

# REGISTRATION

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NAME .....

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### PAYMENT (please tick)

I enclose cheque/money order payable to: ACMC QLD

\$ 225 full payment /  \$100 deposit

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$.....

Please note: Spaces are limited to 25. Early registration recommended. A deposit is required to confirm registration.

### Dietary Requirements:

Vegetarian.....

Other.....

Other special needs: .....

If you require further information:

Email Gabby Nelson at toga@bigpond.net.au

Or phone 0488 592 770

Please forward this Registration form with your payment.



## Fr Paul Chandler O Carm

Fr Paul Chandler is a Carmelite friar, originally from Sydney. He studied in Melbourne, Rome and Toronto. He taught church history and history of spirituality at the Melbourne College of Divinity, and is a long-time fellow of the Carmelite Institute in Rome. He is especially interested in interpreting Christian spiritual and mystical tradition for today. Presently, he is the spiritual director at Holy Spirit Seminary, Banyo.

*“Wait upon God with loving and pure attentiveness...”*

*St John of the Cross*

THE AUSTRALIAN CHRISTIAN  
MEDITATION COMMUNITY QLD  
presents

## A SILENT RETREAT with Fr Paul Chandler O Carm

22 to 24 October 2010  
Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre  
267 Wellington Street Ormiston



### **“Learning from St John of the Cross”**

***St John of the Cross (1542-1591) is considered one of the greatest and most challenging spiritual teachers of the Christian tradition. He is especially famous for his treatment of the "dark night" of the soul, but his subject is really the transforming love of God and how we can allow our hearts to be opened to infinite horizons. This retreat will explore some of his key ideas and what they might mean for us today.***

**THE AUSTRALIAN CHRISTIAN MEDITATION  
COMMUNITY QLD**

*Invites you  
to participate in this  
Weekend silent residential retreat  
at Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre  
267 Wellington Street, Ormiston  
From 22 to 24 October 2010*

The spirit of the retreat will be silent, mindful and friendly. Each day there will be a conference by Fr Paul Chandler, contemplative Eucharist and periods of meditation.

There will be times for personal reflection and an opportunity to explore the meaning of your spiritual journey in this day and age.

How to get there:

- A taxi from the railway station is an easy option.
- Car parking is available at the retreat centre.

**Registration:** Details will be included in a letter to be sent to all who register, closer to time.



**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**This is a silent residential Retreat  
5.30pm Friday 22 October  
to  
2.00pm Sunday 24 October  
at  
Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre  
267 Wellington Street Ormiston**

All rooms have ensuite bathroom, some with double bed accommodation.

The cost includes meals, accommodation and linen.

Please note: Before 01 September, 2010 deposits/full payments will be refunded less administrative costs. After this date payments are non-refundable.

**Payment Options:** Cheque or Money Order

- A deposit of \$100 will secure your registration.
- Payment in full required by **22 September, 2010**

Send Registration form with cheque or money order to:

**Gabby Nelson**

**20 Basswood Street Algester 4115**



**The World Community  
for Christian Meditation**

The Community is a kind of 'monastery without walls', a family of national communities and emerging communities in over a hundred countries. The spiritual foundation is the local meditation group, which meets weekly in homes, parishes, offices, hospitals, prisons, schools and colleges - pretty well everywhere that people live and seek. The World Community is ecumenical and serves a universal 'catholic' unity in its dialogue both with Christian churches and other faiths. We encourage and try to support the daily practice of meditation knowing its power to change hearts and so to transform our world. As a global spiritual community it took form in 1991. But it continues the 30 year long work begun by the Benedictine monk John Main. His legacy is found in his teaching Christian meditation as part of the great work of our time of restoring the contemplation dimension of Christian faith in the life of the church.

Visit these websites for more information:

International website: [www.wccm.org](http://www.wccm.org)

Australian website: [www.christianmeditationaustralia.org](http://www.christianmeditationaustralia.org)