



GREEN LAKE CONFERENCE CENTER SPIRITUAL GROWTH RETREAT

JUNE 5 - 11, 2022

GATHERING AT ROBBINS HOUSE

"TOUCHING A FINGER TO THE FLAME"



BIBLE STUDY AND GROUP DISCUSSION LEADER: REV. DR. THOMAS ALDWORTH

An exceptional problem solver with over forty-six years of ministerial leadership roles along with twelve years of private and collegiate counseling experience with a focus on spiritual and personal guidance. Many years spent as a Franciscan friar before leaving the Franciscans in order to marry (widowed in October 2016). An American Baptist minister with accredited ordination. Prior to his retirement in 2020 he served for 12 years as Senior Pastor of Morgan Park Baptist Church; Chicago, IL (Member Church of ABCUSA) Published Author; Certified 3rd Degree Black Belt in Taekwondo!!

RETREAT GATHERING PLACE: Robbins House sleeps 14 and has three bedrooms on the main floor with a queen bed in each. The upstairs has 4 single rooms with two twin beds in each. It has a fully stocked kitchen to allow for residents to prepare their own meals. Robbins House is located lakeside near the Vesper Circle and is accessible by car. This house will fit so well with the community feel of the gathering and help everyone hear better what the presenters are sharing!! Other rooms are available in Bauer Lodge. **CALL 920-294-3323 TO RESERVE!!**

The Cost of the full retreat has been held at the same rate as last year: **\$503.95** per person - which includes **dinner** each evening, **lodging** for 6 nights and retreat fees.

Thanks to the generosity of donors, money has been given to help cover the extra food expenses and speaker honorariums etc. Many, many thanks to them for their thoughtfulness. **For anyone planning to eat**

breakfast or lunch at Bauer Dining Room, you will need to **notify the front desk when making your reservations**. Because of some changes in planning and procedures Food Service cannot always guarantee to have extra meal tickets available! **PLEASE PLAN AHEAD!!**
Make your reservations NOW at: 920-294-3323



The book that will be referenced in the Bible Study and the evening's group discussion is: **"Biblical Foundations of Spirituality"** by Barbara E Bowe. Unfortunately, it has gone out of print and copies are now available at Amazon in their "Used Books" area when you look for paperbacks in that section. Sorry for the inconvenience! It is a classic well worth the effort!!

MEET YOUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH RETREAT GUIDES

HOST AND HOSTESS:

JOHN AND CAROLINE OVERZET

The Overzets have been meeting, greeting, serving and welcoming people to Green Lake for many, many years in their servant role as volunteers!

They will be greeting you throughout each day as they shepherd the varied activities, time schedules, coffee breaks, mealtimes etc. and provide it all with warm, heart-felt hospitality.

We are thrilled to have them join this community and bring their special mix of leadership gifts!!

DEVOTIONAL AND WORSHIP LEADERS:

REV GEORGE AND JOYCE KIMSEY

Leading times of devotional thought and worship is not new to the Kimseys! For many, many faithful years they served local churches in pastoral ministry. Even in retirement they continue in vital visitation ministry.

With George's deep knowledge of Scripture and Joyce's brilliant talent at the piano, each morning will resonate with meaningful worship for all. Their warm loving personalities bless all who meet them!

Another blessing to this community as they share their meaningful gifts!!

LOGISTICAL ASSISTANT: PAT ZIMMER

As she has for so many years, Pat continues to provide logistical support as needed for this, and many other former conferences. Preparing handouts, name tags and folders for participants, working with grace behind the scenes, her assistance is priceless!!

EVENT PLANNER: REV SANDRA WIMPELBERG

This is Sandra's final year to journey with this event. She is now serving as President of the Worldwide Gifts Board, Vice-Chair of the GLCC Board and Project Manager for WWG, all volunteer positions. In June, she will not be available for the Retreat since she and Don will be in Tennessee attending the wedding of one of their granddaughters!!

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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY JUNE 5

3:00pm Check in at front desk

5:00pm Dinner in Bauer Dining Room (look for designated tables)

6:30pm Gathering and Get Acquainted at Robbins House

8:00pm Social Time: games, cards, conversation etc.

MONDAY 6TH - FRIDAY 10TH

9:00am Gathering and Announcements – John and Caroline Overzet

9:20am Devotional and Worship – Rev. George and Joyce Kimsey

10:00am Coffee Break Fellowship

10:30am Bible Study and Discussion – Rev. Dr. Thomas Aldworth

11:45am Break for Lunch

NOON Lunch followed by afternoon Free Time – Optional Activities

5:00pm Dinner Together in Bauer Dining Room

6:30pm Reflection and Group Discussion – Rev. Aldworth

8:00pm Social Time

SATURDAY JUNE 11

No session – breakfast, checkout, and preparation for travel

SPECIAL EVENTS – Wednesday at 3:30pm, visit with Ben Mott (Robbins)

Thursday at 8pm – Pie Night!! Friday at 7:30pm – Parting Communion