

# The JESUIT RETREAT CENTER of Los Altos

AUGUST 2008 TO JULY 2009



Dear Friends,

Pope Benedict XVI met at the Vatican on February 21st with Jesuits gathered for our 35th General Congregation. He welcomed them with warmth, affirming our ministry.

"I invite you to reserve a specific attention to the ministry of the Spiritual Exercises that has been characteristic of your Society from its origins," the Holy Father said. "The Exercises are the fountain of your spirituality and the matrix of your Constitutions, but they are also a gift that the Spirit of the Lord has made to the entire Church. It is for you to continue to make it a precious and efficacious instrument for the spiritual growth of souls, for their initiation to prayer, to meditation."

The Holy Father mentioned his own recent retreat, saying, "Just in the last week I have myself profited of the Spiritual Exercises, together with my closest collaborators of the Roman Curia, under the guidance of your outstanding confrere Cardinal Albert Vanhoye. In a time such as today's, ... the Spiritual Exercises represent a particularly precious method to seek and find God in us, around us and in everything, to know his will and put it into practice."

We count ourselves blessed, here at the Jesuit Retreat Center, by all the opportunities this ministry affords.

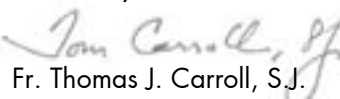
We have the opportunity to offer the Exercises in many forms: in days of prayer, over weekends, through thirty-days, and more; for high school and college students, for young adults

and married couples, for those engaged in specific ecclesial ministries or in 12-Step Recovery, for the homeless and for gang members; in attentive, wordless silence, through focused sharing of faith experience, or a combination of both. In all, God's Spirit continues to free retreatants' hearts.

We have the opportunity to minister with women and men—Jesuits, other priests and religious, and lay people—committed to ongoing study of the Exercises and daily incorporation of the Exercises into their lives, committed to sharing this gift of the Exercises with others. Our three-year Pierre Favre program has finished its second season of preparing directors of the Exercises. Seven completed the second year, nine the first. (A Jesuit brother, four Jesuit priests, three laymen and eight laywomen made up the sixteen.)

We have the opportunity to collaborate with many on the support and development of this ministry. Our retreat captains reach out to attract retreatants and to keep our regulars connected. Our volunteers work with the Retreat Center staff to provide a welcoming experience for our guests. Our Advisory Board is finishing its first season, an exciting start to strategic planning for a thriving future. Our generous donors enable us to offer the Exercises to a wide range of those seeking God.

We look forward to welcoming you soon for a time of renewing encounter with Christ in the Scriptures, in prayer, and in the community of the Church.

  
Fr. Thomas J. Carroll, S.J.  
Executive Director



## Mission Statement

*The Jesuit Retreat Center of Los Altos,  
a community of prayer,  
offers the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Loyola to all.  
Through our sharing of the Exercises,  
rooted in the Word of God and in the Catholic tradition,  
the Spirit frees minds and hearts  
to mature in friendship with Christ,  
to find God in every aspect of experience,  
and to live Gospel values.*

# Retreat Descriptions August 2008 – July 2009

**The Saints of Summer** M, S  
August 15-17, 2008 – Fr. Hudson, S.J.

Sts. Thomas More, Peter and Paul, Thomas the Apostle, Benedict, and Ignatius of Loyola – even today these saints of the past have much to say to us. This retreat will focus on the lessons we can learn from their lives.

**Friendship With Your Higher Power** W, NS, R  
August 22-24, 2008 – Fr. Moran

We will discuss how to grow spiritually in the program of Alcoholics Anonymous — in times of complacency and in times of difficulty. Our focus will be on the 3rd, 10th, and 11th steps.

**“Try to Remember...”** MW, S  
Sept. 12-14, 2008 – Sr. Galli, R.S.M.,  
Fr. Hudson, S.J., & Ms. Nelson

Memories of events, pleasant and unpleasant, can be powerful influences in our lives. Through the lens of the Spiritual Exercises, we will examine how our memories of God’s love have formed and continue to form us.

**The Vision of Ellacuría and Teilhard** M, NS  
Sept. 26-28, 2008 – Fr. Ayotte, S.J.

Through Ignatius’ meditation on “the three classes of men,” we will be invited to greater personal freedom for the sake of developing a global vision on behalf of the poor. Teilhard and Ellacuría lead the way.

**Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom** M, S  
October 3-5, 2008 – Fr. Ballard, S.J.

Pope John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary. These graced events in Christ’s life illuminate our own calling and work. Let’s examine our shared discipleship in light of these five beacons.

**Echoes of Vatican II** MW, S  
October 10-12, 2008 – Fr. Fice, S.J.

The Second Vatican Council renewed the Catholic Church and brought it into the contemporary world. This 40th anniversary of the Council offers a fitting occasion to revisit its treasures, to reflect and pray over them.

