### **Events Schedule:**

Friday 26th February, 2016

7pm

Holy Family Parish, 3926 Poplar Level Road, Louisville

"In Everything Mercy": Thomas Merton and Pope Francis on the Merciful Heart of God

Free and open to the public

In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, Pope Francis has called all peoples of faith and good will to build a "revolution of tenderness" and to reject the cruelties and injustices of our time "which offend the name and life of God." Join us as Christopher Pramuk leads us in a sustained meditation on Mercy in Merton's writings as the very Name and Life of God, and the difficult but beautiful call to become ourselves Mercy as our "Kairos" and path to peace.

## Saturday 27th February, 2016

10 AM - 4 pm

Our Lady of the Woods Chapel Bellarmine University

See Inside for Retreat Schedule

Retreat Registration, including refreshments and light lunch - \$20.00 (Please register by February 19th)

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10.00 am: Gathering - Opening Prayers

10.15 am:

**Retreat Conference 1.** 

11.15 am: Quiet Time

12.15 pm: Lunch

1.45 pm:

**Retreat Conference 2** 

2.45 pm: Quiet Time

3.30 pm: Evening Prayer

# **Christopher Pramuk**



**Christopher Pramuk** lives with his wife Lauri, a pediatrician, and their four children in Cincinnati, where he teaches theology and spirituality at Xavier University. His awardwinning essays have appeared in America magazine, Theological Studies, Cross Currents, and the prayer journal Give Us This Day. He is the author of five books, including At Play in Creation: Merton's Awakening to the Feminine Divine (2014), Hope Sings, So Beautiful: Graced Encounters Across the Color Line (2013), and Sophia: The Hidden Christ of Thomas Merton (2009), which was awarded the International Thomas Merton Society's 2011 "Thomas Merton Award," its highest honor. A lifelong musician and student of African American history and spirituality, he has led workshops on the healing of race relations in society and church as well as retreats on the life and writings of Thomas Merton.

# **Retreat Registration:**

Registration Form
Name:
Address:
City:
State, Zip:
Phone: Email:
Fees (Including registration for the conference, refreshments, and light lunch - Please register by February 19th)
□ \$20
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