



## *A Renewal Experience at St. Margaret Mary 2017*

*Women's Retreat: September 9/10*

*Men's Retreat: September 23/24*

### What is "Christ Renews His Parish"?

Christ Renews His Parish, also known as CRHP, is a retreat put on by parishioners (men for men and women for women) who come together to:

Relax, pray and re-think priorities.

Get to know others in the parish and grow as a community.

Examine, rediscover, and/or intensify your personal relationship with Christ.

Reflect and share about spiritual and real life issues.

CRHP is a parish renewal process that has existed since 1969 and has been used as the primary instrument of personal and parish renewal in over 1,200 parishes nationwide. Over the last 40+ years, thousands of women and men have participated in a Christ Renews His Parish renewal. The program has been recommended by the renewal office of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops.

### What happens on a CRHP Weekend?

Come prepared to have fun and renew your heart. Team members center the process around reflection with the emphasis on small group discussions and activities. Topics covered include the Father's loving care for us, Scripture, Eucharist, and what Christian life is all about.

You will be free to share as much or as little as you are comfortable with. You and your needs will always be respected. The sharing dialogue is stimulated in a very liturgical, scriptural, and prayerful atmosphere. Sacraments are part of the weekend. Mass is celebrated both Saturday and Sunday in chapel. An opportunity for Reconciliation will be offered.

### Sign-up after masses on July 22/23

Retreat begins at 8am on Saturday and ends at approximately 4pm on Sunday.

Retreats are limited to 30 parishioners each weekend. Spots will be reserved on a first come/first serve basis. Retreats will be held 2x/year. The next retreat weekends will be in Feb/March 2018. The retreat is FREE. Donations will help sustain CRHP to remain self-sustaining, but are not required to attend.

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