

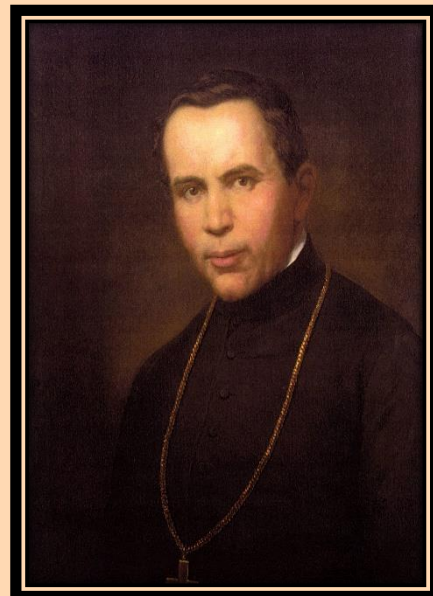
The National Shrine of St. John Neumann

2018-19 TEACHERS' RETREAT

We invite and encourage Catholic School Teachers & Principals in the Philadelphia Diocese to make pilgrimage to our shrine and to immerse yourselves into a day retreat experience centered on the virtues of St. John Neumann and the charism of the Redemptorists. The Passion, the Cross, the Eucharist and Mary provide a varied framework for the central teachings during each of our day retreats.

St. John Neumann was a humble priest and bishop with a steadfast approach to his ministry for the parishioners in his care, the religious he brought to begin our Parochial School System, the children he desired to educate, and the immigrants he welcomed and prayed for throughout his large diocese.

Arrange a day retreat with us, as we can offer you a balanced schedule of Mass, private prayer, opportunity for Confession & Rosary, words about St. John Neumann, two teaching sessions with a Redemptorist and opportunities for small group discussion. Embracing the full Shrine experience could also include a visit to our Museum, the Upper Church, the Gift Shop and time in our new atrium for contemplation & meditation. Our new events center will provide you with a beautiful, private and peaceful location to renew your commitment to serve those in your care!



Schedule:	9:00 AM	‘Welcome’ in St. John Neumann Shrine Church [lower church] Teaching about St. John Neumann & Redemptorist Charism Personal time in Shrine, Upper Church & Gift Shop
	10:00 AM	1 st conference in St. John Neumann Center, on Lawrence St.
	10:45 AM	Focused small group discussion following teaching
	11:15 AM	Summary of small group sharing
	11:45 AM	Opportunity for Confession & Rosary in Shrine Church
	12:15 PM	Celebration of Mass in Shrine Church
	1:00 PM	Return to the St. John Neumann Center for lunch
	1:40 PM	2 nd conference in the St. John Neumann Center Reflective Activity & Sharing
	2:30 PM	Blessing from Redemptorist and departure

Shrine Contact:	Deborah Binder, Assistant Shrine Director
Shrine Address:	1019 No. 5 th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19123, StJohnNeumann.org
Beginning Point:	Day starts in Shrine Church
Handicap Access:	All facilities have ramps and elevator where needed
Parking:	Retreatants use our gated free lot on Girard St. & Lawrence; 70 spots available
Cost	\$35 per person includes: coffee/tea& bottled water at AM conference and lunch served after Mass in the SJN Center retreat room.
Certificate:	Archdiocesan Certificate of Participation will be distributed at the end of day
Payment:	Check to be written to “St. John Neumann Shrine,” and sent when scheduled

Contact Deborah Binder to schedule a date:
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