



A SILENT IGNATIAN RETREAT FOR MEN & WOMEN

April 2 - 4, 2027

with Sr. Mary Rowell, csj

Teilhard de Chardin, Ignatian Spirituality and Call for a New Day

This retreat is an invitation to an expanding understanding of faith and deepening inclusive love. It focuses prayerfully on an integration of the cosmic vision of Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, SJ, with traditional Ignatian Spirituality. The connections made transform the *Spiritual Exercises* of St. Ignatius into a fresh, lively and evolutionary encounter with God calling us into a new day.

St. Ignatius of Loyola conceived his exercises within a 16th-century, static framework of creation, Teilhard re-envisioned and practiced them faithfully with a vision for a universe, and humanity within it, moving ever toward deeper relationship with God, self and the other. The synthesis calls to belonging, community, expansive love, service and ultimate fulfillment in Christ.

Key themes of the retreat include widening the Ignatian sense of God in all things and of “the more”, ways in which the ordinary moments of your personal life and daily commitments are seen as essential contributions to the “Dream of God”, and a transition from fear to the reception of Divine Love.

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Sr. Mary is a Sister of St. Joseph in Canada based at Villa St. Joseph Ecology and Spirituality Centre in Cobourg, Ontario where she leads retreats, courses, and is a spiritual director. She provides retreats and workshops across Canada and the United States. Formerly a nurse and nurse educator, Sr. Mary worked in health care and education around the world. Sr. Mary holds a bachelor’s degree in philosophy and a master’s in medical law and Ethics from the University of London, U.K. and a Doctorate in Theology from the University of Durham, U.K. where her research focused on the interface of bioethics and theology. Sr. Mary is also a member of the Board of Directors at Covenant House.