

Diocese of Owensboro, KY

Ongoing Formation of Priests

2012 – 2013 Schedule

- **Convocation 2012** – January 9-12, 2012; Lake Barkley State Resort Park; Topic under development: Dr. C. Colt Anderson, Ph.D., Theologian & Church Historian (Washington Theological Union) presenting on the Fathers of the Church and pastoral ministry today (liturgy, spiritual life, evangelization...)
- **Presbyteral Day**, Thursday, May 3, 2012; CPC; Topic – Owensboro Diocesan Presbyterate and Diaconate
- **Presbyteral Day**, Thursday, September 13, 2012; CPC; Presenter: Fr. Gregory Rice; Topic – The Catholic Church and Islam
- **Priests' Retreat – October 15-19, 2012**; MSJ Center; Retreat Master, Rev. Robin Ryan, CP, around the theme of Priestly Ministry and Spirituality of Suffering. ** Please note this change of Date from October 22-26.*
- **Presbyteral Day**, Tuesday, November 20, 2012; Presenter Mr. Sam Meier, MA, LPC, *My House Freedom from Pornography Initiative*, Archdiocese of Kansas City, KS – Diocesan pastoral initiatives for combating pornography and sexual addictions.
- **Convocation 2013 – January 14-17, 2013**; Lake Barkley State Resort Park; Topic under development: Fr. Francis P. DeSiano, CSP, PNCEA, on the 13th General Assembly, Synod of Bishops [meeting October 2012] on “The New Evangelization and the Transmission of the Christian Faith.” *The date change is due to the Region V Bishops' Retreat the week of January 6.*
- **Presbyteral Day, Thursday, May 2, 2013** – Presenter: Rev. David Garcia, Senior Advisor for Clergy Outreach Formation, Catholic Relief Services; Program: “Prayer, Eucharist and Global Priesthood.”
- **Presbyteral Day, Thursday, September 12, 2013** – Presenter: Mr. Allert Gort-Brown, Associate Director, Institute for Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame; Program: On the US Latino Population and its Future for the Nation and the Church.
- Other Dates, Presenters/Programs not set:
Priests Retreat, MSJC – October 21-25, 2013;
Presbyteral Day, CPC – November 26, 2013;
Convocation 2014, Lake Barkley – January 13-16, 2014.