**Eternal Life: To Love One Another** MW, NS  
October 17-19, 2008 – Fr. Bush, S.J., Dr. Delbecq,  
Ms. Kleinhofer, & Ms. Sebastian

Eternal life starts here and goes on forever. How we live here prepares us, and ours is to be a life of loving service that follows Jesus, the way, the truth, and the life. This retreat prepares us for that transition.



**FR. DAVE AYOTTE, S.J.**, a native of Canada and long a resident of the City of Angels, spent 13 years as a priest of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, six years coordinating the mission activities in 30 countries. Recently vowed as a Jesuit, he is working on a degree at the Jesuit School of Theology, Berkeley, focusing on the thought of Pierre Teilhard de Chardin.



**FR. AUGUSTO BERRIO, S.J.**, nació en Colombia. Desde hace 21 años pertenece a la Provincia de California. En sus 15 años de trabajo parroquial en Ntra. Sra. de Guadalupe, San Diego, ha dirigido retiros espirituales, varias veces cada año. También unos Ejercicios Espirituales de ocho días, para un grupo de adultos en la casa de Ejercicios, Manresa, en Tijuana.



**FR. KEVIN BALLARD, S.J.**, born in San Francisco and raised in a traveling military family, joined the Jesuits in 1972 and was ordained in 1985. His ministries have included community organizing, high school teaching, giving retreats, and years of pastoral service in parishes. Sober since 1981, Kevin is recreated by languages, bird-watching and “staring into space!”



**SR. URSULA BOMHOLT, O.P.**, ministers in Sunnyvale as a counselor and a spiritual director. She has directed 30-day and 8-day retreats and facilitated weekend workshops on Midlife-Transitions and Dreams both in the U.S. and in South Africa. Sr. Ursula has Masters’ degrees in Counseling and in Applied Spirituality, as well as a Diploma as a Jungian Analyst.

**We Don't Have To Wait** MW, NS, Al-Anon  
October 24-26, 2008 – Msgr. Richey

A freeing discovery in Al-Anon recovery is the awareness that we don't have to wait until the alcoholic stops drinking. Our journey of liberation begins in working the 12 Steps in companionship with others now.

**From Glory to Exile** MW, NS  
October 29, 2008 – Fr. Fice, S.J.

The glory of the Kingdom of Israel under David and Solomon eroded with its division into north and south. Eventually, both kingdoms fell under the onslaught of great middle eastern empires. Bring your Bible!

**The Sacrament of Marriage:  
An Affair of the Heart** C, NS  
November 7-9, 2008 – Fr. Fabing, S.J., & JIFL Staff

Through the joys and sorrows of marriage, love prevails. This love for one another, rooted in Christ, is *an affair of the heart*. We will journey with you, kindling the depth of your love for one another.

**Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring** MW, S  
Nov. 21-23, 2008 – Fr. Bush, S.J., & Sr. Hennessy, C.S.J.

Our lives are full of yearning and desires. Often we fill these with what fails to satisfy. The source of our being and its fulfillment is our Creator and Lord, Jesus Christ. This retreat will help redirect our desiring to Him.

**Gratitude, Quiet, and Fellowship** MW, NS, R  
November 28-30, 2008 – Fr. Weston, S.J.

Reflect on your lives, your program, and your relationship with your Higher Power. Conferences will focus on the Steps and Traditions. There will also be opportunities for prayer and companionship.

**Discernment 101** MW, NS  
Dec. 5-7, 2008 – Fr. Hudson, S.J., & Young Adult Team

Discernment is central to the Spiritual Exercises. How a person should exercise discernment in his/her life is based on answering a simple question – “What did Jesus do?” Jesus’ example can serve as our guide.

**Maranatha! Come, Lord!** MW, NS  
December 10, 2008 – Fr. Fice, S.J.

Advent draws the past, the present and the future together into one sacred season. It is a time of wonder, a time of expectancy, a time of hope. Let us come together and celebrate this joyous season.

**Turning Point – Turning Points** M, NS, R  
December 12-14, 2008 – Fr. Ballard, S.J.

Each of the 12 Steps passes from an inconceivably difficult task to something possible – when we reach out for “a Power greater than ourselves.” Grace transforms our staggering into dancing!



**FR. BERNIE BUSH, S.J.**, worked for 13 years as a therapist for clergy and religious. He has written articles on spirituality, social justice, and child abuse prevention and the book *Living in His Love: Essays on Prayer and Christian Living*. Much sought after as a spiritual director, he teaches in our Pierre Favre course for directors of the Spiritual Exercises.



