

Longlea College

College Retreat

2020

WHY A RETREAT?

We all seek happiness in family life, in our work, in socializing, in sports and in many other aspects of daily life. But we find that these things, good as they are, don't fulfill us. We are made for more.

God has created us for Himself. Deep, lasting happiness and peace of soul come from encountering God, living in intimacy with Him and keeping HIs commandments.

We all need to take time out, to be quiet, to reflect and pray about our life and our relationship with God -- to go deep and have intimate conversations with Him, to revive our faith. A relaxed, peaceful retreat will help us do just that. This is not a luxury for a pious few but a <u>necessity</u> for each one of us, especially those with greater responsibilities.

Leadership retreats are conducted by priests of Opus Dei, a personal prelature of the Catholic Church, whose Founder, \$t. Josemaria Escriva, was canonized by John Paul II in 2002.

Dates: Monday, Dec 14, to Wednesday, Dec 16

The retreat begins at 9 p.m. on Monday, ending after lunch at 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

To see our website, go to www.Longlea.org

The fee for the retreat is \$70. You may pay by check or credit card at restonstudycenter.org.

or by check payable to: *Longlea Conference Center.* See the other side of this sheet for the address and driving directions to Longlea. To register you may contact: Joe Cardenas at jcardenas@heights.edu Daryl Glick at daryl@restonstudycenter

To apply for a retreat fill out and return this form to RETREATS, 1810 Old Reston Ave, Reston, VA 20190. Or fax it to 703-689-2914.

For more information, contact Daryl Glick: daryl@restonstudycenter.org. c: 202-250-4657



Longlea Conference Center is located at 5525 Security Circle, Boston, VA about 9 miles northwest of Culpeper, VA. During retreats the telephone number is 540-547-2217.

Directions from Washington, DC

- Take I-66 west to Exit 40.
- At Exit 40 turn onto Route 15 South.
- After 2 miles turn right onto Route 29.
- After about 30 miles take the first Culpeper exit.
- Go 4 miles to the Route 522 intersection in downtown Culpeper.
- Turn right onto Route 522 North.
- After about 8 miles watch for the Longlea entrance at Freedom Way on the left hand side of 522. It is ¼ mile after crossing the Hazel River.
- Follow Freedom Way about ³/₄ mile to Security Circle and the conference center. Drive with caution on Freedom Way.

Directions from Richmond, VA

- Take I-95 north to Fredericksburg
- Take Route 3 west for 33 miles.
- Take Business 29 North (Main Street, Culpeper) to Route 522.
- Turn left onto Route 522 North.
- After about 8 miles watch for the Longlea entrance at Freedom Way on the left hand side of 522. It is ¼ mile after crossing the Hazel River.
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