

18th ANNUAL EPISCOPAL MEN'S PRE-LENTEN RETREAT

Friday, Feb. 8th ~ Saturday, Feb. 9th, 2019

DEKOVEN CENTER 600 21st STREET RACINE, WISCONSIN



The Reverend Christopher Powell



Friday Night Movie

Gran Torino chronicles the disgruntled Korean War veteran Walt Kowalski who sets out to reform his neighbor, a Hmong teenager who tried to steal Kowalski's prized possession: a 1972 Gran Torino.

What makes this movie especially interesting is how it expresses faith in seemingly conventional and unconventional ways. Walt has been through major transitions and his struggle to accept everything around him changing creates ripe possibilities for reflection by him and by those watching.

Our 2019 Retreat Theme: **LETTING FAITH FIND YOU**

Our time together will be an exploration of how God finds us daily and how God uses us, as we are, to introduce holiness into the world.

We are delighted and honored to announce that **The Reverend Christopher Powell** has agreed to serve as our Retreat Leader for the 18th Annual Episcopal Men's Pre-Lenten Retreat in February, 2019. Christopher is Rector of Christ Church, Winnetka and is highly regarded across, and beyond our diocese as a seasoned rector with great leadership and preaching skills.

This retreat is certain to be a meaningful and memorable time together, including opportunities to participate in small- and large-group discussions on important issues relevant to men like us, in our lives and in our faith. Equally important, we will share fellowship with other men, as we all seek to respond to Christ's call that we manifest Him in our lives, families, work and worship.

The Registration form (attached) is to be completed and enclosed with your check for \$145, payable to James Massie, and mailed to him at 215 North Washington Street, Hinsdale, IL, 60521. Reservations will be confirmed using postmark dates to determine the order in which the checks were sent.

Driving instructions will be sent prior to the retreat. Depending upon weather, allow about two hours driving time from the Chicago area to arrive at DeKoven between 5:00 and 5:30 pm on Friday afternoon for check-in and a short welcoming reception. You are welcome to arrive mid-afternoon Friday if you would like to enjoy the campus grounds prior to check-in. Dinner will be served *promptly* at 6 pm, followed by our evening program.

REGISTRATION FORM – 2019 EPISCOPAL MEN’S PRE-LENTEN RETREAT
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NAME: LAST _____ **FIRST** _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

TELEPHONE _____ **E-MAIL** _____

PARISH _____

ROOM CHOICE: SINGLE @ \$145 _____ **SHARED DOUBLE @ 135** _____

IF SHARING, NAME OF ROOMMATE _____

RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM AND CHECK MADE OUT TO:

James Massie
215 N. Washington St.
Hinsdale, Illinois, 60521

QUESTIONS: CALL JIM @ (630) 267-7688 (mobile) or
e-mail him at: jmassie@Ameritech.net

DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE SENT TO REGISTRANTS. DEKOVEN IS
JUST 72 MILES FROM CENTRAL CHICAGO. CARPOOLING IS A GOOD IDEA.

DO NOT WAIT TO REGISTER. “FIRST COME – FIRST REGISTERED”, BASED
ON REGISTRATION PAYMENT POST MARK DATE WILL BE USED TO
DETERMINE IF ROOM IS AVAILABLE.