

Overview of Diocese of St. Cloud Castaway Retreats 2018

Retreat Dates: **Weekend 1:** Fri-Sun, March 16-18, 2018 – **Speaker:** Deacon Joe Kresky
Weekend 2: Fri-Sun, March 23-25, 2018 – **Speaker:** Kelli Kleinschnitz

Camp Capacity: 350 Participants + 28 Work crew per weekend

Spiritual Director For Weekend 1: Father Mike Kellogg-Mary of the Visitation- Becker/Big Lake
Spiritual Director For Weekend 2: Father Ben Kociemba – Cathedral HS Chaplain & Vocations

Administrative Director of Retreats: CEM-Kent Schmitz

Weekend 1: Retreat Coordinators: 1) Gina Pohlen-St. Mary's -Alexandria
2) Scott Crumb – Sacred Heart in Glenwood

Weekend 2: Retreat Coordinators: 1) Ginny Duschner – Spirit & Saints – St. Cloud
2) Scott Frieler - Spirit & Saints – St. Cloud

Meeting Dates: ➔ Tues, Jan. 2, 2018 * 1-4 PM Retreat Planning @ St. Benedict's, Avon
➔ Mon, Feb. 12, 2018 * 1-4:00 PM Retreat Planning @ Mary of the Visitation-Becker
➔ Mon, Feb. 26, 2018 *1-4:00 PM Retreat Planning @ Seven Dolors-Albany
➔ Sun, March 11, 2018 *1- 4:00 PM Castaway Leader Training-Holy Family School
Sauk Centre (need to confirm)

Early Parish Estimates – November 2017

- Parish Enrollment Form signed by Pastor and due into CEM by December 8, 2017
- Registration Materials Handed out on **January 2, 2018** meeting.
- Registration open to ALL parishes in Diocese on a first come basis. Parishes will need all of the following to become enrolled and participate in Castaway:
 - a) Pastor Approved Parish Leader
 - b) Appropriate Adult Chaperone/Leaders to Youth Ratio 1A/5Y
 - c) All Adults have verification of Safe Environment compliance/training
 - d) Chaperone Adults need to be no less than 21 years of age
 - e) Limit of 48 Participants per Parish/Cluster: (approx. 40 youth w/ adults)
 - f) Get your Adult Chaperones First. Adult registration form A-2a needs to be in before any student registrations will be counted or allowed. The A-2a form is due **Monday, February 12, 2018**. The verification of their Safe Environment Training with Form A-3a is not due until Mon. **February 26, 2017**
 - g) **All participants** will need registration materials and deposits/fees into CEM by **Monday, February 12, 2018**
 - i. Permission Form
 - ii. Code of Conduct
 - iii. \$75.00 Deposit per participant (Total cost: \$150.00 each)
(Transferable but non-refundable)(After Feb. 12 – Spaces may become available and open. It will be evaluated at that time if new registration will be accepted.)
 - h) Final Payment **Mon. February 26, 2018** Balance of \$75.00 per participant.
 - i) All T-shirt orders and fees due no later than **Mon. February 26, 2018**