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St. Francis Retreat Center

703 E. Main St., DeWitt, MI 48820

Phone: 517-669-8321 (M-F 9:00 AM-5:00 PM)

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From the North

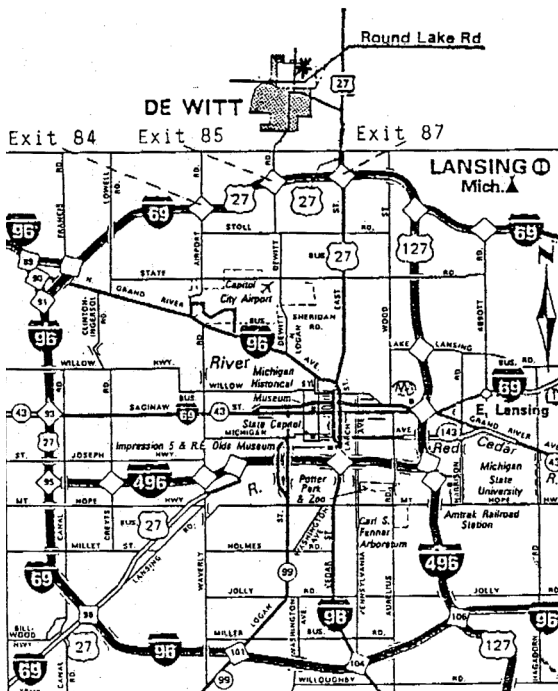
South on US-127 to the Round Lake Road/DeWitt exit. Turn right on to Round Lake Road (Round Lake Rd. becomes Main St. as you enter DeWitt). Approximately one mile to fork in road. Stay left. Proceed to traffic light at Business 27. Cross Business 27 and continue on Round Lake Road about 1.5 miles. Retreat Center is on your right.

From the South and East

Take US-127 North (follow signs to St. Johns and Clare) and take the DeWitt/Round Lake Road exit. Turn right on to Round Lake Road (Round Lake Road becomes Main Street as you enter DeWitt). Approximately one mile to fork in the road. Stay left. Proceed to traffic light at Business 27. Cross Business 27 and continue on Round Lake Road about 1.5 miles. Retreat Center is on your right.

From the West

East on I-69, take exit 85, go North on DeWitt Road to the 2nd stop light. Turn right or East on Main St. about 1/2 mile to Retreat Center on your left.



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Pastors In Transition

For Clergy and CREs in
New Calls and Interims
And Other Clergy Interested
In Leading Transition



February 8-10, 2015

Sunday 5:00 PM through Tuesday Lunch

Registration begins at 5:00 PM

St. Francis Retreat Center
DeWitt, Michigan

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Schedule of Events

Sunday, February 8

- 5:00 pm - Registration
- 6:00 pm - Dinner
- 7:00 pm - Worship and group introductions
The Rev. Marjorie Wilhelmi
for all worship services
- 9:00 pm - Refreshments and conversation

Monday, February 9

- 8:00 am - Breakfast
- 9:00 am - Morning Prayer
- 9:30 am - Facilitators introduce small groups
- 10:15 am - Break
- 10:30 am - Group A, C, D
- 12:00 pm - Lunch
- 1:00 pm - Group A, C, D - continued
- 2:30 pm - Free Time
- 4:30 pm - Group B, D
- 6:00 pm - Dinner
- 7:00 pm - Evening Prayers and Service for Wholeness
- 9:00 pm - Time for conversation and celebration

Tuesday, February 10

- 8:00 am - Breakfast
- 9:00 am - Group B, D - continued
- 10:30 am - Break
- 10:45 am - Where do we go from here?
Follow-up and Action Learning Teams
- 11:15 am - Evaluation
- 11:30 am - Closing Worship
- 12:00 pm - Lunch and Departure

You MUST RSVP by 1/19/2015

September 28-29, 2015 program to be scheduled based on your feedback.

Group Learning [Choose Two]

- A. Finding the True You: Prayer and Temperament**
~Ron Case, Arthur Oberg, Bryan Smith
- B. Turning Eyes Into Ears: Listening to God, Ourselves, and the Church**
~ Steve Clark, Emma Ouellette
- C. Leading Change in the Congregation: From Good to Great**
~ Al Timm, Richard Brownlee
- D. None Of The Above**
"Open Ended Discussion on Topics That Do Not Relate to the Topics Listed Above."
~ Anne Schaefer

Expected outcomes:

1. Build a network of pastors
2. Find spiritual refreshment
3. Reflect on congregational leadership
4. Gain skills in leading change
5. Invitation to form learning groups

Format:

Plenary Sessions - whole group meets for introductions, discussion, and worship
Group learning experiences - participants choose two interactive learning experiences.



REGISTRATION FORM ~ Pastors In Transition Feb. 8-10, 2015

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Presbytery _____
Church _____ City _____
E-mail: _____ Group Learning Choices: A ___ B ___ C ___ D ___
Special Medical and/or Dietary Needs _____

_____ My check for \$ 225 (payable to Presbytery of Detroit—notation Pastors In Transition Workshop) is enclosed.

Return form by January 19, 2015 to: Beverly Knox, Presbytery of Detroit, 17575 Hubbell, Detroit, MI 48235