

The Center for Continuing Formation *presents*

A RETREAT FOR PRIESTS

with Msgr. William P. Fay, Ph.D.

How Intentional Is My Configuration to Christ?

A time for reflection, prayer, community, and solidarity

MONDAY-FRIDAY
JUNE 1-5, 2026

Arrive-Monday, 4:00 PM EDT

Depart-Friday, 11:00 AM EDT

Registration Deadline: April 25, 2026

Presenter



REV. MSGR. WILLIAM P. FAY, PH.D.

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Msgr. Fay writes in his own LinkedIn page:

"I am a very happy Roman Catholic Priest for 51 years (in 2025). The gifts I have are from God; the skills I bear today were recognized and honed by the Church. I have been blessed with a variety of priestly experiences, which have both stretched me and contributed greatly to the natural and the spiritual well-being I enjoy with God and neighbor. I am grateful to God and to the Church for my vocation to the priesthood, and I encourage other men, young or older, to open themselves to a call from God like this in life. It is filled with challenge, opportunity, great surprises and grace-filled satisfaction. Let God lead."

Msgr. Fay will lead a retreat that includes:

- several talks.
- prayer and liturgy.
- shared meals, snacks, and socials.
- quiet time.

St. Mary's provides a unique environment for reflection in an historic location with prayerful spaces, areas for both solitude and fraternity surrounded by winding paths through park-like grounds (see back of the flyer).



Cost is \$750 (includes room, meals, and hospitality).

Register and find additional information at: stmarys.edu/center/clergy-programs/faypriestsretreat/.



When you come to a program or retreat at St. Mary's Center for Continuing Formation you enjoy...

- A forty-acre campus with paths, mature trees, and a Marian grotto.
- Two chapels and an oratory for prayer and worship.
- Hospitality areas for networking and socials.
- Hotel-quality guest rooms, each with a private bath, climate control, study area, phone, voice-mail, and Wi-Fi.
- A state-of-the-art conference room.
- St. Mary's Knott library, including the Raymond Brown collection, the John Paul II Center, and the largest collection of resources for theological inquiry in the Baltimore area.
- The Associated Archives that comprise the combined archives of St. Mary's Seminary & University, the U.S. Province of the Society of St. Sulpice, and the Archdiocese of Baltimore (the latter including some of the earliest experiences of Catholics in the United States).
- A fully equipped fitness center.
- Outstanding food service.
- A community of faculty, formators, staff, and seminarians renowned for their hospitality and service.

