



2009 SUMMER PROGRAMS

St. Anthony
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Summer is a wonderful time to visit St. Anthony's. All of our programs provide a rich banquet for body and soul. And, the beautiful gardens and woods of St. Anthony's provide a feast for the eyes and for the heart—offering an ideal setting in which to rest, reflect, and renew. We hope one of these offerings will call you to join us!



This summer we will
be offering:

Elderhostel Program
“Spirituality and Architecture”
June 14-19, 2009

5-Day Preached Retreat on
“The Kingdom of God:
Right Here, Right Now”
June 21-26, 2009

3-Day Directed Retreat
July 9-12-2009

6-Day Directed Retreat
July 12-18, 2009

Recovering Alcoholic Retreat &
Al-Anon Retreat Weekend
July 24-26, 2009

Young Adult Retreat
August 21-23, 2009
Offered by a team of Young Adults

5-Day Preached Retreat June 21-26, 2009

Fr. Dan Crosby, OFM Cap.
and Mary Testin

The heart of Jesus' preaching of the gospel was always about the Kingdom or Reign of God. What did 'kingdom' mean to the people of Jesus' day? How did Jesus understand it? What fire did Jesus hope to light through the Kingdom and how can we catch that fire ourselves?

OUR MISSION

Saint Anthony Retreat Center is a community, a staff, and a place rooted in the Gospel of Jesus as lived out joyfully by Saint Francis of Assisi. We provide atmosphere, guidance and support for people of all beliefs and financial backgrounds who are searching to become more fully human, more deeply connected with God, others and creation.

Elderhostel Program with St. Anthony Retreat Center: Spirituality and Architecture**June 14-19, 2009**

Experience the unique, ninety year-old beauty and architecture of St. Anthony Retreat Center-and learn something of the Franciscan spirituality that shaped it. During these five days our group will explore how different spiritualities (different ways of being in the world) manifest themselves in different forms of sacred and secular architecture. These architectural forms, in turn, shape and influence the spirituality of those who dwell there. Visits to other significant sites are part of the week. Come for a delightful and enriching experience! Presenters: Fr. Dan Crosby and other professionals.

For further information contact St. Anthony's or Elderhostel directly: www.elderhostel.org or call 800-454-5768. Program #17594RJ
 Cost: \$598.00 includes 5 nights and 3 meals each day. Commuters (no overnight accommodations but includes meals): \$423.00.

Registration must be made through Elderhostel.

**Directed Retreats: 3-Day Directed: July 9-12, 2009 (Directors include Fr. Dan Crosby, Fr. Tom Zelinski, Mary Testin and Connie Sprague)
 6-Day Directed: July 12-18, 2009 (Directors include Fr. Dan Crosby, Fr. Tom Zelinski, Mary Testin, Sr. Sharon Roedl, SSND, Sr. Jolynn Brehm, FSPA, and Fr. Ron Smith, former Director of St. Anthony's.**

The Lord invites each of us to take some time away in the quiet for deep prayer, listening, rest, and renewal. On a directed retreat, one accepts this invitation by walking through the days of retreat with an experienced spiritual companion or director. The director meets with the retreatant daily to listen to his/her prayer and life experiences and to assist in discerning the movement of the Spirit in the retreatant's life. Scripture may be used as a basis for prayer, reflection, and meditation; however, the director may suggest other resources as well. Daily Liturgy and communal prayer services are provided.

Recovering Alcoholic Retreat & Al-Anon Retreat Weekend**July 24-26, 2009****Theme: "Living With Your Higher Power"**

St. Anthony's will be offering two anonymous retreats this weekend—one for recovering alcoholics and one for Al-Anon. These programs will be running at the same time but in different sessions of the facility. We will have the same theme. In addition there will be communal meals, prayer celebrations and a common healing service Saturday evening. Begins with 7:00 p.m. supper on Friday evening and concludes with the noon meal on Sunday. Presented by the staff of St. Anthony's.

**Young Adult Retreat
 Spirituality and Technology****August 21-23, 2009**

Technology is as natural to Young Adults as walking and talking. How does such technology interface with spirituality and the very important questions about the purpose of life, work and the relationships in their lives? Many wonder if anyone else has these concerns and are seeking a community of people to explore these ideas. Join us for input and discussion in the morning, and fun activities in the afternoon and evening. Presented by a team of Young Adults. All are welcome between the ages of 20-33 married and single. Begins at 8:00 Friday evening (Note: Evening Meal NOT served on Friday Evening) and concludes Sunday with the noon meal.

REGISTRATION AND FEES**Offering**

June 21-26	\$375.00 (\$75.00 per day)
July 09-12	\$225.00 (\$75.00 per day)
July 12-18	\$450.00 (\$75.00 per day)
July 24-26	\$150.00
August 21-23	\$130.00

The programs begin (unless noted in the description) with a 5:30 supper on the first evening of the session and conclude with the noon meal on the final day of the session. Please complete the form and return it with your deposit of \$35.00.

PRIVATE RETREATS ALSO AVAILABLE

Private retreats are also available during the time of directed retreat. Private retreatants are welcome to participate in the Liturgy and prayer services of the directed retreat.

The cost for a private retreat is \$60.00 per day, with a \$35.00 deposit. Please phone our office if you are interested in a private retreat.

Ocean, NCMT, is available for massage, Reiki and LaHoChi.

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RETREAT – PROGRAM APPLICATION

(Please check appropriate box or boxes)

- Preached Retreat 3-Day Directed Retreat 6-Day Directed Retreat Recovering Alcoholic and AI-Anon Retreat Young Adult Retreat

Name _____
(Title) (First) (Last) (Religious Community)

Address _____ E-Mail: _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone (____) _____ Date of Birth _____
(Area Code) (Number) (Month/Day/Year)

Dates you plan to attend: _____

Estimated time of arrival: _____ Estimated time of departure: _____

Describe your present state of health, mentioning specifically any limiting conditions or special needs:

How did you hear about this retreat? _____
Please bring your personal belongings, a bible, and a journal—if that is your form of reflection.

Please complete the following items if you are applying for a directed retreat.

Why do you wish to make a directed retreat? _____

Have you ever made a directed retreat? yes no

If you have a preference for a specific director, please enter his or her name here: _____

Present Ministry or Occupation: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

For all programs:

Please return completed application, accompanied by a \$35.00 deposit, to St. Anthony Retreat Center.



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