

Schedule: Franciscan Hermitage Experience

Friday

4-5pm	Arrival
5:30pm	Introductions (Chapel)
6pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Introduction to Hermitage

Saturday

7:15am	Gong Wake-up Call
8-8:45am	Breakfast
9-10am	Lives of Francis and Clare and Prayer
12pm	Optional Rosary
10-12:30pm	Silence and Solitude
12:30pm	Lunch
1:30pm	Optional Group Discussion*
2:30-5pm	Silence and Solitude
5pm	Faith Sharing
6pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Liturgy of the Word**

Sunday

7:15am	Gong Wake-up Call
8-8:45pm	Breakfast
9-10am	Legacy of Francis and Clare and Prayer
10-12:30pm	Silence and Solitude
12:30pm	Lunch
1:30pm	Optional Group Discussion*
2:30-5pm	Silence and Solitude
5pm	Faith Sharing with Hand Blessing
6pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Prayer around the Cross**

Monday

7:15am	Gong Wake-up Call
8-8:45am	Breakfast
9-10am	Peacemaking and Prayer
10-12:30pm	Silence and Solitude
12:30pm	Lunch
1:30-2:30pm	Packing
2:30pm	Group Picture
2:45-4pm	Closing Ritual

*Optional group discussions focus on the booklet readings and stories shared about Francis and Clare in the mornings. Faith Sharing is the practice where retreatants share about their relationship with God and their awareness of God's presence in the events of their lives, done in an atmosphere of reverent listening and confidentiality.

**On Saturday and Sunday evening, we gather for the Liturgy of the Word and Prayer around the Cross in the tradition of Taizé.