”* So many questions. So little time to contemplate during the retreat but perhaps the groundwork for deeper local discussion can be laid during our time together. ***Be assured this is not a workshop or problem solving week. Richard hopes to create the spiritual space in which we can all listen to these issues and speak to these issues in a contemplative, less fearful, and more faith-filled way.***

About the Retreat Sites

The Franciscan Renewal Center — January 14-18, 2019 — has existed since 1951 as a place for spiritual retreats, wellness, healing and more. It predates the affluent Town of Paradise Valley – with resorts, mansions, pools, paved roads, and all. That a dusty, former dude ranch would become a God-filled spiritual retreat center and that the Franciscan friars –grounded in vows of poverty – would become surrounded by some of the area’s wealthiest residents speaks to nothing less than the astounding “coincidence of opposites;” that which unifies rather than divides. — **Fly to Phoenix, AZ and take Super Shuttle (602.244.9000) to the Casa. Use CODE YAKAX for special discount.**

The San Pedro Spiritual Development Center— February 04-08, 2019— (San Pedro Center) is located on 470 acres which includes beautiful properties nestled among protected Florida wetlands. Located on Lake Howell in Winter Park, FL. The majority of the land was purchased in 1955 by Archbishop Joseph P. Hurley, Bishop of the Diocese of St. Augustine. Archbishop Hurley had an uncanny ability to predict the growth patterns of the State of Florida. Nicknamed “ten-acre Joe,” Archbishop Hurley bought up key parcels of real estate all over the state with sites for future parishes in mind. — **Fly to Orlando, FL and take Premiere Royal Shuttle (407.208.1101 — ask for Paul).**

Registrations Must Be Received No Later Than December 21, 2018

REGISTRATION is \$450.00 per Friar Single Room/ \$400.00 per Friar for shared Double Room

(Includes private room and bathroom / room with 2 beds and bathroom, all meals and evening snacks beginning with Monday evening light dinner and ending with the Friday morning breakfast.)

! All First Floor Rooms have walk-in showers with hand rails.

Payment is due with Registration. ❖ We cannot hold rooms for future payment.

Deadline for Registration: December 21, 2018

Name _____ Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email: _____
___ **Scottsdale AZ Retreat** ___ **Winter Park FL Retreat** Province _____

SINGLE RM ___ \$450.00 ! DOUBLE ROOM ___ \$400.00 PER PERSON

❑ Rooming with: _____ P FIRST FLOOR ROOM: _____

● Please send \$450.00/\$400.00 check Payable to: FRIAR RETREATS, PO Box 12395,

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