

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL ANNUAL DAY OF RECOLLECTION



Open to Men and Women!

Living Fully the Joy of the Gospel: Many saints have stated that "Joy is the infallible sign of God's presence." The question we must ask is simple: Are we truly joyful followers of Jesus? How might we open our hearts more completely to the Joy of the Gospel?

SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

Father Paul Dressler, O.F.M. Cap.

Fr. Paul Dressler, OFM Cap was born and raised in the Washington DC area. Fr. Paul is currently the director of seminary formation for the Capuchin-Franciscans at Capuchin College (Washington, D.C.); he also serves as chaplain at Archbishop Carroll High School; on many Sundays he can be found celebrating mass at St. Augustine's Parish, where he has assisted for over seven years.

Fr. Paul has been a retreat master and speaker at many different gatherings; the major influences on his preaching and spirituality include St. Augustine, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Therese (The Little Flower), Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and Padre Pio, to name but a few. His favorite Bible passage is as follow: *As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy may be complete. This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.* (John 15: 9-12)

SATURDAY, MAY 25, 2019

Washington Retreat House
4000 Harewood Rd., NE, Washington, DC 20017

Registration/continental breakfast In the library (room with all the books) to the left as you walk in	9:00 AM	Dinner—Dining Room	12:00 PM
Morning prayer begins our retreat (in the chapel)	9:45 AM	Rosary/confession (rosary in chapel; confession in Parlor)	1:00 PM
Conference (conference room)	10:00 AM	Afternoon conference	1:30 PM
Mass (chapel)	11:15AM	Departure	3:00 PM

Please join us. Invite your family and friends for a day of spiritual reflection.

Cost: \$40

Please make your check out to the Washington Retreat House

**To register and for further information,
please call Cecilia Flores at 240-793-4117 ASAP.**

**If there is no answer, please leave a message with your name
and phone number indicating you are calling about
St. Michael's Day of Recollection**