

Rachels Vineyard Kansas City, Missouri



The Memorial of St. Benedict July 11, 2017

Dear Reverend Father:

Greetings from the Rachel's Vineyard team of Kansas City. We are writing to you today to ask if you would please consider promoting our retreats in your parish. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Our next retreat will be held on the weekend of September 22-24, 2017 in the Kansas City area. In order to protect the confidentiality of those attending, the location is told only to those who call our contact number and are planning to come to the retreat.

There are so many women and men who are suffering terribly because of their involvement in one or more abortions. In the more than 70 countries where Rachel's Vineyard retreats are being held, many retreatants are astonished at the wonderful healing that the weekend retreat brings to them. Many who have previously believed that no one else suffered as much as they did, find healing in listening to the stories of others and sharing in their grieving process. Please help us draw to these retreats those who are in need of such help.

Please see the enclosed testimonial of Father John Fitzpatrick who has personally assisted at a recent Kansas City Rachel's Vineyard retreat.

Please keep in mind that our retreats are open to $\underline{\mathbf{all}}$ who suffer from an abortion decision, not just women. Men also suffer from the loss of fatherhood, grandparents mourn the loss of grandchildren, and those who have supported someone in their abortion decision often face regret later on.

It would not surprise us if you already understand better than we do how many people would benefit from the healing brought about by the grace of God through these Rachel's Vineyard retreats. As always, your prayers and assistance are most valuable to the continual success of this ministry. Thank you.

In the Merciful Heart of Jesus,

The Rachel's Vineyard Team of Kansas City

Healing the Pain of Abortion, One Weekend at a Time