Wisdom from the Mystics

With Kathie Budesky, IHM, and Fran J. Daly, SJ

October 12-16, 2022

The retreat begins at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday and concludes at noon Sunday.

Morning sessions: 10:30 a.m. – noon (Wednesday through Sunday)
Afternoon sessions: 2-3:30 p.m. (Wednesday through Saturday)
Lunch is included
Wednesday through Saturday.

IHM Motherhouse • Maxis Community Room • 610 W. Elm Ave. • Monroe, Mich.

Karl Rahner, SJ, one of the greatest theologians of the 20th century, claimed that “the Christian of the future will either be a mystic or will cease to be anything at all.” What is mysticism and how does one become a mystic?

In this retreat, we will look to the lives and writings of some of the great mystics in our tradition to see what wisdom they might offer us on our faith journey into the future. These include, among others, Teresa of Ávila, Thérèse of Lisieux, Francis of Assisi, Francis de Sales and Karl Rahner.

Kathie Budesky, IHM, the director of Visitation IHM Spirituality Center, has many years of experience in secondary education, both in the religious studies classroom and the principal’s office. She was a staff associate in the Ignatian Program in Spiritual Direction and Retreat Ministry at Guelph, Ontario.

Francis J. Daly, SJ, is on the staff of Manresa Jesuit Retreat House in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. He was master of novices for the Detroit and Chicago Provinces of the Society of Jesus and Tertian Director for Jesuits from four continents.

Registration Deadline: Sept. 26, 2022
Registration Fee: $300
A deposit of $50 is due at registration. Please indicate your dietary needs at the time of registration. To register, contact IHM Spirituality Ministries at ihmspirituality@ihmsisters.org or 734-240-5494.

Reasonably-priced overnight accommodations are available at River House and other nearby locations. Ask for assistance when registering. Please note that River House is accessible only by stairs.

DUE TO SAFETY PROTOCOLS FOR COVID-19, EVERYONE ATTENDING MUST WEAR A MASK WHILE IN THE MOTHERHOUSE AND BE SCREENED BEFORE ADMISSION.