

## REGISTRATION



Registration and payment can be made through the conference website:

<https://florida-reg.brtapp.com/20203DayAcademy2020>

Cost includes room, board and faculty fees.

☐ \$150 non-refundable deposit  
(due at registration and applied to room and board)

☐ \$530 Single room

☐ \$490 Double room

Checks payable to Florida Conference Treasurer with "your name/ 3 Day Academy" on the memo line mailed to:

**Laurie Hofts, Registrar for 5 Day Academy**  
**450 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave.**  
**Lakeland, FL 33815**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Church/Denomination \_\_\_\_\_

**Full payment due by February 20, 2020**



## DR. FRANK ROGERS

**Dr. Rogers** is the Muriel Bernice Roberts Professor of Spiritual Formation and Narrative Pedagogy and the co-director of the Center for Engaged Compassion at the Claremont School of Theology. His research and teaching focus is on spiritual formation that is contemplative, creative, and socially liberative. A trained spiritual director and experienced retreat leader, he has written on the interconnections between spirituality, social engagement, and compassion. He is the author of *Practicing Compassion*; *Compassion in Practice: The Way of Jesus* (and its supplemental curriculum, *The Way of Radical Compassion*); *The God of Shattered Glass*, A Novel, and *Finding God in the Graffiti: Empowering Teenagers through Stories* which explores the role of the narrative arts (storytelling, drama, creative writing, and autobiography) in the spiritual formation of marginalized and abused youth and children.

He lives in southern California with his wife, Dr. Alane Daugherty, with whom he shares three young adult sons, Justin, Michael, and Sammy. With his wife, he loves to run, camp, snorkel, and follow baseball.

## 3 DAY SPIRITUAL STREAMS RETREAT

### COMPASSION IN PRACTICE

Faculty:  
**DR. FRANK ROGERS**



**MARCH 12-15, 2020**

**WARREN WILLIS UMC CAMP &  
CONFERENCE CENTER**

**4991 PICCIOLA ROAD  
FRUITLAND PARK, FL 34731**

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## TYPICAL DAY

7:30 Morning Prayer  
8:00 Breakfast  
9:00 Faculty Presentation:  
10:00 Silent Reflection Time  
11:00 Group Discussion & Community Time  
Noon Lunch and Free Time  
2:30 Faculty Presentation:  
3:30 Silent Reflection Time  
4:30 Group Discussion  
5:15 Eucharist Service  
6:00 Dinner and Free Time  
7:30 Covenant Groups  
9:00 Night Prayer  
Great Silence until Morning Prayer

The rhythm of the day is embraced by morning and night prayer and enriched with daily Eucharist. Faculty presentations are given each morning and afternoon, followed by silence for individual reflection and then group response time. Covenant groups offer time for accountability and sharing. Free time is offered for rest and renewal.

Registration is from 3:30 – 5 pm Thursday afternoon, March 12<sup>th</sup> in the Cokesbury Room. The Academy ends with lunch on Sunday, March 15, 2020.

1.5 CEU's are available from the FL Conference (FREE) and/or from the GBOD for a fee of \$7.50.



If you are hungering for a deeper spiritual walk, a time to rest, relax and reflect, as well as renewing your body, mind and spirit then this retreat is for YOU! The Academy is for lay and clergy of all denominations who come together to deepen their relationship with God and to live as faithful servants in the world.

There are times of worship in the morning, at afternoon Eucharist and evening following covenant group sharing. This monastic rhythm is carried out daily and always ending with silence at night. Come and see, come and taste, come and be in a safe and sacred community where **Compassion** is practiced!



## TEAM

**Lew Arnold...Co-Leader, &  
Faculty Liaison**

**Lucy Wray...Co-Leader, &  
Covenant Group Leader**

**Kelly Smith...Worship & Music**

**Marybeth Smith...Hospitality**

**Renee Morgan...Obedient Servant**

"Compassion is not about willing away unpleasant emotions or feigning politeness to those we secretly despise."

Frank Rogers, Jr.  
Practicing Compassion

## RECOMMENDED READING

*Compassion in Practice:  
The Way of Jesus,  
by Dr. Frank Rogers*