

SILENT DIRECTED RETREAT June 29-July 5, 2018

Cost \$910.00

Registration Form

Registration deadline: June 19

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Province: _____

Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Gender: ___ Age: 18-30 ___ 31-45 ___ 46+ ___

Religious Affiliation: _____

Occupation: _____

Dietary or special needs: _____

First Silent Directed Retreat? Y/N _____

Have experienced seeing a spiritual director?

Y/N _____

To register please send this form to

Dianne Mantyka

dimantyka@sasktel.net • 306-514-2193

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A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is required when registering, to be refunded if Queen's House cancels this retreat.

Please call 306-242-1915

or visit Queen's House for payment:
601 Taylor Street West, Saskatoon SK

**Queen's House
Retreat & Renewal Centre**

A Home Away from Home

One with the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate, Queen's House serves the church with the mission of Christ Jesus, sent to announce good news to the poor, freedom to captives and new vision for the blind (Luke 4). A place of hospitality, beauty and quiet, Queen's House welcomes all peoples in their unique life experiences, with special regard for the alienated and suffering. They come to pray and worship, to seek healing and human dignity, and to grow in knowledge of self, the world and God. With risk and daring, Queen's House responds to these needs through creative programs and collaborative ministry:

Spiritual Direction & Silent Retreats
Contemplation, Meditation, Prayer
Spiritual Direction Formation & Support
Biblical Learning & Engagement
Healing Retreats & Workshops
12-Steps Retreats & Gatherings
Yoga & Holistic Practices
Ecumenical Encounters
Solitude & Hospitality
Art & Iconography
Fellowship, Celebration, Worship
First Nations Spirituality & Encounter
Spiritual Tools, Practices & Disciplines
Seasonal Reflections with Liturgical Calendar

Detailed program listings:

www.queenshouse.org

**For registration, or to inquire about receiving
spiritual direction, call 306-242-1916 or
email receptionist@queenshouse.org**

Silent Directed Retreat

"Come away with me..."

Friday June 29, 4:00 p.m. -

Thursday July 5, 2:30 p.m.



**Dianne Mantyka, M. Div.
Bishop Gerry Wiesner, OMI**

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SEVEN DAY SILENT DIRECTED RETREAT

"Come away with me by yourselves to a quiet place and rest awhile." Mark 6:31

Summer provides time for rest, reflection and renewal. Come to this peaceful riverside setting to restore, realign and strengthen your soul. Throughout this time in silence and solitude you will have opportunity to meet daily with a spiritual director and to spend time praying with scripture. Taking time for this retreat is a means to help you encounter God, become aware of the Spirit, and to live out more freely Christ's presence in your life.

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\$995 (live-in only) - includes lodging, meals, spiritual direction and facilitation.

This retreat qualifies as a prerequisite for the upcoming Spiritual Direction Formation Program, beginning in January 2019.

Spiritual Direction is the process of accompanying someone on their spiritual journey.

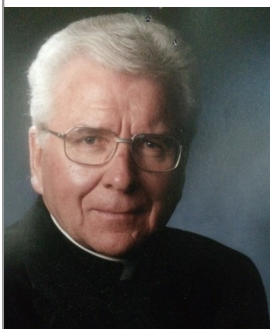
The **Spiritual Director** is a dedicated traveler of the interior pathways who has skills to accompany another person's searching through life's ups and downs. The Director listens, encourages, supports and assists the person to pay attention to their life and to God.

The **Art of Spiritual Direction** lies in uncovering the obvious in our lives and in realizing that every day events are the means by which God reaches us, accompanies us, and transforms us.



Dianne Mantyka accompanies those on their path of becoming all they are created to be in loving relationship to God, self, nature and others. She holds an M.Div. with a Spiritual

Theology concentration from Regent College, has CPE training, and has experience in inner healing prayer ministry and a variety of prayer forms. Her background includes biology, missions, and 19 years in Inter-Varsity campus ministry. She is a wife, care-giver, step-mom, Oma, and enjoys her family and friendships, the outdoors, reading, creativity, learning and empowering. With Queen's House, Dianne co-directs the Spiritual Direction Formation Program, is on the Programming Team and the Spiritual Directors Team, and offers Silent Directed Retreats and the Nineteenth Annotation. Her experience connects her with people from a variety of backgrounds. dimantyka@sasktel.net • 306-514-2193



Bishop Gerald Wiesner, OMI, currently resides in Saskatoon after retiring as Bishop of the Prince George Diocese in BC for 20 years. Gerry is a respected theologian, liturgist, teacher, and spiritual leader. He has served several years as

President for the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. He established the Lay Formation Program in Saskatoon and Prince George, and taught Theology at Newman College. He is a Co-director of the Spiritual Direction Formation Program at Queen's House.

"The art of being on a **retreat** is the art of being where you are." - Henri Nouwen

"It is always an act of faith to trust **silence**. ...Silence is what surrounds everything. When you can train yourself to reverence the silence around things, you first begin to see things in themselves and for themselves. This 'divine' silence is before, after, and between all events for those who see respectfully.

When our interior silence can actually feel and value the silence that surrounds everything else, we have entered the house of wisdom ... the very heart of prayer." - Richard Rohr OFM

"Faith comes by **hearing**, and hearing by the Word." - Romans 10:17

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION FORMATION PROGRAM

January 2019 - July 2020

~One weekend a month

Co-directors:

Bishop Gerry Wiesner OMI

Gisele Bauche

Dianne Mantyka

This program equips mature adult Christians for the ministry of Spiritual Direction, mentoring, and prayerful companionship of leaders and laity in parishes, congregations and ministries.

Application deadline: August 31, 2018

For further information see a brochure, visit the Queen's House website queenshouse.org/spiritualdirection and Facebook pages, or contact Dianne Mantyka at 306-514-2193, dimantyka@sasktel.net