

Weaving Retreats 2009-10

Reclaiming the Sacred Feminine

Dates/Time

- ◆ November 12-15, 2009
- ◆ February 11-14, 2010
- ◆ March 11-14, 2010
- ◆ April 15-18, 2010

Weaving Retreats begin with an opening ritual at 7:30 pm on Thursday night. Please arrive by 7:00 pm. Retreats conclude at 1:00 pm on Sunday.

Faculty

RHEA EMMER and **DORIS KLEIN**, both members of the Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes, facilitate the retreats. Rhea is a consultant in spirituality and a spiritual director in Fond du Lac. Doris is a professional artist and spiritual director in Milwaukee.

Format

The Weaving Retreats include presentations, personal reflection, ritual, communal sharing and time for walking the grounds and the labyrinth. Optional massage is available by massage therapists who attend the retreat.

Weaving History

The Weaving Retreats have been a gathering of the "Sacred Circle" where women from all faith traditions and backgrounds have come together to rest, reflect and experience the unconditional love of God. Since 1990 hundreds of women from across the country have come to know God in the weaving of the fabric of their daily lives.

Accommodations

The retreats are held at the Cedar Valley Retreat Center outside of West Bend, Wisconsin, a 100-acre setting in the country with walking trails, Wisconsin prairie, woods, pond and stream. **Please bring appropriate clothing for spending time outside.**

A limited number of single rooms are available on a first come, first served basis. All rooms have private baths. Double rooms have two double beds.

Fee

SINGLE ROOM —\$385

DOUBLE ROOM—\$350 per person

The fee for the retreat includes overnight accommodations, meals, snacks and materials.

Registration

Registration is by mail only, on a first come, first served basis. A \$50 **NON-REFUNDABLE** deposit must be sent with the registration. Full payment is due two weeks before the retreat. Your registration and room accommodations will be confirmed in writing. If the retreat for which you register is filled, you will be notified. You may request another retreat date or place your name on a waiting list. If no openings are available your deposit will be refunded.

Massage

Massage is available for an additional cost of \$35 paid directly to the therapist at the time of the massage.

Further Information

Contact Marjorie Wilbur, Executive Director
The Center to BE at 414-672-5932 or
mwilbur.centertobe@sbcglobal.net
www.centertobe.org

A word about fees from Marjorie Wilbur, Executive Director, The Center to BE:

We are committed to keeping the fees we charge as low as possible while continuing to ensure a reflective and restful retreat experience for each woman who attends and cover expenses. The Sponsorship Fund, described on the opposite side of this page, is available to assist women who have financial need. Please contact me if you have questions or concerns. Thank you.

REGISTRATION FORM

(Please Print. One name per form. Form may be duplicated.)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Day Phone _____

Evening Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Indicate room preference:

____ Single Room \$ 385

____ Double Room \$350 per person

Please make checks payable to The Center to BE.

Send registration form and deposit to:

The Center to BE
1501 S. Layton Boulevard
Milwaukee, WI 53215

Indicate your choice of retreat date:

____ Nov. 12-15, 2009 ____ March 11-14, 2010

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Sponsorship Fund

I request Sponsorship Fund assistance of

\$_____ (maximum \$130; for double rooms only)

Amount Enclosed:

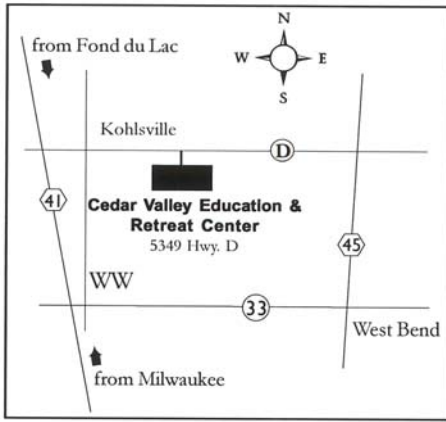
____ Full payment (\$385 or \$350)

____ \$50 Non-refundable Deposit

____ Sponsorship Fund Donation \$_____

____ Donation for Weaving Retreat Support \$_____

____ Please remove my name from the mailing list.



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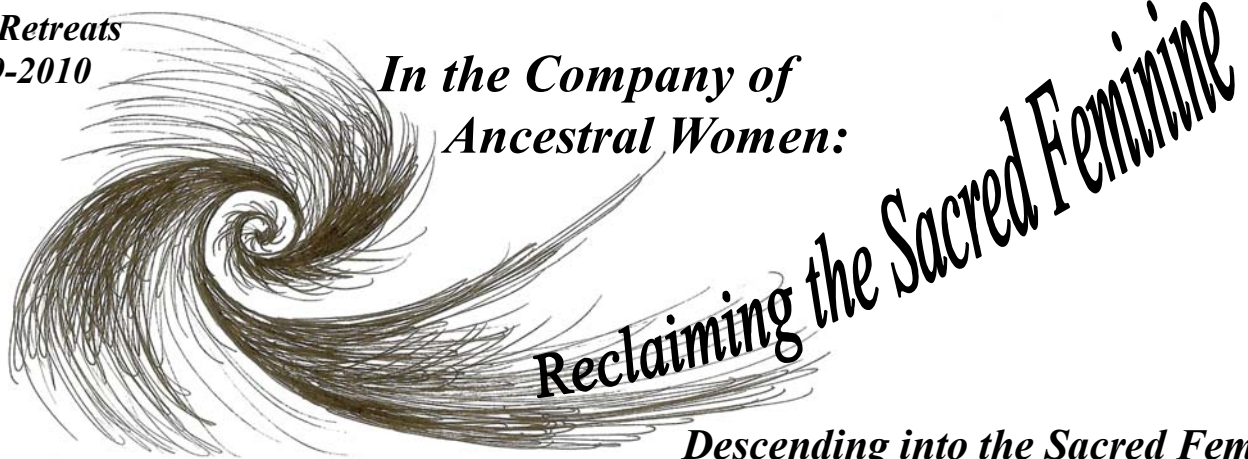
Although we keep fees as low as possible, our expenses increase each year. We know that cost can be a barrier to attending for some women. Financial assistance of up to \$130 may be requested from the Sponsorship Fund to attend one of the Weaving Retreats in a double room. Please indicate the amount of assistance needed on the registration form.

If you are able to offer more than the price of the retreat, your contribution will be added to the Sponsorship Fund and used for women who are not able to afford the full fee. Your gift of any size is appreciated very much and is tax-deductible within the limits of IRS regulations.

Cedar Valley Retreat Center, 5349 County Road D, West Bend, WI 53090 262-629-9202 www.cedarcommunity.org
 Directions: The Cedar Valley Retreat Center is 35 miles north of Milwaukee, 9 miles west of West Bend and 30 miles south of Fond du Lac. Exit Hwy 41 at Hwy D and drive east 3 miles to Cedar Valley. Or exit Hwy 45 at Hwy D and drive west 6 miles.

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 2009-2010**

**In the Company of
 Ancestral Women:**



**Descending into the Sacred Feminine
 Embodying the Sacred Feminine
 Emerging as the Sacred Feminine**

*Women Experiencing the Weaving of God in the Fabric of their Lives
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