**MR. MICHAEL CHENEY** is both a spiritual director and theology teacher (and Director of Faculty Development) at Jesuit High School in Sacramento. He and his wife, married for 25 years, have three children. With Fr. John Powell, S.J., he co-authored two books, *A Life-Giving Vision: How to Be a Christian in Today's World* and *The Christian Vision of Reality*.



**FR. TOM CARROLL, S.J.**, a San Francisco native, has served here since 2005. Long on the faculty of Loyola High School of Los Angeles, where he developed a vital choral music tradition, Tom also ministered five years as Director of the Jesuit Urban Center, Church of the Immaculate Conception, in Boston. He enjoys playing the organ, especially for singing congregations.



**FR. BOB FABING, S.J.**, has founded 61 marriage counseling and family therapy centers, the Jesuit Institute for Family Life International Network. He began our 36-Day Program in the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. He has a doctorate in counseling psychology and ascetical theology. He has written 5 books and composed and recorded 11 CD's of liturgical music.

**Silent, Individually-Directed Retreat** MW, S  
Dec. 17-21, 2008 – Pastoral Staff & Friends

Ignatius invites us to look at the expansive Love of God. This extended, individually-directed Advent retreat will help prepare each heart to celebrate Christmas in and for the Love of God.

**We Are Not a Glum Lot!** MW, NS, R  
Dec. 30, 2008 – Jan. 1, 2009 – Fr. Weston, S.J.

We will usher in the New Year in the company of women and men in recovery and in a quiet and beautiful place. We will focus on the practicality of the 12 Step way of life.

**Spiritual Awakenings in the New Year** W, NS, R  
January 2-4, 2009 – Fr. LaBelle, S.J.

Share experiences of spiritual awakenings as we enter a New Year. We pray for the grace to be happy, joyous, and free during 2009. Gratitude will lead us through the 12 Steps to a new inner freedom.

**Christ: The Source & Goal of our Desiring** W, S  
Jan. 9-11, 2009 – Fr. Bush, S.J., & Sr. Hennessy, C.S.J.

Our lives are full of yearning and desires. Often we fill these with what fails to satisfy. The source of our being and its fulfillment is our Creator and Lord, Jesus Christ. This retreat will help redirect our desiring to Him.

**Christ: The Source & Goal of our Desiring** M, S  
Jan. 16-18, 2009 – Fr. Bush, S.J., & Mr. Cheney

Our lives are full of yearning and desires. Often we fill these with what fails to satisfy. The source of our being and its fulfillment is our Creator and Lord, Jesus Christ. This retreat will help redirect our desiring to Him.

**Vocal Exercises** MW, NS  
January 23-25, 2009 – Fr. Carroll, S.J.

Ignatius invites us to look at the expansive Love into which, and to which, we are called. We will explore this Ignatian theme in the Church's wealth of hymns, chant, and song, exercising both hearts and voices.

**Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom** M, S  
Jan. 30 – Feb. 1, 2009 – Fr. Ballard, S.J.

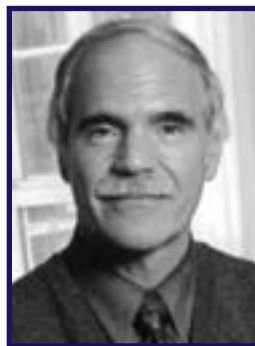
Pope John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary. These graced events in Christ's life illuminate our own calling and work. Let's examine our shared discipleship in light of these five beacons.

**A Journey Through Grief to Healing** MW, NS  
February 13-15, 2009 – Fr. Fice, S.J.

This retreat, for those who are mourning a loss, will offer insight into grieving within a spiritual context, as well as opportunity for healing through prayer and sharing with others who are grieving.



**FR. JOSEPH FICE, S.J.**, spent 25 years as a religious educator in Jesuit high schools before coming to the Retreat Center in 2000. Much of his teaching was in the field of Sacred Scripture. Since the early 70's, he has been working on individually-directed retreats, often directing the 30-Day Spiritual Exercises. Fr. Fice manages our superb bookstore.



**FR. JULIO GIULIETTI, S.J.**, President of Wheeling Jesuit University in West Virginia, was Director of the Center for Ignatian Spirituality at Boston College for six years. He was the director of the Center for Intercultural Education and Development at Georgetown for 10 years and has more than 30 years of experience in university level international education.



**SR. PATRICIA GALLI, R.S.M.**, has Masters' degrees in Counseling and Organizational Development and in Theological Studies. She has been a spiritual director for 20 years and a supervisor of spiritual directors, often directing in our 36-Day program. As parish Director of Faith Formation she offers a 30-week program of the Exercises at Most Holy Trinity, San José.



**MS. ANNE E. GRYZC**, born in San Francisco, graduated from U.S.F. and taught high school until her first child was born. She has two adult children, one a daughter with developmental disabilities. Director of the Institute for Leadership in Ministry in the Diocese of San José, she works closely with the Retreat Center and the Campus Ministry at Santa Clara University.

