

Pathways Retreat

November 2016

We are all born to be a blessing.

- Rachel Naomi Remen -

In other news...

Pathways Retreat was featured in the Goshen News on October 27. The article provides a lovely summary of the space and services available at Pathways Retreat.

We encourage you to share this article with family and friends who may not know about us!

[HELPING HANDS: Retreat center nestled within city limits](#)



Weekly Prayers

[Contemplative Sit](#): Tuesdays 7:30- 8:00 a.m.

[Centering Prayer](#): Thursdays 7:30- 8:00 a.m.

[Lectio Divina](#): Fridays 8:00-8:30a.m.

Simply drop in. No cost or registration required.

Blessing of the Saints

In this season of All Saints Day (Nov. 1), All Souls Day (Nov. 2) and Eternity Sunday (Nov. 20) we remember that we are *Blessed by Saints Before us, Beside us, Beyond us.*

As the book of Hebrews testifies, “We are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses” (12:1), so we proclaim:

For those who have gone before us
who have spoken to our hearts
and touched us with your fire,
We praise you, O God.

For those who live beside us
whose weaknesses and strengths
are woven with our own,
We praise you, O God.

For those who live beyond us
who challenge us
to change the world with them.
We praise you, O God.

- Janet Morley -

Mark your calendars!



Iona Healing Prayer Services

November 14 and December 12
7:00 - 8:00 pm

This [service of prayers for healing](#), which takes place every second Monday, September-May, 7pm at Pathways, is the same service that happens every Tuesday evening at Iona Abbey (Scotland). In this service, we name particular people, places, and situations for which prayers have been specifically asked. There is also be an opportunity for those who wish to receive or share in the ministry of the laying-on of hands for oneself or for another person or situation. Requests for prayer may be given to any Pathways co-director or written down and placed on the prayer tree in the Gratitude Room throughout the month.

Spiritual Directors Day Away

November 14 and December 12
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Pathways offers a [Day Away for spiritual directors](#) of all denominations each second Monday of the month. The day begins with a brief opening worship, followed by several hours of Sabbath space to enjoy the woods and trails, walk the labyrinths, find a nook to journal, read, and pray, check out the library, or play at the art table. The afternoon provides time for conversation and connecting with other directors. Establish a regular rhythm of monthly retreats or come as your schedule allows. No registration required; bring your own lunch. For more information, contact [Sally Weaver Glick](#).

Wisdom Jesus

November 7, 21, 28; December 5
7:00 - 8:30 pm

This is a [weekly group of common practice](#) in the spirit of [The Wisdom Jesus](#) by Cynthia Bourgeault. Each gathering will include chanting and centering prayer and other practices such as lectio divina, sacred movement, teaching from Cynthia or other Christian Wisdom teachers. We will reflect and pray together about renewing the Christian tradition within a multi-faith world. A rule of life can be shared by each participant with the goal of mutual support in living Christian Wisdom in daily life.

★ Advent Offerings ★

[Advent Visio Divina](#)

Fridays, Dec. 2, 9, 16
9:00 am – 11:00 am
\$25 a session, \$75 total

[Advent Embodied Prayer](#)

Tuesdays, Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13
7:00 – 8:00 pm
\$10/session

[Lectio Divina for Advent](#)

Fridays, Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23
8:00 – 8:30 am
No cost

★ Coming Soon ★

Register for these exciting opportunities coming in the new year:

[Introduction to the Enneagram](#)

February 2-4
\$200-250

[Watercolor as a Contemplative Practice](#)

February 10, 24, March 10, 24
9:00 – 11:00 am
\$120 for 4 sessions

Visit www.pathwaysretreat.org
for information on all these events and
more!

Pathways Retreat is a contemplative spiritual retreat center in the city limits of Goshen, Indiana,
offering rest, reflection and renewal with God.

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