

Praying with the Arts

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Praying our Desolation, Consolation, and Gratitude | Saturday, October 20, 2012

St. Mary-on-the-Lake — 1655-1663 Killarney Way, Bellevue

Communion with God is a constant ascent 'from glory to glory.' Each step of this ascent includes the joy of further expectation . . . Thus, in meeting God, there is never frustration, or satiety, but only the discovery of true Love.

John Meyendorff

This prayer retreat will provide an opportunity to pray our desolation, consolation, and gratitude assisted by selected *Psalms* and relevant texts from the book of *Hebrews*.

Masterpieces of two 19th century landscape artists — Casper David Friedrich, German and Jean Francois Millet, French — will also be our companions in prayer, along with music and poetry.

The goal of the retreat is to enter into *sweet conversation, glad comfort, great peace, and amazing friendship* (Thomas a Kempis) with our Lord.



Schedule

8:30* — Arrive

9:00-10:30 — Session 1

10:30-11:00 — Snack Break

11:00-12:15 — Session 2

12:20-1:30 — Session 3

* please bring a journal and pen or pencil

Retreat Facilitator

Rev. M. Louise Holert. Louise has served as a special term missionary teacher, Christian education director, associate pastor and also as an associate director of a ministry to international students. She has graduate degrees in Christian Education, Theology, and Missiology, along with a certificate in Spiritual Formation. Louise has led a number of "Praying with the Arts" retreats over the past several years. Her passion is helping others nurture intimacy with God through the arts.

*We must be still and still moving
Into another intensity
For a further union,
a deeper communion.*

T. S. Eliot, Four Quartets

Praying our Desolation, Consolation, and Gratitude Retreat Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

Please confirm my registration by ☐ email or ☐ phone.

☐ I would like to be notified of other retreats and programs.

Cost: \$30 per person

Registration limited to 20 people

Total enclosed with this registration:

\$ _____

Please register by October 13

Please make checks to:

M. Louise Holert

Questions?

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