



DEPARTMENT OF CURRICULUM & EDUCATION
DIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA & EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
325 NORTH WALNUT STREET
BATH, PA 18014

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GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!

Dear Reverend Father:

A Women's Retreat, sponsored by the Department of Curriculum and Education of the Diocese of Philadelphia and Eastern PA, will be held on Saturday, February 22, 2020 in St. Tikhon's Monastery Trapeza.

The topic for this year's retreat is: "**Preparing our Hearts for Great Lent.**" The speaker will be **Mother Gabriella**, who serves as the Abbess of Dormition of the Mother of God Monastery in Rives Junction, Michigan.

The cost for the retreat is \$10 which includes breakfast and lunch. It is open to **all** women.

Schedule for the Retreat

8:00 AM	DIVINE LITURGY – St. Tikhon's Monastery Church
9:30 - 10:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast – St. Tikhon's Monastery Trapeza
10:00 - 12:00	Session 1
12:00 - 1:15	Lunch / Bookstore / Museum
1:15 - 2:30	Session 2
2:30 - 3:00	Closing Remarks / Survey

Please place the information in your parish bulletin, on your website, and social media page as well as placing the flyer on your parish bulletin board. Also, please make additional copies of the registration form to distribute to the women in your parish. Encourage everyone to share retreat information on their social media pages.

Register via mail by February 17, 2020. For more information, please contact **Matushka Emilia Shepherd** at (910) 988-3462 or officermillie79@gmail.com.

Thank you for your support of the retreat.

Matushka Emilia Shepherd
Interim Director of Curriculum & Education

**Diocese of Philadelphia & Eastern Pennsylvania Bi-
BI-ANNUAL
WOMEN’S RETREAT
“Preparing our Hearts for Great Lent”**

**RETREAT PRESENTER
Mother Gabriella
Dormition of the Mother of God Monastery**

SATURDAY, February 22, 2020, 9:30am - 3:00pm (Divine Liturgy – 8 AM)

**St. Tikhon’s Monastery Trapeza
Cost: \$10/person (includes continental breakfast and
lunch)
Deadline to mail in form - February 17, 2020**

WOMEN’S RETREAT REGISTRATION FORM

Name_____

Address_____

Phone Number_____

Parish_____

Email Address (optional)_____

Please return the registration form by February 17, 2020 to:

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If you have any questions, please call (910) 988-3462
or email Matushka Emilia Shepherd at officermillie79@gmail.com

**Please make checks payable to: Diocese of Eastern PA
Annotate in the Memo line for Women’s Retreat**