

COCFL SPRING 2024 RETREAT

Contemplating Christ With Fr. Pizzuto

In this retreat, Father Pizzuto will explore what it means to Contemplate Christ not only in all people but in all things.

Through conversations, group discussions and other activities, we will be looking at how the Incarnation has made mystics of us all and address this fundamental question: What if we read the Gospel as if that were true?

APRIL 19-21, 2024
CANTERBURY RETREAT CENTER
1601 ALAFAYA TRAIL, OVIEDO, FL

CHECK IN FRIDAY 8:00-9:00 AM
CHECK OUT SUNDAY 11:00 AM

COME AWAY FOR A TIME OF SILENCE,
PRAYER AND LEARNING.
OPTION TO ATTEND BY ZOOM

The retreat will include periods of Centering Prayer and periods of silence allowing time to enjoy the peace and beauty of the grounds of the Canterbury Retreat Center. The retreat will be offered for attendance in person or via zoom.

“The contemplative life is not a luxury or a quaint pastime, but a matter of grave spiritual, social and now even planetary urgency.

The prayer of silence that confronts the tyranny of the false self and opens us to the transforming power of the Spirit is a moral imperative.”

Fr. Vincent Pizzuto



Fr. Vincent Pizzuto, Ph.D., is a Professor of New Testament and Christian Mysticism at the (Jesuit) University of San Francisco. He has presented internationally on a wide range of theological issues facing the world today and works for the advancement of contemplative Christianity through his many workshops and retreats.

As an Episcopal priest he serves as Vicar of St. Columba's Episcopal Church and Retreat House in Inverness, California, where he has established a vibrant contemplative community.

Fr. Pizzuto's unique combination of scholarship and pastoral charism has since gathered a global audience on the 'Thomas Keating Meditation Chapel' in which he led weekly teachings and meditation on his most recent book, *Contemplating Christ: The Gospels and the Interior Life*.

In its pages, Fr. Pizzuto seeks to bring his readers into a lived realization of their "deification"—that the Incarnation has made mystics of us all.

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REGISTRATION FORM

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Canterbury Retreat Center, 1601 Alafaya Trail – Oviedo, FL

Registration options and fees: *** Free Fr Pizzuto book or eBook “Contemplating Christ” for everyone

- \$292 per person for shared rooms (2 per room).
- \$357 for private rooms (limited availability).
- \$167 commuter rate (includes meals).
- \$ 82 for zoom attendance. *** Space is limited, register early

Payment options:

- Pay by check payable to COCFL and mail your check with this registration form to:
Alice Logan, 505 Green Briar Blvd, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714
- Register online and make payment via Zelle thru your bank to cocflretreats@gmail.com and email registration form to AliceVLogan@gmail.com

Information at www.zellepay.com to see if your bank participates. More general information at cocfl.org.

For Scholarship assistance, please, contact Dan Wagner at dwagner119@gmail.com.

Name: _____

Cell phone: _____ Home phone _____

Address: _____

City/St/Zip: _____ Email: _____

Centering Prayer Group (if Any): _____

Lodging selection:

- ____ I will be sharing a room with _____
- ____ Please assign me a roommate
- ____ I would like a private room (subject to availability)
- ____ I will attend as a commuter.
- ____ Handicap needs (i.e. no stairs, use walker etc.) _____

Registration selection:

- ____ Register online.
- ____ Register by mail.

Payment selection:

- ____ Amount paid: \$ _____
- ____ Paid by Zelle on _____
- ____ Paid by Check (mailed in with registration form on _____)

Centering Prayer practice:

- ____ I am new to Centering Prayer
- ____ I have an established practice of Centering Prayer.

Special Dietary needs:

- ____ Vegetarian
- ____ Gluten Free
- ____ Lactose intolerant

Emergency contact name and phone number: _____

For more information, please email Alice (alicevlogan@gmail.com) or call Dan Wagner 814.566.2288