

The DOXOLOGY Difference

Renewing Pastors and Congregations Since 2007

What is DOXOLOGY?

- A comprehensive experience of advanced pastoral training offers new skills for pastors to provide transformational spiritual care.
- Ten days of intensive instruction and peer learning spread over three conference retreats.
- Up to five hours of individual consultation and mentoring to enrich pastors' personal and professional growth.

How will it benefit our congregation?

- Skilled pastors are effective pastors.
- Congregations benefit as pastors are better equipped to provide care for struggling people.
- Congregations experience greater unity and an increased desire to care for one another.
- Lay leaders and pastor review together how Christ grows His Church on earth.

How does it assist our church leaders?

- Dedicated laity are vital for a vibrant parish.
- Your lay leaders are invited to join your pastor for a weekend of instruction, conversation and problem-solving.
- DOXOLOGY deepens partnerships between leaders and pastor in service to our Lord and His church.

How does it benefit our pastor and his wife?

- The annual DOXOLOGY "Grand Reunion" convenes clergy couples for a weekend of training, conversation and networking.
- Pastors and wives are strengthened and encouraged in their unique vocations.
- The dividends for your congregation are too numerous to mention.

Any research about the program's benefits?

- Analysis of data shows that pastors have never learned so much about pastoral care since their days at seminary!
- Pastors report greater joy and fulfillment in their ministry, despite great challenges.
- Pastors report Increased skills for relational ministry and greater pastoral effectiveness.

What does the cost cover?

- 10 days of meals/lodging and tuition for pastor
- 3 days of meals/lodging and tuition for one lay leader
- 3 days of meals /lodging and tuition for pastor's wife



The total cost of the program is \$3,400.

Due to generous gifts from funding partners and foundations, we are presently able to offer each 2012 congregation a grant of \$2,000. The cost to congregations is \$1,400.

(An additional \$200 discount is available for every congregation that enrolls by November 23, 2011- bringing the total cost to \$1200.)

The fee can be paid in three installments, across two fiscal years.
In case of special financial need, contact us to discuss additional grant funding.

2012 Training Venues

Palo Alto, CA

- **Gathering**
January 8-11, 2012
- **Encore**
June 15-17, 2012

Rockford, IL

- **Gathering**
January 15-18, 2012
- **Encore**
June 1-3, 2012

Donaldson, IN

- **Gathering**
July 15-July 18, 2012
- **Encore**
November 16-18, 2012

*Grand Reunion for CA and IL Venues will meet in Belleville, IL August 3-5, 2012
Grand Reunion for IN Venue will meet August 2-4, 2013 in a Midwestern site to be determined.*

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