

**This is a retreat that can benefit anyone,
no matter where their relationship
currently is with God.**

*"I had the wrong idea about CEW. You
don't know until you experience it. Come
see for yourself how amazing it can be!"*

*"The only regret that I have is that it took
me 6 years to say YES to making a CEW. It
has enhanced my relationship with my
family, my friends, and my GOD!"*

*"I didn't know that I would benefit from a
CEW before I went, given I was a cradle
Catholic strong in my faith. But, I found it
to be something I needed in my faith life
and challenged me to live the life that
Christ called me to"*

*"CEW is a chance to spend a weekend on
"God's Time" and reflect on where you are
and where you want to be. Each individual
will benefit from it differently and God
willing, it will be life changing."*

Christian Experience Weekend
(CEW) is for Men and Women
18 years of age or older.

Our CEW theme this year is inspired by the
hymn "Holy Spirit, Come to Me" by Julie Hoy.
Please consider joining us for this very special
opportunity.

Lyrics to "Holy Spirit, Come to Me":

Holy Spirit, come to me
Open my eyes to you
Holy Spirit, come to me
Open my eyes to you

That I may know Jesus,
And I seek his face
That I may hear his voice
When he calls out my name

Holy Spirit, come to me
Open my ears to you
Holy Spirit, come to me
Open my ears to you

That I may know Jesus,
And I seek his face
That I may hear his voice
When he calls out my name

Holy Spirit, breathe in me
Open my life to you
Holy Spirit, breathe in me
Open my life to you

That I may know Jesus,
And I seek his face
That I may hear his voice
When he calls out my name

O my Jesus, live in me
I give my life to you.

- Julie Hoy -

Will you let the Holy Spirit come to you?

OLV CEW 2024

Holy Spirit, Come to Me



WOMEN'S WEEKEND

February 16-18, 2024

MEN'S WEEKEND

March 1-3, 2024

Our Lady of Victory Church
4105 North Division Street
Davenport, IA 52806

Christ has given you many weekends...why not spend one with Him?

The Christian Experience Weekend is a spiritual retreat that offers you an opportunity to take a break from the demands of everyday life and look at who you are and where you are going. It is an opportunity to rediscover yourself, your faith, and connection with God.

The weekend includes talks, small group discussion, private reflection, liturgy and plenty of time for fellowship. It is conducted by a team of lay people, a priest and spiritual director. It's a weekend to listen, pray, learn, relax and be refreshed.

The weekend welcomes everyone regardless of where they are in their spiritual lives. Many people attend because they would like to improve their relationship with Christ and others to spend time in reflection.

Important information to know

TIME: Arrive no earlier than 7:30 PM on Friday. CEW ends between 4:30-5:00 PM on Sunday.

PLACE: Our Lady of Victory Parish Center/JFK School where all meals and sleeping accommodations are provided. Special arrangements can be made for those with moderate physical conditions.

COST: \$40.00 which is due prior to the start of the CEW weekend. The fee will be returned to you if you are unable to attend. Make checks payable to: OLV CEW or OLV Christian Experience Weekend

How do I register?

Complete the registration form on this brochure and return with your payment to the lay director:

Women's CEW Lay Director:

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Davenport, IA 52806
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Men's CEW Lay Director:

Jake Pries
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Davenport, IA 52807
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CEW Registration Form

Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Age _____

E-Mail _____

Home Parish/Church & City: _____

Religious Denomination: _____

What or who influenced you to attend CEW? _____

Do you have any medical condition(s) or needs that we should be aware of: (Diabetes, Seizures, Heart Condition, CPAP, wheelchair accessibility, etc.?) _____

Please list any food allergies: _____

I will provide my own twin air mattress: ____

Please provide me a twin air mattress: ____

In case of an emergency, please notify:

Name _____

Phone _____

Relationship _____