



## Emmaus Days

### Frequently Asked Questions

- What should I bring with me to Emmaus Days?
  - *Please see the "Packing List" tab.*
- How do I know what session to sign up for?
  - *Session attendance is based on the grade being entered in the fall of the upcoming school year. For example, if the retreatant enters the 9<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall, he will attend session III.*
- Is Emmaus Days an overnight retreat?
  - *Yes. At St. John's Newman Center, retreatants will stay in dorm rooms. At Peoria Notre Dame High School, retreatants will stay in classrooms.*
- Is my son safe while staying overnight at Emmaus Days?
  - *Yes! There will be diocesan-approved security volunteers up throughout the night.*
- I have dietary restrictions, can I still come to Emmaus Days?
  - *Absolutely! Please simply indicate your dietary needs while completing the registration.*
- We have a conflict (sports, vacation, etc.) with the weekend for my son's age group, can we sign up for a different session?
  - *Please contact the Office of Vocations to seek a potential remedy for this.*
- I have a work/sports conflict one day of the retreat, can I leave during a part of the retreat?
  - *Yes. While it is better to ask off from work for a day, it would be better to attend some of the retreat than none.*
- Will I be able to contact my son while he is at Emmaus Days?
  - *It is expected that retreatants do not use their cell phones. However, if you need to contact your son, please contact the emergency numbers given at registration.*
- Will transportation to and from my parish be provided?
  - *No. However, you can try to organize a carpool for your parish and encourage other young men to attend.*
- Can I still attend Emmaus Days if I cannot afford the fee?
  - *Absolutely! Please contact us if the fee is burdensome. No one will be turned away.*