New Ways Ministry is a national Catholic organization providing a bridge-building ministry of reconciliation and justice for gay and lesbian persons, their families, friends, and the Church.

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Registration Fee:
$245 (before September 6, 2011)
$265 (after September 6, 2011)
Space is limited.

Registration fee includes materials; overnight accommodations on Friday and Saturday; breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday; and breakfast and lunch on Sunday.

Scholarships:
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A retreat for gay resigned priests and religious

November 18-20, 2011
Bon Secours Spiritual Center
1525 Marriottsville Road
Marriottsville, Maryland 21104

Facilitated by
Anthony Padovano
This retreat will explore contemporary themes in spirituality, with an emphasis on the meaning of sexuality in becoming a whole person. Using the theology of Vatican II, each participant will examine his own personal journey to become a sexually and spiritually mature person through examining such concepts as conscience, integration, justice, community, hope, ministry, and renewal. Using insights from Thomas Merton and other contemporary spiritual authors, the focus will be on practical applications to real-life situations in day-to-day life as sexual and spiritual beings. These reflections will be geared toward helping each individual understand his mission in the modern world.

**Description**

**Schedule**

**Friday, November 18, 2011**
- 3:00 pm Check-in begins
- 6:00 pm Dinner
- 7:30 pm Presentation
- 9:00 pm Evening Prayer
- 9:30 pm Social

**Saturday, November 19, 2011**
- 8:00 am Breakfast
- 9:00 am Morning Prayer
- 9:30 am Presentation
- 10:30 am Quiet time
- 11:00 am Small group discussion
- 11:30 pm Large group discussion
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 2:30 pm Presentation
- 3:30 pm Quiet time
- 4:00 pm Small group discussion
- 4:45 pm Large group discussion
- 5:30 pm Free time
- 6:00 pm Dinner
- 7:30 pm Evening Prayer
- 8:00 pm Film and discussion
- 9:30 pm Social

**Sunday, November 20, 2011**
- 8:00 am Breakfast
- 9:00 am Presentation with discussion
- 10:15 am Evaluation
- 10:45 am Eucharist
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:30 pm Departure

**Presenter**

Anthony T. Padovano is a Distinguished Professor of Literature and Philosophy at Ramapo College, New Jersey. He was the first elected president of CORPUS (the National Association for the Married Priesthood). He is the author of twenty-nine books, mostly on topics in spirituality and theology, including: *Conscience and Conflict, Reform and Renewal: Essays on Authority, Ministry and Social Justice*, *The Church Today: Belonging and Believing*, *A Retreat with Thomas Merton: Biography as Spiritual Journey*, *Resistance and Renewal*.

Since 1986, Anthony has been serving as pastor of The Inclusive Community where Catholics and Protestants worship together. He has been visiting professor at twenty-five American colleges and universities, and lectures world-wide on the topics of priesthood and church reform. Anthony holds doctoral degrees from Gregorian University, Rome, and Fordham University, NY. He was the founding president of the Justice and Peace Commission, Diocese of Paterson.