

Date/Topics

Saturday, September 29, 2007

Review dynamics and vocabulary of the Exercises
Preparation Days of the Exercises
Readiness to proceed into the First Week

Assignments

Pray "Anima Christi"
Psalm 139
What is your prevailing Image of God?
One of the First Week Meditations
Read: SE: # 1-90, 313-327
Companions: pp 1-65, 143-156

Saturday, November 10, 2007

The First Week (God's Unrequited Love)
How did sin come into the world?
The Exercises of the First Week
Repetitions
Go before Jesus on the Cross
Shame and confusion

Pray: The Call of the King
One Contemplation of an Infancy Narrative
Read: SE: #91-135
Companions: pp 77-107
One other enrichment experience

Saturday, December 1, 2007

Fruit of the First Week
Call of the King
Second Week Structure
Contemplations of the Second Week

Pray: Two Standards
Contemplate Jesus Baptism, Desert
Read: SE: #136-168
Companions: pp 107-112
One other enrichment experience

Saturday, January 5, 2008

Two Standards
Three Classes of Persons
Three Kinds of Humility

Pray: Contemplate Joseph making an important decision (Mt 1:18-25)
Read: SE: #163-189
Companions: 113, 156-169
One other enrichment experience

Saturday, February 2, 2008

Rules for Discernment Reform/Choice of a way of life
Making a Graced Decision
Fruit of the Second Week

Pray: Contemplate Jesus deliberately going to Jerusalem
Contemplate the Last Supper
Contemplate the Agony in the Garden
Contemplate yourself visiting Jesus in the "holding cell"
Read: SE: #190-217
Companions: 117-130
One other enrichment experience

Saturday, February 23, 2008

The Third Week (Contemplating the Passion)
Ask for the grace . . .
Consolation/desolation in this Third Week
Contemplate yourself visiting Jesus in the "holding cell"

Pray: Contemplate Jesus appearing to Mary
Contemplate your favorite Resurrection Mysteries
Read: SE: #218-237
Companions: pp 131-139
One other enrichment experience

Saturday, March 15, 2008

The Fourth Week (Contemplating the Resurrection)
The Contemplation on Divine Love
Fruit of the Fourth Week
Transitioning from Disciple to Apostle