

For unto us a Child is born...



A SILENT IGNATIAN RETREAT FOR MEN & WOMEN

NOVEMBER 22 - 24, 2024

with Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB

Advent is a time of peaceful trust in God's providence and helps us to make Christmas a celebration in which we open our eyes, minds and hearts to the universal call of the newborn Lord. Jesus' birth into human history was the true fulfillment of the hopes and longings, dreams and desires of the people of ancient Israel. This weekend retreat, on the eve of Advent 2024 and the beginning of the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope, will consider the richness of the Hebrew Scriptures that are the background of the Gospel Infancy stories.

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Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB, a member of the Congregation of St. Basil (Basilian Fathers), a biblical scholar, lecturer, author and retreat director. A graduate of St John Fisher University (Rochester), Regis College (Toronto), the Pontifical Biblical Institute (Rome), and the Ecole Biblique et Archéologique Française (Jerusalem), he has lectured across Canada, the USA, Ireland, Italy, India and in the Middle East. He served as Pastor and Executive Director of the Newman Centre Catholic Mission at the University of Toronto (1994-2000), National Director and CEO of World Youth Day 2002 in Canada and the founding CEO of the Salt and Light Catholic Media Foundation in Canada (2003-2019). He was English language Media Attaché at five Synods of Bishops at the Vatican (2008, 2012, 2014, 2015 and 2018). Fr. Rosica worked with the Holy See Press Office during the first years of Pope Francis' Petrine Ministry. He resides at Presentation Manor for Seniors in Scarborough as well as assisting in several parishes in the Archdiocese of Toronto. He has led several retreats at Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre in Pickering.