
For this year, 2011, the Priory Government, through Mother Irene, has invited Sister Jeanne Ranek, OSB to facilitate the three cluster retreats that will all be held at the St. Scholastica's Spirituality Center in Tagaytay.

First Cluster:

September 1-8

Second Cluster:

September 11-18

Third Cluster:

September 21-28

The last two days of the retreat will focus on the sisters' discernment on the election of the prioress.

Mother Irene and Sister Benita are taking charge of reservations and accommodations.

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Sr. Jeanne Ranek. OSB

Sister Jeanne is a member of Sacred Heart Monastery in Yankton, SD. She entered the monastery in 1962 after graduating from Mount Marty College. Her education includes an MA and PhD from the University of Notre Dame in Indiana; seven units of clinical pastoral education at St. Francis Hospital, Topeka, KS, and the Hazelden Foundation in Center City, MN; and a D Min in Spiritual Direction from the Graduate Theological Foundation with studies at Oxford University in England.

Jeanne has taught at the high school, college and graduate levels; conducted a private counseling practice; engaged in facilitation, research and consultation for various communities and ministered as retreat and spiritual director for the past 30 years. Currently, Jeanne is On-going Formation Director for her monastic community and Director of the Benedictine Peace Center in Yankton, a place for retreats in a monastic setting. For 20 years she has conducted a two-year ecumenical ministry formation program for spiritual directors. She has been President of the American Benedictine Academy, Associate Editor for the American Benedictine Review, served on the Monastic Interreligious Dialogue Board for North America and is currently Executive Director of the Association of Benedictine Retreat Centers.

She enjoys reading, calligraphy, trying to outwit her computer, and being out in nature—especially around water.