

PRESENTER

Rev. Liddy Barlow

Rev. Barlow is ordained in the United Church of Christ. She is a creative and passionate servant of the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic church and all its complicated diversity. She works to bring Christians of all traditions together to make visible our true unity as the Body of Christ. In 2014, Rev. Barlow became the first woman to be installed as Executive Minister of Christian Associates of Southwest PA. She reports to the Council of Bishops and Judicatory Executives who represent 28 Protestant, Catholic, and Orthodox Church bodies throughout greater Pittsburgh. As Executive Minister, Rev. Barlow sets a vision for Christian Associates and manages all of the organization’s projects and relationships. She was recognized as “40 Under 40” leader by Pittsburgh Magazine. The Holocaust Center of Pittsburgh acknowledged her as one of the “Righteous Among the Neighbors.”

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Fr. Thomas Bailey, OSB

Fr. Thomas Bailey, OSB, born and raised in Texas, is a member of the Benedictine Marmion Abbey in Aurora, IL. He was ordained to the priesthood in 2004 and appointed Instructor and Formation Advisor at Conception Seminary College in 2008-2018. From 2018 to 2021 he was Prefect of Studies at the Pontifical Greek College in Rome and Pro-rector from 2021-2023. Presently, Fr. Thomas is Director of Human Formation and Professor at the Byzantine Catholic Seminary of Ss. Cyril & Methodius in Pittsburgh, PA. In addition, he is the Administrator of St. Mary Romanian Catholic Church in McKeesport, PA. He has Bi-ritual faculties, studies in Early Slavic Christianity, a Master's in History and Theology, and Bachelor's in History. Fr. Thomas is a master craftsman in woodwork. His guided reflection will show us how Empty Jars can lead to Overflowing Grace.

SCHEDULE

- 9:00am Registration/coffee
- 9:45am Prayer for peace in Ukraine/Welcome
- 10:00am **Session I**
Rev. Liddy Barlow
- 11:00am Break
- 11:15am **Session I** (continued)
- 12:00pm Lunch/Vendors
- 1:00pm **Session II**
Fr. Thomas Bailey, OSB
- 1:45pm Benefit Auction for children & women in Ukraine
- 2:00pm **Pairing Wine & Cheese**
Amanda Singel

We know wine is mentioned several times in the bible. So is cheese. (Job 10:10, 1 Sam. 17:18, & 2 Sam. 17:29.) The program will conclude with an experience to **“Taste and See That the Lord is Good.”** (Psalm 34:8)

Registration Form

Women’s Day of Reflection – Saturday, May 17, 2025

Kearns Spirituality Center
(Campus of LaRoche University, 900 Babcock Blvd., Allison Park, PA 15101)

Name _____
Phone _____ Email _____

Make check payable to: Office of Religious Education

FEE for Sat. only: \$40 – includes lunch (No Refunds) Please mail this form and your registration fee to:
Box Lunch _____ Ham _____ Turkey _____ Salad _____
Overnight accommodations call 412-366-1124

Office of Religious Education
3605 Perrysville Ave.

Pre-registration required

Pittsburgh, PA 15214

Deadline for registration: May 3, 2025

Accommodations

- Most rooms are semi-private with two beds, a sink, a recliner and dresser/closet. All semi-private rooms have a full bathroom in the same hall for your use.
- Single occupancy bedroom - \$75/night per person
- Double occupancy bedroom \$50/night per person
- Suite single occupancy \$120/night per couple (only two suites available)

Added Amenities:

Massage Therapy available

- 1 hour - \$60
- Appointment made before arrival – 412-366-1124 (ask for Tish or email kearns@cdpsisters.org)

A retreat provides an excellent opportunity to re-examine our spiritual priorities and achieve a deeper relationship with God.

Basket Auction

A basket auction fundraiser has always been included in this event. In the past, proceeds benefited local Pittsburgh Women's Shelters. For the past three years the proceeds were given to the women and children in Ukraine as they continue to experience the devastation of war and suffering. Last year we were able to send a check for \$655. Please help to support the cause by donating a basket. You can bring the basket to this event or drop it off at the Center.

Vendor

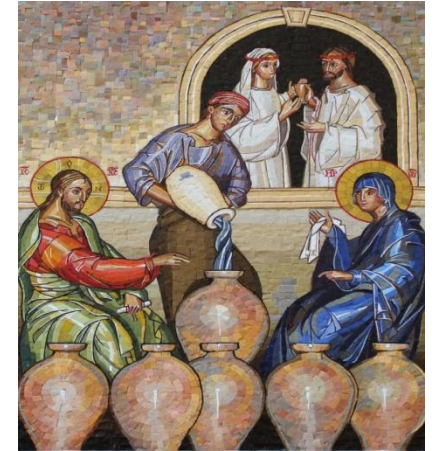
Mt. St. Macrina Gift Shop
500 West Main St.
Uniontown, PA 15401

Committee

Sr. Margaret Ann Andrako, OSBM
Sr. Marion Dobos, OSB
Lori Downey
Marjorie Glaid
Michelle Glaid
Cathy Silvestri
Amanda Singel



20TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION



“Do Whatever He Tells You”
(Jn. 2:11)

Revisiting the Wedding Feast of Cana

Saturday, May 17, 2025
9:30am – 2:30pm

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