



## SAMPLE BULLETIN INSERTS - MEN'S WEEKEND 2018-2019

Please use the following bulletin inserts as you would like, beginning eight weeks before the date of your retreat

### RETREAT FOR MEN - FIRST CALL

This the FIRST CALL for the men of the parish to make the annual retreat at Saint Paul's Retreat Center on the weekend of [Event Start Date – End Date]. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** Don't miss out on this wonderful experience of spiritual and physical renewal. Call [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] to make a reservation, or call the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801 or register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL MEN'S RETREAT

During this weekend you can experience God's love, healing, peace and forgiveness. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** Join the men of the parish on the weekend of [Event Start Date – End Date]. Register by calling [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] or the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. You can also register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING ABOUT GOD

**LATELY?** Perhaps this is a special time of life for you. Renew your inner life at our parish weekend retreat for men on [Event Start Date – End Date]. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** You'll be amazed how much the retreat will help you find God in your daily experience and what peace this awareness can bring you. Call in your reservation now to [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] or the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. You can also register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

**YOU ARE INVITED** to spend a relaxing, spiritually insightful weekend with the men of our parish Friday evening to Sunday noon, [Event Start Date – End Date] at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** For information or reservations call [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] or the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. You can also register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### GET AWAY FOR A WEEKEND

Men, sign up for our parish retreat at St. Paul's Retreat Center on the weekend of [Event Start Date – End Date]. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** With quiet

surroundings, spacious grounds, provocative talks, you'll return refreshed, perhaps with a whole new outlook. Call [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] or the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. You can also register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT!

It's one of the best bargains -- our PARISH RETREAT FOR MEN on [Event Start Date – End Date]. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** You'll come away with faith renewed and a better perspective on job, family and life. Suggested donation is less than a weekend at a good motel, and the benefits are priceless! A private room with bath adds to your comfort. For information or to register, call [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number], the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801, or register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### RETREAT FOR MEN

Join the men of the parish for the annual retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center on the weekend of [Event Start Date – End Date]. The retreat theme this year is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** Ask someone who has made a retreat and they will tell you they have never been more at peace with God and the world. A retreat once a year is a vital necessity these days. Call in your reservation now to [Captain's Name] at [Phone Number] or the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. You can also register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org).

### TEN REASONS WHY A RETREAT:

1. Physical rest.
2. Peace and recollection.
3. Answers to a pressing problem.
4. Updating your religion.
5. Release from tension, fear.
6. God's help in making important decisions.
7. New awareness of God's personal love for you.
8. A weekend away with good food and good company.
9. Interesting and practical talks on spiritual issues.
10. A rich blessing for you.

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## RETREAT ANNOUNCEMENT

**“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** This is the theme of the retreats at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center this year. The men's group from [\[PARISH\]](#) will attend the retreat [\[RETREAT DATES\]](#). Your \$30 registration fee reserves a private room, with private bath, five great meals, cheerful companionship, and a very enriching weekend. If you have never been there, why not now?

Space is still available but a reservation is required. Go to [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org) or call 313-286-2801. St. Paul's is located at 23333 Schoolcraft, Detroit, just east of Telegraph Road. If you have more questions see [\[CAPTAIN/CO-CAPTAINS\]](#) at church. We hope to see you there!

## MEN'S RETREAT

When Jesus calls, do you respond? Or do you walk away? Do you NEED to be closer to God? Do you WANT to be closer to God? Enhance your relationship with Jesus: experience a retreat! ALL men of [\[PARISH\]](#) are reminded to make a reservation NOW for our annual retreat at St. Paul's on [\[RETREAT DATES\]](#). You can register at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org) or phone 313-286-2801 or talk with [\[CAPTAIN/CO-CAPTAINS\]](#) at church. \$30 guarantees your private room, five meals, and a great program. Additional weekends are available if these dates do not fit your schedule.

## AN INVITATION

Once again, ALL men of [\[PARISH\]](#) are invited to the annual Men's Retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center, Detroit. A retreat is a special time to withdraw from the demands and challenges of daily life. It is an opportunity to rest, reevaluate life, and enjoy a real spiritual boost. Be good to yourself. Come along with men from our parish and other parishes and find a new closeness to God. Our retreat begins with dinner at 6:30 pm, Friday, [\[DATE\]](#), and ends after Mass about noon on Sunday, [\[DATE\]](#).

The retreat theme is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** More information is available online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org), or phone the Retreat Center at 313-286-2801. [\[CAPTAIN/PHONE NUMBER\]](#) can also help with questions or reservations. A \$30 registration is required and may be made online. Space is limited so don't wait too long to make a reservation. If the [\[DATE\]](#) date does not fit your schedule, the same retreat is available on many weekends all the way through April of next year.

## UPCOMING MEN'S RETREAT

ALL men of [\[PARISH\]](#) are invited to the annual Men's Retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center in Detroit. The retreat begins with dinner at 6:30 pm on Friday, [\[DATE\]](#), and ends after Mass about noon on Sunday, [\[DATE\]](#). The theme of this year's retreat is **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** and is conducted by the Passionist Retreat team. Register online at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org) or by calling the Retreat Center at 313-286-0801. [\[CAPTAIN/PHONE\]](#) can also help with questions or reservations. The suggested donation for the weekend totals \$210 for two nights, five meals and a great program, but all are welcome and encouraged to pay what they are able. Please consider a weekend of getting closer to God! Space is limited. Don't delay.

## A WEEKEND OF RENEWAL

ALL men of [\[PARISH\]](#) are reminded that time is short until the **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** retreat for men at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center, Detroit. Retreat begins with dinner at 6:30 pm Friday, [\[START DATE\]](#), and ends after Mass about noon on Sunday, [\[END DATE\]](#). What's in it for you? A weekend of peace, quiet, prayer, personal reflection, and getting closer to God. A \$30 reservation fee secures your private room: visit [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org) or call 313-286-2801. Questions? Contact [\[CAPTAIN/CO-CAPTAIN\]](#) at church. The Spirit of Jesus may be calling you. Don't slam the door.

## MEN'S RETREAT – FINAL REMINDER

This is the final invitation to ALL men of [\[PARISH\]](#) to participate in our annual retreat at St. Paul of the Cross Passionist Retreat Center, Detroit. The retreat with a theme of **“Rejoice in the Lord: Again, I Say Rejoice!”** begins with dinner at 6:30 pm, Friday, [\[START DATE\]](#). A \$30 registration fee may be made at [stpaulretreat.org](http://stpaulretreat.org) or 313-286-2801. If you have felt called to join in this retreat, please register now.

Come on along for a physically and spiritually refreshing weekend. Additional dates are available for the retreat if this date does not work for you.