



Memo

Date: November 14, 2022
To: Priests
From: Fr. Pedro Poloche, director, Ongoing Formation of Priests
Re: Save the dates – 2023 ongoing formation events

Brothers in Christ,

The Committee for the Ongoing Formation of Priests has been working to plan formation events for 2023. Our goal is to highlight the four categories of priestly formation – human, intellectual, pastoral and spiritual, by offering either a clergy study day or reflection in each category.

Below, you will find the calendar listing. I hope you will plan to attend. Registration and details will follow closer to each event.

I look forward to seeing you there!

Clergy study days (10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Chancery)

Thursday, January 26

Mr. Vince Frese founder of Divorced Catholic will speak on *“The Essential Keys to Helping Catholics Recover from Divorce”*

Thursday, August 3

Fr. Scott Detisch, author and pastor in the Diocese of Erie will speak on his book, *“From Hero to Servant to Mystic: Navigating the Deeper Waters of Priestly Spirituality.”*

Thursday, October 26

Dr. John Bergsma of the St. Paul Center will speak on Scripture Study for Homiletics

2023 Lenten Day of Reflection

Presenter – Fr. Santo Cricchio, OFM Conv. (Holy Family Counseling Center)

Tuesday, April 4

Cathedral of Christ the King

2023 Atlanta Priests Retreat

Presenter – Fr. John Riccardo, Acts XXIX
Monday, September 11, to Friday, September 15
Brasstown Valley Resort

2023 Advent Day of Reflection

Presenter – Monsignor Richard Lopez, chaplain at Purification Heritage Center
Thursday, December 7
Purification Heritage Center

Registration details for all events will follow closer to dates.