



# ST. THOMAS MORE REGION SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER



## REGIONAL RETREAT Schedule August 22-24, 2025

### Friday August 22nd

4:00 – 5:45 pm	Registration
6:00 – 6:45	Dinner
7:00 – 7:10	Opening Prayer – Welcome from Regional Minister
7:15 – 8:15	Introduction: "Weeping may endure the night but Joy comes in the morning!" - Psalm 30:5.
8:15 – 8:30	Evening Prayer

### Saturday August 23rd

7:30 – 8:00 am	Morning prayer
8:00 – 9:00	<b>Breakfast</b>
9:00 – 9:20	Welcome/Introductions
9:30 – 10:30	One with all our Creation-family, we join in worship and praise, glorifying our Heavenly Father, celebrating His goodness and love! Luke 19:40. Psalms 145:19, 65:8, 98:4 and 150:6.
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Break</b>
11:00 – 12:00	God's love invites us to healing forgiveness even as His love compels us to show healing mercy to all who hurt us. Matthew 5:7. Luke 6:36, 37.
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1:00 – 2:00	Through thorns God's power becomes manifest and through the blessed door of sister Death we enter eternal joy! 2 Corinthians 12:8,9. Acts 2:26-28, 2 Corinthians 5:1-4.
2:00 – 3:00 *	<b>Break</b>
*Please note: Confessions in Our Lady of the Angels church Saturday 2:00 – 3:00 pm	
3:00 – 3:30	Remembrance ceremony
4:00 – 5:00	Mass with community
5:00 – 6:00	<b>Break</b>
6:00 – 7:00	<b>Dinner</b>
7:00 – 7:30	Silent Auction Results
7:30 – 8:00	Evening prayer
8:00 – 10:00	Franciscan Game Night/ Social

### Sunday August 24th

7:30 – 8:00 am	Morning prayer
8:00 – 9:00	<b>Breakfast</b>
9:15 – 11:00	Exhortation: Let us delight our Heavenly Father with praise and with humble service to Him through others even as Jesus did, serving us by giving His life "a ransom for many". Matthew. 20:28. John 13:14,15 and 12:26.
11:00 – 12:00	Closing Remarks and turn in Feedback Forms – Regional Minister Final pick up of silent auction items (please bring cash/checkbook)
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b> Depart for home

All activities in Community Life Center. All meals shared in dining room.  
Please check out of your room by 10:00 on Sunday. Thank you!

All praises be yours, my Lord!