**Emmaus**

The first Emmaus Retreat was held in the Archdiocese of Miami at the Dominican Retreat House in 1978. It was developed and conducted by a team of laywomen from St. Louis Church in Kendall and since has spread to parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Miami, other cities, states and even internationally. The retreat is based on the scripture passage found in Luke 24:13-35, where Jesus appears to two disciples who are on the road to Emmaus, after Jesus' resurrection.

The retreat offers a unique opportunity for personal, spiritual growth simply by discovering a new relationship with God and others. It allows time for you to reflect and affords you the opportunity to meet Jesus on your personal journey; to get away and look at yourself as a Christian / Catholic. It helps you to focus your life in a more positive and meaningful way. The retreat guides you through a series of reflections given by laypersons on all aspects of life – spiritual, emotional, physical and relational. You will come away with a renewed sense of priorities.

The retreat begins on Friday evening at 5:30PM and concludes Sunday afternoon after 3:30PM It is coordinated by the men and women of **St. Patrick Catholic Church**

The parish offers both Spanish & English retreats for both men and women, held separately. There is a donation requested to cover the basic cost of the retreat. However, financial hardships should not stand in the way of you becoming closer to God. Please let us know of your situation.

The retreat will take place at: **Comunidad Siervos de Cristo Vivo**

3100 NW 77th Court

Miami, FL 33122

It will begin Friday evening at 5:30PM and concludes Sunday afternoon at 3:30PM

**Is there a cost?**

There is a **$165.00** donation to cover the basic cost of the retreat, but financial hardship is not to stand in your way to become closer to God. Please let us know of your situation.

Registration is now open. We are expecting a large turn out of applicants. Please return the completed form with your **$165.00** donation to the person that invited you or take them to the Church Rectory office as soon as possible. Please make check payable to:

**St. Patrick Catholic Church**

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**What is an Emmaus Retreat for Men?**

It is a spiritual retreat put on by the men of **St. Patrick Catholic Church** allowing you time for spiritual growth.

**Is this another one of those programs for saints?**

Not at all, it is a relaxed weekend where you will have a chance to bond with others by sharing life's experiences.

**What happens during the weekend?**

You will hear talks given by different men from the parish. No lectures. No assignments. Each speaker will be sharing his life in a personal way.

**Why join us at St. Patrick Catholic Church**

You will have the chance to discover a new relationship with God. You will have the chance to make at least 30 new friends… very close ones.

**How long does it last and where is it held?**

The retreat begins on Friday evening at 5:30PM and concludes Sunday afternoon after 3:30PM

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For Further Information Please Contact:

Julio Velasco, Leader 305-972-7813

Enrique de la Pezuela 786-395-3779

Armando Romero 305-336-3224
The Emmaus Retreat is a weekend retreat starting on Friday at 5:30 PM and closing with the 5:00 PM Mass on Sunday at:

**ST. Patrick Catholic Church**

The cost is $165.00 per person and includes Room and Board.

Please make a check payable to:

**ST. Patrick Catholic Church**

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**Rectory Hours**
Mon-Fri 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Sat & Sun 8:30am - 2:00 pm
(305) 531-1124
Team Leader Julio Velasco 305-972-7813

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**Men's Emmaus English Retreat # 14**
March 6th - March 8th 2020

**Come and walk with the Lord and He will Give you rest!**

**Retreat Information**
*Keep this Portion!*

**Date**
March 6th - March 8th 2020

**Arrival Time**
Friday March 6th 5:30 PM

**Where**
Comunidad Siervos de Cristo Vivo
3100 N.W, 77th Court
Miami, FL 33122

**Group Family & Friends Mass**
Sunday March 8th 2020 5:00 PM
St. Patrick Catholic Church
*Family & Friends Social Gathering Following Mass*

**What you need to bring to the retreat**
Personal Items such as towel, deodorant, soap, shaver, toothpaste, toothbrush, cologne, etc. Pillow, blanket, and a twin-size sheet set. Please also bring comfortable and casual clothing for the weekend and BLACK SLACKS for mass Sunday.

**What you DO NOT BRING to the retreat**
Cell Phone, Tablet, Computer, Newspapers, Magazines, Work, Electronic Games, iPODS, anything that will distract you from the experience.

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