

A Day Beholding Birds

*Best of any song
is bird song
in the quiet
but first you must have the quiet.
-- Wendell Berry, A Timbered
Choir*

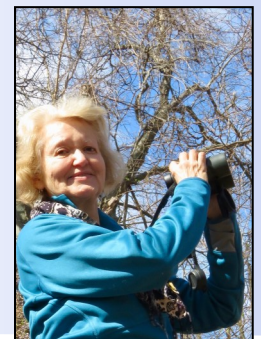


Description: Come join us in the beautiful setting of St. Francis Center for Renewal for a day beholding the beauty and wonder of birds. We will allow the birds to be our guides into our own meditation, into our own sense of being. We will open to the birds speaking to us beyond the sounds of their calls and the flash of their bright feathers in the sun. We will deepen our encounter with all that we experience. We want to end the day not so much with a list but with a deeper peace and many sweet memories of where we were met, where we were enlivened, by the birds we beheld.



Leaders: Linda Klopp is a graduate of Moravian College and Oasis Ministries Spiritual Direction for Spiritual Guides and the Deepening Year for Direction Ministries. She has a practice of spiritual direction, is a group facilitator and serves on the planning committee of Spiritual Directors of Greater Lehigh Valley. She and her husband Phil, are lovers of nature and birds and can often be found outside wandering, wondering, a nature trail!

Glenn Mitchell, M.Div., is Director of Oasis Ministries and a lead teacher with Oasis since 1996. Glenn has been watching birds since he was a young boy. Birds remain close to his heart and his binoculars are never far from reach.



Date: Saturday, May 19, 2018

Time: 9:30am-3:30pm

Where: The St. Francis Center for Renewal
395 Bridle Path Road, Bethlehem, PA 18017

Retreat Fee: \$60- \$85 (as you are able) Please bring a bag lunch, drinks will be provided, and binoculars if you have them. Dress for outdoors.



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