**Together for Life: Blessing and Challenge!** C, NS  
Feb. 13-15, 2009 – Mr. & Mrs. Romo and Fr. Percell

Husbands and wives who have chosen marriage as their path of loving companionship with Christ will reflect gratefully on this journey of intimacy with each other and with God.

**God Fashioned Humans of Dust** MW, NS  
February 25, 2009 – Fr. Schultze, S.J.

We will reflect on our purpose in life. In following God's will, we gain peace through humility. Scripture, reflection and prayer will help us to remain humble before an awesome, loving God.

**"And He Was Transfigured Before Them . . ."** M, S  
March 6-8, 2009 – Fr. Hudson, S.J.

Peter, James, and John saw Jesus transformed. How does Jesus continue to transform us? In what ways do we, in our turn, in small ways, help Jesus to transform others?

**"Who Do You Say that I Am?"** MW, S  
March 13-15, 2009 – Fr. Carroll, S.J., & Justice Parrilli

Lawyers know the importance of asking the right questions and of answering the question one is asked. We will listen attentively to the question Jesus asks us all and open our hearts to its challenge.

**Discernment in the Tradition of Ignatius Loyola** W, S  
Mar. 20-22, 2009 – Fr. Giulietti, S.J., & Ms. Sebastian

In the spiritual tradition of St. Ignatius, being attentive to ourselves and to relationships with others, the environment around us and with God is critical. God is at work in "all things," that is, in people, places and events.

**Christ: The Source & Goal of our Desiring** M, S  
April 3-5, 2009 – Fr. Bush, S.J., & Mr. Cheney

Our lives are full of yearning and desires. Often we fill these with what fails to satisfy. The source of our being and its fulfillment is our Creator and Lord, Jesus Christ. This retreat will help redirect our desiring to Him.

**For the Love of God!** MW, S  
April 9-12, 2009 – Pastoral Staff & Friends

Ignatius invites us to look at the obedient Love of Jesus. In our pilgrimage together through the Paschal Triduum, we will ask that, with Jesus, we will live entirely for the Love of God.

**"Beauty Ever Ancient, Ever New"** MW, S  
April 17-19, 2009 – Fr. Lucas, S.J.

A retreat on the transforming and revelatory power of beauty in the art of Christian Tradition.



**FR. JAMES HARBAUGH, S.J.**, a Jesuit for 44 years and a priest for 31, taught at the Jesuit universities in Denver and Seattle. He has a doctorate in Victorian Novels from the University of Chicago and is a Certified Chemical Dependency Counselor. He has authored two books on the Steps, including *A Twelve Step Approach to the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius*.



**SR. INGRID HONORÉ-LALLANDE, C.S.J.** (Carondelet), earned degrees in Educational Administration (St. Mary's, Moraga) and in Divinity (J.S.T.B.) She has served in education at the elementary and graduate levels, including as a Campus Minister at Santa Clara. She completed the 9-month Internship at Loyola House in Guelph, Ontario, where she was certified to direct the 30-Day Spiritual Exercises.



**SR. ANNE HENNESSY, C.S.J.** (Orange), has ministered in education (junior high through university) and formation. From 1989 to 2000 she "commuted" between Rome and Israel, teaching at the Gregorian University and ministering in a Jesuit retreat center on the Sea of Galilee. She has written and lectured on the New Testament and on the Jesuit origins of her community.



**FR. GERALD F. HUDSON, S.J.**, was, for many years, a mathematics teacher (at Loyola High School, Loyola Marymount University, and St. Ignatius College Prep). He has served several times as a director in the JRC 36-Day program. He joined the staff in August of 2006 and has been involved in retreats, spiritual direction, and overseeing our individually-directed retreats.

## 2008

**August**

- 15-17 *The Saints of Summer* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 22-24 *Friendship With Your Higher Power* W, NS, R  
Recovery Retreat for Women

**September**

- 12-14 *"Try to Remember . . ."* MW, S  
Silent Retreat for Men & Women
- 26-28 *The Vision of Ellacuría & Teilhard* M, NS  
Non-Silent Retreat for Men

**October**

- 3-5 *Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 10-12 *Echoes of Vatican II* MW, S  
Silent Retreat for Men & Women,  
including St. Vincent de Paul Society
- 17-19 *Eternal Life: To Love One Another* MW, NS  
Retreat Looking Toward the End of Life
- 24-26 *We Don't Have To Wait* MW, NS, Al-Anon  
Recovery Retreat in the language of Al-Anon
- 29 *From Glory to Exile* MW, NS  
(Weds.) Bible Day of Prayer

