

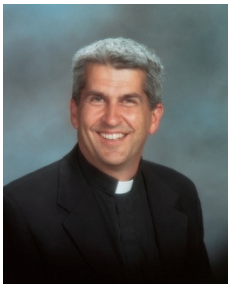


“Follow me, and I will make you fishers of man.” Mark 1:17

*“WELCOME TO THE 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
PEAKS OF FAITH- GROWING IN FAITH  
TO SERVE OTHERS”* ~Fr. Patrick Mowrer,

*Pastor of San Francisco de Asís Parish*

*September 24 - 25, 2010 (Friday & Saturday)*



The Peaks of Faith will be located at:  
San Francisco de Asís Catholic School  
320 N. Humphreys Street  
Flagstaff AZ

## Opportunities for:

- Catechists to receive diocesan credit toward certification or re-certification
- On going education for everyone
- Networking with others in ministry
- Acquire knowledge of faith through a variety of workshops.
- Enjoy the cool weather & scenic views & friendly northern Arizona lifestyle.

Greetings from The Office of Family  
Catechesis in the Diocese of Phoenix &  
the San Francisco de Asís Parish R.E.  
Advisory Board.



## Peaks of Faith Schedule of Events

[www.catechistphx.org](http://www.catechistphx.org)

[www.sfdaparish.org](http://www.sfdaparish.org)

Friday September 24, 2010

### Wine and Cheese Social

6 pm – 7 pm

*San Francisco de Asís School Gym*

### Father Patrick Mowrer – Welcome – Opening Prayer – Introductions

*~Key Note Speaker~*

### Dr. Barry H. Sargent, Ph. D – “The Catholic Church in America Today”

7 pm – 9 pm



“Living Faith – Discipleship” Certification/Re-Certification  
*Barry serves on the national board of the USCCB Commission on Certification and Accreditation; is an executive board member of the Catholic Association of Diocesan Ecumenical and Interreligious Officers; Co-chair of Theological Dialogue for the Arizona Ecumenical Council. Barry has extensive experience in workshop and retreat facilitation, days of recollection and parish missions as well as parish staff development and leadership.*

Saturday September 25, 2010

### Continental Breakfast

7 am – 8 am

*San Francisco de Asís School Gym*

*Morning Prayer*

Saturday – September 25, 2010			8 am – 10 am
SESSION 1		Speaker	
1A	The Mass Lived: An Explanation of Today's Liturgy	Father Patrick Mowrer	Re-certification
1B	Introduction to the Old Testament: An Overview of the Hebrew Scriptures Part I	Barbara Nabours	Certification
1C	Methodology – Making Lessons Successful	Mary Esther Stewart	Certification
1D	Music Ministry: Performance or Service – What is our Call?	Paul Romo	Re-certification
1E	Teen Evangelization	Bill Marcotte	Certification – Re-certification
1F	Catechetical Process: Where Teaching and Learning Connect	Chris Sieracki	Certification

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE:** Less than 5 participants will result in cancellation of the class. \*\*

Saturday – September 25, 2010		10:15 am– 12:15 pm	
SESSION 2		Speaker	
2A	Family: Primary Context for Faith Formation and Discipleship	Leota Roesch	Certification
2B	Living a Eucharistic Spirituality Today	Sister Anne Fitzsimons	Re-certification
2C	How do we know where we're going if we don't know where we've been? Church History for Religious Education Teachers	Mary Esther Stewart	Certification
2D	Sacred Symbols, Sacred Objects: Communication with God and One Another	Marcy Nixon	Re-certification
2E	Introduction to the New Testament: An Overview of the Christian Scriptures Part II	Chris Sieracki	Certification
2F	Pope Benedict's Encyclicals	Michael Vollmer	Re-certification

**12:15 pm – 12:45 pm – Lunch**

**12:45 pm – 2:45 pm– Father Matt Lowry – Closing Session**

**Family Context / Vocations** – Certification & Re-certification



**Father Matt Lowry:** *Fr. Matt Lowry grew up in Phoenix and obtained a bachelor's degree from Arizona State University in Engineering. After five years of being a core member for a Life Teen parish and two years as a full-time Coordinator of Youth Evangelization, Fr. Matt went to St. Meinrad Seminary in Southern Indiana. After being ordained a priest in June of 2008, Fr. Matt spent his first year of priesthood at Holy Cross Parish in Mesa. In July of 2009, Fr. Matt was named as Associate Vocation Director and Chaplain for Holy Trinity Catholic Newman Center at NAU in Flagstaff. Fr. Matt loves working with families and young people, especially in the promotion of vocations.*

**Father Patrick Mowrer:** *Father Patrick is a native Arizonan. After schooling at St Theresa and Brophy, he headed to NAU and obtained a teaching degree. Nine years of teaching later, Father Patrick entered Mt. Angel Seminary in Oregon for 5 years of study resulting in a Masters Degree of Divinity and Theology. Father Patrick served at the Cathedral for his first four years as a priest. He was then appointed pastor of the Hispanic National Parish for the Diocese of Phoenix. Presently, Father Pat is serving as pastor of San Francisco de Asís Parish in Flagstaff, AZ. He is head of the Northern Deanery, has served on the presbyteral council for 12 years, served on the deacon curriculum board and he has given several retreats and parish missions. Father Pat has a love for the liturgy and looks for ways to engage others in that passion.*

- Individuals may take classes that are listed as **certification** or **re-certification**.
- Scripture (Biblical) Classes – if you register for **Part I** you should also register for **Part II** (Scripture/Bible is a 4 hour track for certification.)

## Co-Sponsors

- Guadalupanas of San Francisco de Asís
- Knights of Columbus - Father Douglas Nohava Council #1229
- Women's Club of San Francisco de Asís

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### ACCOMODATIONS: The Catholic Community Renewal Center (the White House)

**Accommodations need to be made directly by each participant.**

The White House offers inexpensive lodging. There are 35 spaces Available on a first come, first served basis.

The White House  
319 N. Beaver Street  
Flagstaff, AZ 86001  
(928) 773-1084

- \$20 per person includes Continental Breakfast
- Dormitory style
- Perpetual Adoration Chapel open 24 hours

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## Registration

### Peaks of Faith – Northern AZ Ministry Formation

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Parish \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

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### WORKSHOP SELECTION:

Select one workshop for each session. Write the session number in the space provided. (Examples: 1B, 2F)

Session One (7:00 pm – 9:00 pm) \_\_\_\_\_ (choose 1A through 1G)

Session Two (12:30 pm – 2:30 pm) \_\_\_\_\_ (choose 2A through 2F)

### REGISTRATION FEES:

\$25 Early Registration (If received by **September 11, 2010**)

After September 11, 2010 the fee is **\$30**

This includes all classes, evening social, continental breakfast, and lunch

TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Included with this registration)

**Payment Type:** Cash  Check  Credit Card

\*Please make checks payable to: **SFDA Parish**

\*Please **DO NOT** include lodging payment. This should be made directly to the White House at the address listed above.

\*If you are paying with a Credit Card, please complete the following information:

Card Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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### MAIL REGISTRATION WITH PAYMENT TO:

San Francisco de Asís  
Cathy Carlsen, Religious Formation Facilitator  
2257 E. Cedar Ave.  
Flagstaff, AZ 86001

**“The highest worship of God is service to man.” Andrew Carnegie**

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