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2026 Men's Conference

February 27, 28 & March 1

at Beckwith Camp and Conference Center

Offering faith, direction and encouragement to those wishing a closer relationship with our Lord in the company of other men of the Diocese.

Conference Theme: ***Exploring the Way of Love***



Rev. Scott Gunn is the Director of *Forward Movement* whose mission is to “inspire disciples and empower evangelists.” To this end he also sits on the board of the Anglican Theological Review and is treasurer of the Protestant Church-owned Publishers Association. When he is not on the road teaching and preaching, Scott attends Christ Church Cathedral Cincinnati, where he is an honorary canon.

A self-deprecating man, he points out that *Canon Gunn* is an excellent example of the hilarity of ecclesiastical titles! In addition to being a church geek, he is also a bona fide technology geek having worked when he was a layman at the Atlantic Monthly & Fast Company, the MIT Media Lab, and Education Development Center.

He is married, and the couple has one dog, George, who is a star on Twitter (@georgedog). He enjoys music, reading, photography and travel; plus he is the author of several books, including *The Way of Love*, which serves as the basis for this conference.

Scott calls retreat times “spring cleaning for the soul” and challenges us to “soak in the scriptures,” especially with Jesus in the wilderness as our model, to better deal with life’s situations. Come and see and be with Scott and your fellow men of the Central Gulf Coast.

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2025 Men's Conference February 28, March 1 & 2

Fees include a choice of Conference and Meals only, or a total package which includes Conference, Meals and Lodging

Conference and Meals only (commuter, no lodging) \$250.00

Single Occupancy Double Occupancy

Conference, Meals and Lodging \$365.00/ \$325.00

Clergy—Conference, Meals and Lodging \$315.00/ \$275.00

If you choose a double accommodation, please name a roommate or one will be assigned to you. If you chose a roommate, you may register both together or indicate your roommate's name on your registration.

“Please use the link below for registration and payment

<https://www.diocgc.org/event-registration>

Please register before February 21 so a firm commitment can be made to Beckwith.

Please make additional copies as required. Invite a guest!

Music is praying twice

All volunteers are welcome –
bring your instrument.
Let us all make a joyful noise.



Praise the Lord



Worship Too
Taize Service Saturday Night

Schedule

The Way of Love

Friday Evening Feb 27

- 4 - 6 Registration and check in
 - 5 - 6 Social Time & Oyster Shuck
 - 6 Evening Meal
 - 7 Welcome and Music: Bayshore
 - 7:15 *Overview & Turn* Scott Gunn
 - 8:30 *Compline*: Bayshore
- Social Hour follows: Wilson Hall

Saturday Morning Feb 28

- 7:30 *Morning Prayer*: Chapel
- 8 Breakfast
- 9 Gathering and Music: Bayshore
- 9:15 *Learn & Play* Scott Gunn
- 11 Q&A Scott Gunn
- 11:30 Noonday Prayer
- 12 Mug Shot, Lunch and Fellowship

Saturday Afternoon Feb 28

- 1:00 Gathering and Music: Alves Center
- 1:15 *Worship & Bless* Scott Gunn
- 3:30 *Personal Time*.
- 5 *Fish & Fire*: (Fire Pit or Bayshore weather depending)

Saturday Evening Feb 28

- 7:15: *Go & Rest* Scott Gunn
 - 8:30 *Taize Service*: Chapel.
- Social Hour follows: Wilson Hall

Sunday Morning March 1

- 9 *Closing Eucharist Chapel*: Scott Gunn
- 10:30 Complete Survey and Departure

**Includes Oyster Shuckin’
and Saturday night fish fry.**

Casual: Jeans & Bermudas

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COME and SEE !



**How good and pleasant it is
When brethren live together.
It is like fine oil upon
the head
That runs down the beard.
Psalm 133**

Forty Fifth Men’s Conference & Retreat

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The Way of Love

presented by
The Rev. Canon Scott Gunn

**Executive Director of the
Forward Movement**



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