**November**

- 7-9 *The Sacrament of Marriage: An Affair of the Heart* C, NS  
Retreat for Married Couples
- 21-23 *Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring* MW, S  
Silent Retreat for Men & Women
- 28-30 *Gratitude, Quiet, and Fellowship* MW, NS, R  
Recovery Retreat

**December**

- 1 *The Coming of Jesus: Source of Our Healing* MW  
(Mon.) Advent Evening Healing Service
- 5-7 *Discernment 101* MW, NS  
Retreat By and For Young Adults
- 10 *Maranatha! Come, Lord!* MW, NS  
(Weds.) Advent Day of Prayer
- 12-14 *Turning Point — Turning Points* M, NS, R  
Recovery Retreat for Men
- 17-21 *Silent, Individually-Directed Retreat* MW, S  
Preparation for Christmas  
(retreat fee: \$320)
- 30 - *We Are Not a Glum Lot!* MW, NS, R  
Jan. 1 Recovery Retreat (retreat fee: \$270)

**Weekend retreats** typically begin with registration on Friday from 5-6:30 p.m., a 6:30 p.m. reception, and then dinner at 7 p.m. They conclude with lunch on Sunday.

**Days of Prayer** begin with registration and a continental breakfast at 9:30 a.m. The first conference is at 10 a.m. The day includes lunch and the celebration of Eucharist and wraps up by 4 p.m.

The fee for weekend retreats is \$220 per person, unless otherwise noted. Retreatant rooms are *en suite*. Single day retreats are \$50. For other programs, the fees are listed.

A deposit is required to confirm each retreat reservation. Unless otherwise noted, the minimum deposit is \$50 per person and is applied to the total cost of the retreat. You may pay in cash or by check or credit card. (We accept VISA, MasterCard, and Discover.)

**Refund Policy:** For cancellations received fewer than ten days prior to the start of the retreat, the deposit is not refundable.

Complete and up-to-date information on retreats, directors, fees and more is available on our website. Please visit us at [www.jrclosaltos.org](http://www.jrclosaltos.org)

Legend: M=Men; W=Women; C=Married Couples; R=Recovery; S=Silent; NS=Non-Silent

**January**

- 2-4 *Spiritual Awakenings in the New Year* W, NS, R  
Recovery Retreat for Women
- 9-11 *Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring* W, S  
Silent Retreat for Women
- 16-18 *Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 23-25 *Vocal Exercises* MW, NS  
Spiritual Exercises in the Church's Song
- 30 - *Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom* M, S  
Feb. 1 Silent Retreat for Men

**February**

- 13-15 *A Journey Through Grief to Healing* MW, NS  
Retreat for Those in Grief
- 13-15 *Together for Life: Blessing and Challenge!* MW, NS  
Retreat for Married Couples
- 24 *The Death of Jesus: Source of Our Healing* MW  
(Tues.) Lenten Evening Healing Service
- 25 *God Fashioned Humans of Dust* MW, NS  
Ash Wednesday Day of Prayer

**March**

- 6-8 *"And He Was Transfigured Before Them..."* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 13-15 *Who Do You Say That I Am?* MW, S  
Silent Retreat  
for the Members of the Legal Profession
- 20-22 *Discernment in the Tradition  
of Ignatius Loyola* W, S  
Silent Retreat for Women

**April**

- 3-5 *Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 9-12 *For the Love of God!* MW, S  
Silent Retreat for Triduum (Retreat fee: \$300)

**April (continued)**

- 17-19 *Beauty Ever Ancient, Ever New* MW, S  
Retreat on the Arts
- 24-26 *Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom* W, NS  
Non-Silent Retreat for Women

**May**

- 1-3 *Christ: The Source & Goal of Our Desiring* M, S  
Silent Retreat for Men
- 8-10 *Decisions, Decisions* MW, NS  
Retreat By and For Young Adults
- 9 *From Glory to Exile* MW, NS  
(Sat.) Bible Day of Prayer
- 15-17 *Experiencia Espiritual de San Ignacio* MW, S  
Ejercicios Espirituales en Español
- 22-24 *Steps on the Road to Sanity* MW, NS, Al-Anon  
Recovery Retreat in the language of Al-Anon
- 29-31 *Spirit of the Living Church* MW, NS  
Retreat on the Church & Pentecost

**June**

- 5-7 *Finding Our Life in the Life of Jesus* MW, S  
Silent Retreat on the Spiritual Exercises
- 9 *The Joy of Jesus: Source of Our Healing* MW  
(Tues.) Summer Evening Healing Service
- 12-14 *12-Step Recovery – Our Spiritual Gift* MW, NS, R  
Recovery Retreat

- 21-Jul. 28 *Silent 36-Day Retreat Program* MW, S
- 25-Jul. 4 *Silent 8-Day Retreat* MW, S

**July**

- 5-14 *Silent 8-Day Retreat* MW, S
- 15-24 *Silent 8-Day Retreat* MW, S

**Mysteries of Light, Histories of Freedom** W, NS  
April 24-26, 2009 – Fr. Ballard, S.J., & Sr. Galli, R.S.M.

Pope John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary. These graced events in Christ's life illuminate our own calling and work. Let's examine our shared discipleship in light of these five beacons.

