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**Date:** March 18, 2019  
**To:** Priests  
**From:** Monsignor James Schillinger, Director, Ongoing Formation of Priests  
**Re:** RETREAT OPPORTUNITY – The Sacrament of Reconciliation Priest Retreat

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Our Lady of Divine Providence House of Prayer will host “The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Opening Hearts to Encounter the Liberating Power of God’s Healing Mercy” retreat May 19-24, 2019 in Clearwater, Florida.

This retreat is offered for all priests who desire to develop greater gifts of interior listening and discernment to administer the Sacrament of Reconciliation in the power of the Holy Spirit. It will provide tools to open the penitent’s heart to receive healing, mercy and a new freedom and joy in the Lord.

Priests of the Archdiocese of Atlanta are required to make an annual retreat. It is our policy in the Archdiocese of Atlanta that the parish/ministry of the priest is responsible for the cost of this annual retreat. Currently the annual allowance for this expense is \$850. Costs beyond that amount are the responsibility of the individual priest.

The retreat fee is \$975. To register, please email [retreats@divineprovidence.org](mailto:retreats@divineprovidence.org) or call 727-799-4003.