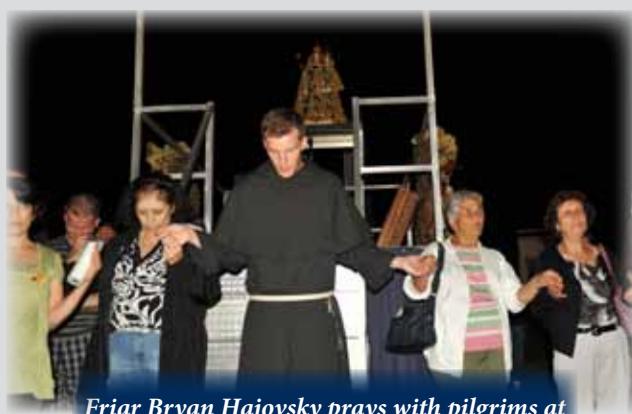


The Rule and Life of the Friars Minor is to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in poverty, chastity, and obedience.



Friar Bryan Hajovsky prays with pilgrims at the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation.

Been wondering what it's like to serve God as a Franciscan?

Perhaps you're longing for something more in your life. Perhaps God is calling you to a religious vocation. Perhaps you're uncertain, but would like to learn more. The Conventual Franciscans are offering Retreats for single men, 18 to 40 years old.

Meet Franciscan priests and brothers, talk to some of our students in formation (seminary) and see first hand what our life is like. Spend some time in prayer and fraternity and see what it has to teach. The retreat provides an opportunity for reflection and to learn about Franciscan life.

There is no cost for the weekend.

Tienes ganas para algo mas en tu vida? Posiblemente oyes una voz suave que te dice que Dios quizás te llama a una vocación religiosa. Quizás no estás seguro, pero necesitas saber más. Los Franciscanos Conventuales ofrecen unos Retiros para hombres solteros de 18 a los 40 años de edad.

Puedes conocer sacerdotes, hermanos franciscanos, hablar con nuestros seminaristas, y observar nuestra vida. Puedes pasar tiempo en oración y fraternidad, y observar otras cosas que puedes aprender. Este retiro te dará una oportunidad para reflexionar en tu propio llamado y aprender un poquito de la vida Franciscana.

Es completamente gratis!

"Don't be afraid of showing the joy of having answered the Lord's call, and of giving witness to his Gospel in service to the church." Pope Francis



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*Are you being called?
¿Está llamado?*

Do you want to learn more about religious vocations? Join the **Conventual Franciscan Friars** for a "Come and See" weekend and/or a

Vocation Discernment weekend in
2015



Retreat Dates 2015

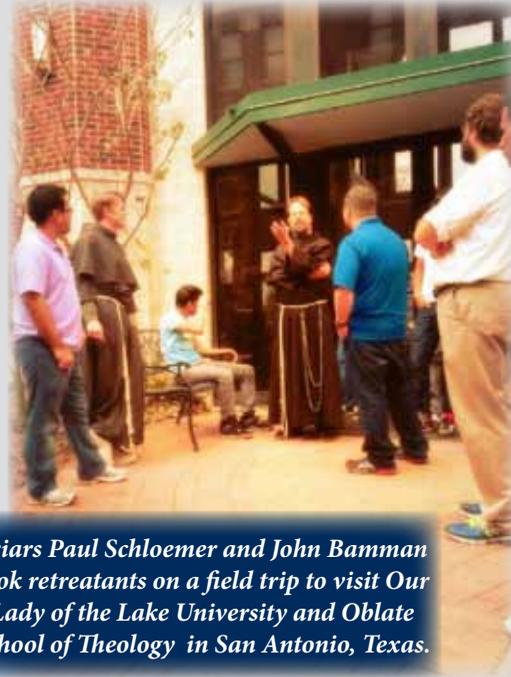
January 30 to February 1
Come and See
San Antonio, Texas

April 10 to 12
Vocation Discernment
Mount St. Francis, Indiana

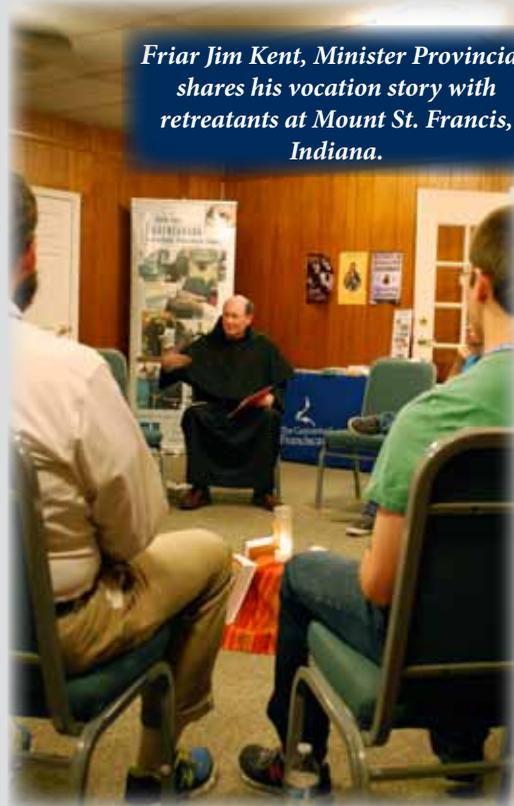
September 25 to 27
Vocation Discernment
Carey, Ohio

October 23 to 25
Vocation Discernment
Mesilla Park, New Mexico

October 27
Vocation Discernment
Prior Lake, Minnesota



Friars Paul Schloemer and John Bamman took retreatants on a field trip to visit Our Lady of the Lake University and Oblate School of Theology in San Antonio, Texas.



Friar Jim Kent, Minister Provincial, shares his vocation story with retreatants at Mount St. Francis, Indiana.



L to R: Friars Jesmond Panapparambil (India) Kizito Nyendwa (Zambia) and Enrique Hernandez (Mexico)



Vocation Retreat attendees at Holy Cross Retreat Center in Mesilla Park, New Mexico

To register, complete this form and mail to/
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Friar John Stowe celebrates mass for migrant workers in Ohio.

Circle/círculo : 1/30-2/1 San Antonio 4/10-12 Mt. St. Francis 9/25-27 Carey 10/23-25 Mesilla Park 10/27 Prior Lake

Name/Nombre y Apellido: _____ Phone/Teléfono: _____

Address/Dirección: _____ City/Ciudad: _____

State/Estado: _____ Zip/Código postal: _____ E-mail/Correo electrónico: _____

Age/Edad: _____ Occupation/Ocupación: _____

Have you been on a vocation retreat before? Yes ___ No ___ Ha estado en un retiro vocacional anteriormente? Si ___ No ___

Please indicate the method of transportation and travel info: _____

Favor indicar como va allegar al retiro: Carro | Avión | No.de vuelo y lineal | Hora de llegada | Si es por bus, indique la linea y hora de llegado: _____