

Women's Lenten Day of Reflection

February 25, 10am - 2:30pm; Daily Mass at 9am

Check-in begins at 8:30am, on the Activity Center court



Hope, 1886, by George Frederic Watts

Clinging to Hope In A Broken World

In a world prone to either despair or mere positive thinking, hope is a misunderstood virtue. Where do we find it and how do we cultivate it? Can we be honest about the darkness and brokenness we face and yet anchor our lives in the hope found only in Jesus Christ? Haley shares how she clung to hope through one of the darkest seasons of her life and guides us to see that hope is different from optimism; that affliction produces endurance and endurance, character, when it is grounded in hope.

A Day of Reflection and Renewal facilitated by Haley Stewart

Haley Stewart is the Editor of *Word on Fire* "Votive" and the award-winning author of *The Grace of Enough*, *Jane Austen's Genius Guide to Life*, and *The Sister Seraphina Mysteries*. Haley was a presenter at the 2025 Good News Conference along with Bishop Barron, Fr. Mike Schmitz, Jeff Cavins, Jonathan Roumie, among others.



St. John Vianney Catholic Church Activity Center

\$20; childcare is available @\$5 per child

(includes breakfast refreshments, box lunch, tea, water, coffee for women attending "The Day")

DATE: _____ NAME: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ TEL # _____

Please check desired box lunch (includes sandwich on croissant, chips, cookie, pickle):

Chicken Salad ___ Turkey/Swiss ___ Veggie Wrap ___ Ham/cheese gluten free bread ___

Childcare needed: no _____ yes _____ # of Children _____

Age and name of each child: _____

For office use: amt. pd _____ cash _____ check _____ Make check payable to St. John Vianney Catholic Church. Registration also available on-line on the parish website:

<https://www.stjohnvianney.org/events/womens-lenten-day-of-reflection-3/>

or mail or deliver registration form to the Adult Formation Office, attention: Yvonne Gill