**Christ: The Source & Goal of our Desiring** M, S  
May 1-3, 2009 – Fr. Bush, S.J., & Mr. Cheney

Our lives are full of yearning and desires. Often we fill these with what fails to satisfy. The source of our being and its fulfillment is our Creator and Lord, Jesus Christ. This retreat will help redirect our desiring to Him.

**Decisions, Decisions** MW, NS  
May 8-10, '09 – Fr. Hudson, S.J., & Young Adult Team

All of us face a number of decisions in our lives – some easy, others quite difficult. But we don't decide alone; we learn from the experiences of others. We will turn to St. Ignatius and to Jesus.

**From Glory to Exile** MW, NS  
May 9, 2009 – Fr. Fice, S.J.

The glory of the Kingdom of Israel under David and Solomon eroded with its division into north and south. Eventually, both kingdoms fell under the onslaught of great middle eastern empires. Bring your Bible!

**Experiencia Espiritual de San Ignacio** MW, S  
May 15-17, 2009 – Padre Augusto Berrio, S.J.

Experiencia Espiritual de San Ignacio y su respuesta al plan de Dios, como compartirla. Mi realidad es la de Dios, porque El está en mi. "No temas, yo te he salvado, te he llamado por tu nombre, tú eres mio." (Is. 43:1-5)

**Steps on the Road to Sanity** MW, NS, Al-Anon  
May 22-24, 2009 – Fr. Harbaugh, S.J.

Practice of the Twelve Steps can help Al-Anon members in recovery. The Steps provide a way to achieve sanity and to maintain it even as their lives continue to be seemingly destroyed by alcoholism.

**Spirit of the Living Church** MW, NS  
May 29-31, 2009 – Fr. Fice, S.J., & Sr. Bomholt, O.P.

Jesus promised us another Advocate to carry on His work in the life of the Church. Let us invoke the Spirit in our celebration of Pentecost.

**Finding Our Life in the Life of Jesus** MW, S  
June 5-7, 2009 – Fr. Ballard, S.J., & Sr. Galli, R.S.M.

Each disciple of Christ is called to find himself or herself in the life of Jesus. We will explore two approaches St. Ignatius offers in the Spiritual Exercises.



**BRO. THOMAS KOLLER, S.J.**, is Assistant to the Executive Director. He served for 12 years at St. Ignatius Prep, S.F., after having been on the staff of the Jesuit Curia in Rome. He also spent many years as manager of the now closed Novitiate Winery in Los Gatos where, for almost a century, California Jesuits produced sacramental and commercial wines. He is an avid cyclist.



**FR. THOMAS LUCAS, S.J.**, is professor of art and architecture at U.S.F. and a recognized liturgical artist and designer. His works include the Guadalupe and St. Ignatius chapels at St. Ignatius Church, S.F., and the restoration of the rooms of Ignatius in Rome. He holds a Ph.D. in Theology and the Arts from G.T.U., Berkeley, and focuses on the interface between faith and art.



**FR. JEFFREY T. LaBELLE, S.J.**, is assistant professor of education at Marquette. He holds degrees in divinity and theology and an Ed.D. from U.S.F. and has done pastoral ministry among immigrants from Latin America, Vietnam, and the Philippines. In collaboration with Frs. Gerald O'Collins, S.J., and Daniel Kendall, S.J., he has co-edited *Pope John Paul II: A Reader*.



**FR. TOM MORAN** is a priest of the Archdiocese of San Francisco and the Pastor of Our Lady of the Wayside Church in Portola Valley. Sober since Valentines Day, 1982, he has directed recovery retreats for over 20 years. He also serves as an adjunct professor at St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park, where he teaches a course on 12-Step Spirituality.

**12 Step Recovery – Our Spiritual Gift** MW, NS, R  
 June 12-14, 2009 – Fr. Mullin, C.M.

Let's renew our appreciation of the miracle that has occurred in our life and our awareness of the gift we may be to others in sobriety – a miracle of divine presence.

**Ongoing Programs**

**Evenings of Healing Prayer** MW, S  
 Mon., Dec. 1, 2008  
 Tues., Feb. 24, 2009, June 9, 2009 – Fr. Bush, S.J.

These evenings of healing prayer will be offered during the retreat season. No fee will be charged for these evenings. We will gather in Rossi Chapel for the Rosary at 7:15 p.m. The Healing Service will begin at 7:30 p.m.

