

## All Are Welcome

You will be with others who will listen without judgment and rejoice with you in the healing power of God's Mercy. While this is a ministry of the Catholic Church in Indianapolis, people of all faiths can benefit from this retreat.

Retreat facilitators will lead you through activities designed to help heal old wounds, find new joy, and develop new friendships. The program is structured, yet allows time for private meditation, prayer and rest.



*"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again;  
but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst;  
the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water  
welling up to eternal life." - John 4:13-14*

## About the Presenters

A Team of men and women who have experienced separation and divorce and are actively involved in divorce ministry will share how they found hope and healing after their marriages ended.

The team will be accompanied by Fr. Jim Farrell. Fr. Jim serves as a retired priest of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Ordained in Rome by St. Paul VI in 1975, Fr. Jim has served in a variety of pastoral assignments and has been a frequent retreat presenter for more than 30 years at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House where he now serves as Director of Mission Advancement. He also served for over 15 years as Chaplain to Separated, Divorced and Remarried Catholics (SDRC)



"My Whole life was planned out, then one day everything changed. I felt alone, heartbroken, and shocked. Fr. Jim's compassion and support gave me hope." - Judy G

"I never realized how much compassion the Church has toward those of us who end up divorced. I left feeling even better about being Catholic." - Helen G.

## Registration

**Registration fee: \$210 per person;** includes all meals and overnight accommodations (private room with shared bathroom).

The retreat begins on Friday, November 22nd with Registration/Check-in from 6:00-6:45pm. The program begins at 7:00pm. (Dinner is not provided Friday evening, so please be sure to eat before you arrive).

The retreat will conclude on Sunday, November 9th by 1:30pm after celebrating the Holy Mass and enjoying lunch together.

**To register online:** please go to [www.archindy.org/fatima](http://www.archindy.org/fatima) & click on "Register." or scan this QR code:



Please contact Lisa Coons, Registrar for further questions about registration at (317) 545-7681; [lcoons@archindy.org](mailto:lcoons@archindy.org).

*Note: Scholarship funds are available for those needing financial assistance to attend. Please contact Lisa Coons for more information.*

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For questions about making a donation, please contact our Director at (317) 545-7681 or email us at [fatima@archindy.org](mailto:fatima@archindy.org).

## About This Retreat

Come to Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House and be at peace in the knowledge of God's love for you.

This retreat offers a safe place to wrestle with your feelings about separation and divorce and helps you find ways to heal and grow. Discover anew that God is with you in your struggles and in your hope. Listen to the stories of those who have walked the path of separation and divorce and healing before you.

Surrounded in an environment of sincere and authentic compassion, you will be invited to share your own experiences when you are ready. This will be an important step no matter where you are in the healing process.

## What Past Participants Have Said about This Retreat

"Coming to this retreat was one of the hardest, yet best decisions I ever made." - Marie V.

"I was glad to see several other men as both team members and men hurting like me at the retreat. It was a great experience and my faith grew." - Tony G.

"Anger, hate, fear, bitterness and a myriad of negative thoughts filled my days. This retreat changed my heart."  
- Anna C

"I was at a low point, I felt lost and my faith was weak. I left the retreat with new friends and a renewed trust in God." - Mike E.

## Our Facility

We are located on 13 acres including:

- \* Labyrinth
- \* Wooded Trails
- \* Outdoor Stations of the Cross
- \* Our Lady Of Fatima Shrine
- \* St. Joseph Shrine
- \* Stations of the Nativity
- \* Rosary Walk and Garden
- \* Holy Family Shrine
- \* Outdoor Patio with Rocking Chairs
- \* Picnic Tables and Benches

Our indoor common areas include a Chapel, lower level gathering space, a library, comfortable lounge area, bookstore/gift shop.

Overnight accommodations include a comfortable full or twin bed, a recliner and desk with chair in a private room with shared bathroom. Towels, soap, extra blankets and pillows are provided. Each room has individual climate control.



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## "Being & Belonging"

A Retreat for Separated and Divorced Catholics

November 7-9, 2025



In the Gospel of John, Jesus meets the Samaritan woman at Jacob's Well and promises her living waters. He too wants to give us the living waters of His Grace and Love. Will you answer His invitation?

