

Magnificat Women's Retreat Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapter Retreat Leader: Dr. Carol Razza Theme: Slaying the Dragons

Date: March 22-24, 2019 (Friday evening through Sunday 12:00 noon) Place: Immaculate Conception Seminary in Huntington, NY Cost: \$250.00/pp Single Room with private bath & 5 Meals - Register early as space is limited!

Our Retreat Leader, Dr. Carol L. Razza, says that fear and shame prevented her from opening her mouth to talk about God. After all, she reasoned, who would want to listen? The lies that we are not good enough, too stupid, or will never amount to anything are crippling and the enemy likes it that way. God's purpose and plan for all of us is so great that the enemy wants to stop us even before we fully get started. We need to learn to slay the things in our lives that present themselves as bigger than God and prevent us from knowing that we are children of the Father with a destiny. We need to be reminded that our Father speaks freedom into our lives; we just have to receive it.

Carol is a full-time faculty member and formation advisor at St. Vincent de Paul Seminary in Boynton Beach, Florida. Her degrees include an Ed.D. in Child and Youth Studies from Nova Southeastern University, an M.S. in Counseling Psychology from Nova Southeastern University and a B.S. in Psychology from Florida Atlantic University.

She also serves on the Advisory Board, as the Regional Representative for Europe and Asia, for the International Magnificat. She has worked in private practice as a psychotherapist for over twenty-five years. She has written two books, "Sonblock-How Christians Unknowingly Shield Themselves from Grace" and "Parent Me. Please!", a book helping parents to parent their adolescents. Carol presents at seminars, conferences, workshops, and retreats both nationally and internationally. She lives in the Fathers supernatural joy and encourages others to do the same. Carol's greatest blessings include her marriage of 49 years to her husband Paul, their wonderful sons and daughters-in-law, and grandchildren. Carol will encourage you, make you think, and oftentimes make you laugh with her dynamic and inspiring testimony!

"Living Praise" Music Ministry from Pittsburgh will also be with us all week-end.

Please complete and return this form with <u>full payment</u> by <u>March 8th</u>. Checks are to be made payable to "Magnificat" and mailed to: Judy Murphy, 42 Pinehurst Street, Lido Beach, NY 11561. A confirmation and directions will follow. Please direct inquiries to Angela Rizzo at 516-763-1739 or Judy Murphy at 917-453-5750. No rooms will be held without payment in full.

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