**Individually Directed Retreats** MW, S  
 By arrangement – The JRC Team & Guest Directors

JRC retreat directors are sometimes available for private, individually directed retreats of three days or more. For information, please contact Carmel Smith by phone: 650-917-4047 or email: csmith@jrclosaltos.org.

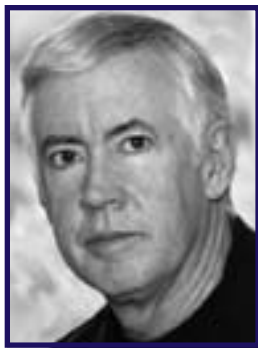
**Summer 2009 Programs**

**Silent 36-Day Retreat Program** MW, S  
 June 21-July 28, 2009 – Fr. Fabing, S.J., & Guest Directors

This is the full 30-Day silent individually directed Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. This program includes theological preparation for and subsequent reflection on the 30-Day retreat. Direction is available in English and in Spanish. Visit our website or contact the Retreat Center for information about the process of application and approval. Fee: \$2,500 (\$400 deposit due with completed application)

**Silent 8-Day Retreats** MW, S  
 Jun. 25-Jul. 4, 2009, Jul. 5-14 and July 15-24 – Fr. Fice, S.J., & Guest Directors

Retreatants are guided individually through days of prayer rooted in the Spiritual Exercises and in the Sacred Scriptures. The team of directors will include Jesuit theologians, all experienced in the Exercises, who are in their final period of formation prior to ordination. Visit our website or contact the Retreat Center for information about the process of application and approval. Fee: \$650 (\$100 deposit due with completed application)



**FR. PATRICK MULLIN, C.M.**, was ordained in 1975 for the Congregation of the Mission (Vincentians). He taught at the high school level, worked within parishes, and was Vocation Director. Sober since Dec. 9, 1983, he has led recovery retreats since 1989. Currently the Director of St. Mary's Seminary, where he hosts many groups for retreat, he also leads parish missions.



**JOANNE PARRILLI**, Justice, Court of Appeals (Ret.) retired in 2007 from the Court of Appeals. Now a student at J.S.T.B., she also serves as a mediator and arbitrator. She has been a spiritual director for seven years, working on retreats for the California Jesuit Province, U.S.F., and J.V.C. Educated by Jesuits and Benedictines, she returned to the Church in 1988 after a 20 year "wander."



**MS. BARBARA NELSON** is a native of San Francisco, a convert to Catholicism, and a member of St. Agnes Parish. Her service there has included Pastoral Council, RCIA, and training Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers. She has developed and is a co-presenter for their Lenten/Advent Retreats based on the Exercises. She is a member of our Pierre Favre Program.



**FR. LARRY PERCELL** was ordained in 2003, after a 30-year marriage that ended with his wife's untimely death. He has a daughter, a son, and three granddaughters. He has a Ph.D. in clinical psychology and is currently the pastor of St. Nicholas Parish in Los Altos, California—so he's responsible for the souls of our Retreat Center Jesuit community!

# Directions to The Jesuit Retreat Center

The Jesuit Retreat Center is located at 300 Manresa Way (off University Avenue) in Los Altos.

## From Highway 280:

Take the El Monte/Moody Road exit. Proceed on El Monte East (downhill toward the bay). At the third signal, turn left onto University Avenue. Proceed along University Avenue for 0.3 miles. Turn left on Manresa Way (a stone pillar with a brass plaque marks the entrance to the Jesuit Retreat Center). Proceed uphill (bearing left) to The Jesuit Retreat Center.

## From San Francisco Airport:

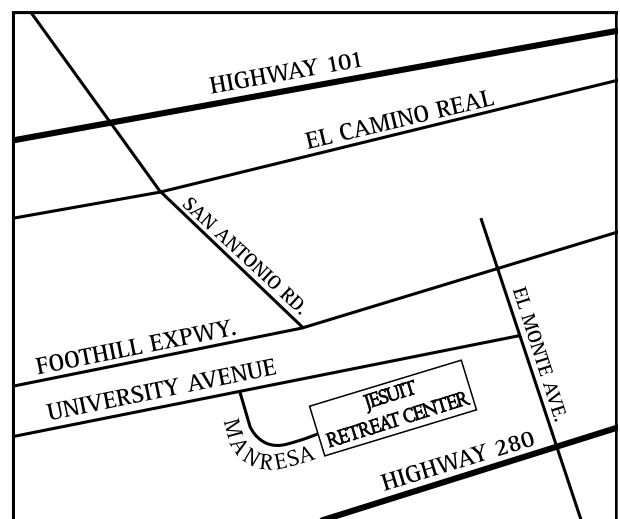
(approx 26 miles)  
When exiting the San Francisco Airport, follow the signs to Highway 380. Take 380 to Highway 280 South (left) turnoff. Taking Highway 280 south, follow directions above.

