

Still the Storm – Confirmation Retreat
November 7th – 9th 2008

Retreat Information

Retreat Location:

St. Vincent Pallotti Center
N6409 Bowers Road
Elkhorn, WI 53121

Specific directions are listed below:

	Distance
A 1. Start at 148 W MAIN ST, LAKE GENEVA going toward N CURTIS ST	go 0.45 mi
2. Continue on WI-50 E	go 0.18 mi
3. Continue on WI-120 N	go 0.31 mi
4. Take ramp onto US-12 W	go 1.06 mi
5. Take exit #328/LAKE GENEVA (WI-36)/BURLINGTON	go 0.25 mi
6. Turn R on STATE ROAD 120(WI-120 N)	go 0.39 mi
7. Continue to follow WI-120 N	go 6.97 mi
8. Turn L on WHITMORE RD	go 2 mi
9. Turn R on BOWERS RD	go 0.69 mi
B 10. Arrive at N6409 BOWERS RD, ELKHORN, on the L	

Time: 18 mins, Distance: 12.3 miles

Drop Off & Pick-up:

To the St. Vincent Pallotti Center – To assure that all of our teens have a safe and timely arrival to the retreat center we will take a Bus from St. Francis de Sales to the Retreat Center. The Bus Leaves from the Parking Lot at **7:20 PM**, therefore students should be dropped off at the Parish no later than **7:00 PM**.

From the St. Vincent Pallotti Center: - To conclude our retreat we will celebrate Sunday Mass at the St. Vincent Pallotti Center. It is ***strongly encouraged*** that you attend this Mass with your son or daughter. Mass will begin around **1:30 PM** and will be dismissed only ***AFTER*** Mass has ended; If you do not attend the Mass plan on picking your child up at 2:30PM at the St. Vincent Pallotti Center. **There will be no return bus service to St Francis de Sales.**

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Bring

Sleeping Bag
Clothes
Toiletries
Musical Instruments (i.e. Guitars, Bongo Drums, Harmonicas)
Bible
Journal/Notebook
Pens/Pencils
Camera (Disposable Recommended)

Don't Bring

Drugs
Alcohol
Cell Phone
Watch or Clock

Behavior Policies

Alcohol, Drugs & Tobacco Products

Teens are asked NOT to bring any alcohol, drugs or tobacco. These products are illegal for high school teens. For these reasons violation of this request will result in an *immediate* phone call to parents to pick up any teen found with alcohol, drugs or tobacco products.*

Curfew Violations

After dark teens will be given specific guidelines and asked to stay in the meeting room, or in the rooms they are sleeping in. Any teen missing from these locations after dark will be asked to leave the retreat. Parents will be notified when the absence is discovered, and *immediate* pickup arranged.*

Cell Phones & Watches

Teens will be asked to surrender cell phones to their group leader at the beginning of the retreat. Any teen found with a cell phone during the retreat will have it confiscated until the end of the retreat. Bill Snyder will have his cell phone with him at all times! If you need to speak to a candidate for any reason please call my cell at anytime (610) 724-1224.

In addition we ask that the students do not bring any watch or clock with them on the retreat, as this will help the teen relax and truly be on retreat...

*If your son/daughter is asked to leave the retreat for behavioral related issues they will not be eligible to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this academic year.