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Fr. Stephen was born in Denver and entered The Congregation of the Mission on February 2, 1965 as lay brother. He then went to the Mission in Taiwan in May 1975 and was ordained September 25, 1988. In September of 2011 he returned to the USA and currently serves as Chaplain to the Daughters of Charity in Evansville, IN. On November 21, 2016 he renewed his Missionary of Mercy in the Year of Mercy.

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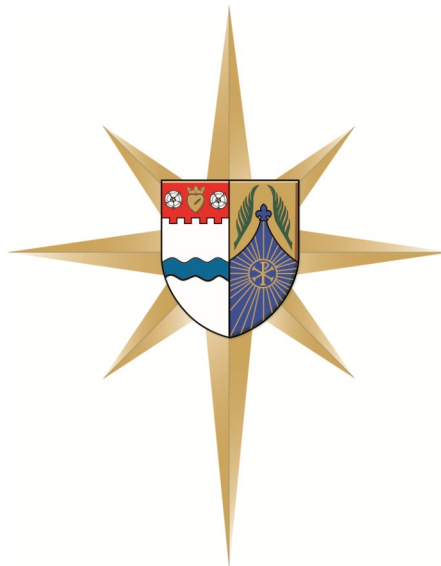
Fr. Tom Dragga graduated from Borromeo Seminar in Wickliffe, OH in 1979 with a B.A. in Social Behavioral Sciences. Fr. Dragga received his M. Div. from St. Mary Seminary and was ordained at St. John the Evangelist Cathedral on June 11, 1983. In 1993 he received his Doctorate in Leadership and Evangelization from United Theological Seminary and University of Dayton, Dayton OH.

Fr. Dragga joined the Pastoral Theology and Field Education Department of St. Mary Seminary and Graduate School in 1990. In July of 1996, Fr. Dragga was name the seventh

President-Rector of Borromeo Seminary, which is the undergraduate seminary for the Diocese of Cleveland. He held a joint position as President of the College seminary while continuing to serve as a professor of Pastoral Theology at St. Mary Seminary and Graduate School of Theology and an adjunct faculty member of John Carroll University. He continues teaching in the Doctor of Ministry Program as an adjunct Professor of Pastoral Theology for St. Mary Seminary and Graduate School of Theology.

Fr. Dragga was a member of the Board of Directors of the Board of Directors of the National Catholic Education Association where he serves as the vice chair and member of the Executive Committee. In 2014, Fr. Dragga was elected President of the National Organization of the Continuing Education of Roman Catholic Clergy.

Fr. Dragga has served as retreat director, Parish Mission speaker and has spoken both locally and nationally on a variety of subjects on the Liturgy, Pastoral Life, Evangelization and Church Leadership.



2018 Fall Clergy Retreat Diocese of Pueblo September 17-21, 2018



Franciscan Retreat Center
Mt. St. Francis, Colorado Springs
7740 Deer Hill Grove (I-25 @ exit 149)
719-955-7025

ALL CLERGY

Our Fall Retreat will be held September 17-21, 2018. Room assignments and meal counts must be confirmed early.

Room reservations at Mt. St. Francis are made through the Pastoral Services Office on a first-come/first served basis. There are 34 rooms, which can serve as doubles; four of these have a shared bath. There are 4 rooms which can serve as triples. Rooms at Mt. St. Francis are \$68.00 per night for a single; \$78.00 for a double; \$88.00 for a triple. As below, your CFEC account will be charged.

A block of 30 rooms at the Hampton Inn off of I-25 and Woodmen in Colorado Springs at the conference price of \$79 per night have been reserved. Please feel free to call John Chavez at the Pastoral Center to ask for further information. You will be responsible for making your own hotel reservations at 719-593-9700 or by using the following online link to make your room reservation: <http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/groups/personalized/C/COSNHHX-DCO-20180917/index.jhtml> **The deadline for making your room reservation at the Hampton Inn is AUGUST 24, 2018. Please reserve only the days you will be staying. You will be responsible for paying for all the days you reserve.** At the end of the retreat, you can submit your request for reimbursement from your CFEC account (\$400/annum).

Each clergy member will be billed on their CFEC account for their room depending on the accommodations you choose. All other costs of the retreat are covered by your Clergy Assembly dues and the Continuing Education Budget for Clergy.

If you will be absent for a meal, leave that box unchecked. Please plan ahead to indicate your intentions since the Clergy will be charged for every meal.

SCHEDULE

Monday (September 17)

3:00 p.m. Check in time at Hampton Inn Hotel
 3-5:00p.m. Retreat Check-In: Mt. St. Francis
 6:00p.m. Dinner
 7:00 p.m. Bishop's Remarks: Mt. Cedar Conf. Room
 7:30 p.m. Fr. Stephen Gallegos, CM (Testimony of a Mission of Mercy)
 8:00 p.m. Hand Out Schedule & Materials: Housekeeping Items

Tuesday/Wednesday/ *Thursday (September 18-21)

8:00 a.m. Breakfast: Guest Dining Room
 8:40 a.m. Lauds - Woodmen Rm.
 9:00 a.m. Different Topical Presentation by Fr. Gallegos each day - Mt. Cedar Conference Room
 10:15 a.m. Care of Priests Action Items by Fr. Thomas Dragga
 12:00 noon Lunch: Guest Dining Room
 1-2:30p.m. Adoration (Beginning with Missionary of Mercy Reflection & Confession/Direction available (time to fill out growth plans).
 3-4:30p.m. Follow-up Session with Fr. Dragga
 5:00 p.m. Mass (Bishop presides Tues. & Wed.—preaches Wed.; (Fr. Dragga preaches on Tues.) (Fr. Gallegos presides and preaches on Thurs. & Fri.)
 6:00 p.m. Dinner

- **(* Thursday Modifications:** Fr. Dragga will present both morning sessions; Fr. Gallegos will present in the afternoon.
- **Tuesday Evening:** 7-8:30pm Post Convocation Amazing Parish Refresher
- **Wednesday Evening:** 7-8:30pm—Bishop's Reflection's; Q & A with Presenters.
- **Thursday Evening:** 7-8:30pm—Game Night & Wine Tasting

Friday (September 21)

7:30am Mass - (Sister's Chapel), Breakfast & Depart
 12:00 noon Check out time at Hampton Inn Hotel

- **Please bring your breviary for Liturgy of the Hours.**
- **Concelebrating priests: bring alb and stole.**
- **During conferences and prayer please be sure to turn off your cell phone.**

Please detach and return to:
Pastoral Services Office
 c/o John Chavez
 101 N. Greenwood St. Pueblo, CO 81003

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Name

PLEASE PRINT

EMAIL: PLEASE PRINT:

I will *not* be attending retreat

I request a room at Mt. St. Francis

I will share a room with _____

I will reserve my room at the hotel

Meals I will attend (Please check appropriate lines)

Monday, September 17 Reception

Tuesday, September 18 Breakfast Lunch
 Dinner

Wednesday, September 19 Breakfast Lunch
 Dinner

Thursday, September 20 Breakfast Lunch

Friday, September 21 Breakfast

Dietary Restrictions _____

FRC offers two other dietary choices: Lacto-Ovo Vegetarian (eggs & dairy) and Gluten Free.

**PLEASE RETURN BEFORE FRIDAY,
 August 24, 2018.**

For your convenience you may e-mail your reservation to:

jchavez@dioceseofpueblo.org