## From San Jose Airport:

(approx 18 miles)  
When exiting the San Jose Airport, follow the signs to Highway 880 South. Take 880 South to Highway 280 North (right) turnoff. Take 280 North, follow directions above.

## From Highway 101:

Take the San Antonio Road South exit (away from Bay). Proceed on San Antonio for approximately 4 miles. Turn left onto Foothill Expressway (San Antonio ends at Foothill). At the first signal, turn right onto El Monte. At the first signal, turn right onto University Avenue. Proceed along University Avenue for 0.3 miles. Turn left at Manresa Way (a stone pillar with a brass plaque marks the entrance to the Jesuit Retreat Center.) Proceed up the hill (bearing left) to The Jesuit Retreat Center.



**MSGR. TERENCE RICHEY**, of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, has worked in parishes in the L.A. area since his 1964 ordination. Over the last 20 years, he has chaired a group offering intervention and support to clergy and religious who suffer from substance abuse. A seasoned retreat director, he is in residence at St. Basil's Church in Los Angeles.



**FR. GEORGE E. SCHULTZE, S.J.**, is a spiritual director at St. Patrick's Seminary. He studied labor relations at Cornell, graduated from the Haas School of Business, Berkeley, and focused his U.S.C. doctoral work on the influence of Catholicism in organizing efforts among Hispanics. He recently published *Strangers in a Foreign Land: The Organizing of Catholic Latinos in the U.S.*



**MARY & MICHAEL ROMO**  
Mike and Mary married in 1969. Mary, a theologian teaching at U.S.F. and an experienced director in the Ignatian tradition, is completing a D.Min. through the G.T.U. Mike, Fund Director

for Oakland's Cathedral of Christ the Light, has been a fundraiser for over 30 years and serves on the Advisory Board of the JRC. Mary and Mike have three sons.



**MS. LEELAMMA SEBASTIAN**, a native of India, holds an economics degree from the University of Calicut (Kerala, India) and an M.S. in Counseling Psych from Chaminade, Honolulu. She worked with Catholic Charities Hawaii and the Diocese of Honolulu and taught in the diocese's formation programs. She is currently JRC's Program Director.

*Reservation Form* (If you prefer, you may register on-line at [www.jrclosaltos.org](http://www.jrclosaltos.org))

Retreat Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
month date(s) year

Mr/Mrs/etc. \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title (e.g., M.D.) \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
month day year

Have you made a retreat with us before?  Yes  No

Parish/Retreat Group \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact:

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Handicap or mobility difficulties? Please specify needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to share a room? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, with whom? \_\_\_\_\_

**Method of Payment:** (If by check, please make check payable to **Jesuit Retreat Center**)

MasterCard/VISA/Discover Card number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
month year

Cardholder's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Enclosed:**

Full Retreat Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 or Deposit \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Amount Received	_____
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**MS. SUSAN VOTAW's** experience in teaching led her into school administration. She participated in the Advanced Lay Leadership Program offered by the Diocese of San José's Institute of Leadership in Ministry, receiving an M.A. in Pastoral Ministries from Santa Clara. She is on staff at St. Francis of Assisi Parish and participates in our Pierre Favre program.



**FR. THOMAS WESTON, S.J.**, has been involved in 12-Step Programs since 1976. A former Director of the Jesuit Volunteers Corps and a teacher at Loyola High School in Los Angeles, he has degrees and experience in counseling, education and theology. He counsels, conducts workshops and seminars, and preaches retreats internationally. He lives and gardens in Oakland.

*Other Services*

**Spiritual Direction:**

Jesuit Retreat Center has several well-trained, experienced men and women available for the ministry of spiritual direction. Please contact the Retreat Center office for information regarding this service.

**Hosted Programs:**

JRC is delighted to serve as host to religious, non-profit and educational groups who wish to use our facilities for their own programs. We have conference rooms that hold from 10 to 100 participants, and single and double rooms. Please call the Program Director, Leelamma Sebastian, to inquire of this service.

**Bookstore:**

Hundreds of titles in the areas of spirituality and prayer, plus CDs, etc., are available in the Jesuit Retreat Center Bookstore. When buying books on-line, please access Amazon.com through our website.

## Retreat Center Information

The offices of the Jesuit Retreat Center are open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to noon and 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. We may be reached by phone at 650-948-4491. The offices are closed on all legal holidays and also on the days after Thanksgiving and Christmas and on Good Friday.

Complete and up-to-date information on retreats, directors, fees, and more is available on our website. Please visit us at [www.jrclosaltos.org](http://www.jrclosaltos.org).

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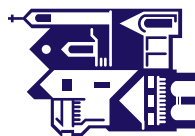
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