

## Registration details

Cost for the Men's Retreat is **\$150/man**. There are only 8 single rooms, first come first to hold (unless special needs are presented). After 62 we'll be bunking up so we suggest having a roommate! If paying by check make out to **WELS PNW BPS**.

Registration deadline is **April 18th**.

You can also register online at:

[www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018](http://www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018) & use your credit card or paypal account.

Early registrations are appreciated, since up-front costs need to be paid.

Mail your Registration Form and check to:

PNW Men's Retreat 2018  
8065 Chico Way NW  
Bremerton WA 98312

OR Register AND Pay online at:

[www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018](http://www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018)

## Directions to Camp Casey

### Directions from the North...

Exit off I-5 at the Anacortes/ Whidbey Island exit (#230) and continue through Oak Harbor to Coupeville. At the pedestrian overpass and traffic light, turn south (right) on South Main. Follow signs to Fort Casey State Park. You will arrive at Camp Casey Conference Center before reaching the state park.

### Directions From the South...

Exit off I-5 at Highway 525 West (exit #182). Cross the sound on the Mukilteo Ferry. Travel North 22 miles on Highway 525. Turn left at sign for Fort Casey State Park. Continue past Keystone Ferry until you see Camp Casey Conference Center sign.

### Directions from Kitsap...

Head to Pt. Townsend and Ferry to Coupeville/Whidbey. Follow North directions above.

### Ferries Call for Reservations Please:

Mukilteo/Canton- \$11.15 car and driver charged both ways \$5.05/passenger (charged 1 direction)

Pt Townsend/Coupeville- \$14.45 car and driver charged both ways \$3.35/ passenger (charged 1 direction)

(More info @ <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/ferries>)

For more information about the Men's Retreat, contact Pastor Andy Schwartz at:  
(360) 471-6300 or [andrew.schwartz@ctk-wels](mailto:andrew.schwartz@ctk-wels).

## Registration Form

To register, please fill out this form and send it with a check to "WELS PNW BPS" OR

Register online at:

[www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018](http://www.gevme.com/mensretreatPNW2018)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation (church and city) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Special Needs/Room Requests \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Room preferences? \_\_\_\_\_

First people to register get single rooms. Later registrants might be sharing bunk space with a roommate.

Check your meal preferences:

I will be present for all the meals

I will only be present for: (Please circle)

Sat: Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner Sun: Breakfast



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## Men's Retreat

# 2018



**"Whole-Life Stewardship"**

Presented by

**Prof. David Scharf**

**April 27-29, 2018**

**At beautiful Camp Casey  
Whidbey Island, WA**

*Sponsored by WELS Parish Services  
of the Pacific Northwest*

## Our presenter:



### *Prof. David Scharf & Family, MLC*

David Scharf was born in West Allis, WI to Rev. Ralph and Annette Scharf. He is the 7th of 14 children and attended Good Shepherd's Lutheran Church and School where his father served as pastor. A graduate of Luther Prep (1996), Martin Luther College (2000), and Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary (2005).

Dave and his wife (Beth, nee Koelpin) have six children ages 3-14 (Anastasia, Zoe, Isaiah, Dahlia, Evangeline, and Nika). Upon graduation from the Seminary, Dave was assigned to serve as a parish pastor at Immanuel Lutheran Church and School in Greenville, WI, and served there from 2005-2016.

Dave has had the privilege of serving as the Northern Wisconsin District Evangelism coordinator and as the chairman of the Commission on Congregational Counseling. Dave accepted the call to be a professor of theology and is thrilled to have the opportunity to help impact the next generation of called workers.

**Whole Life Stewardship:** Is a way of life for God's people as we manage all of our blessings to God's glory. That is, not just what we do with the 10%, but how we handle the other 90% of our time, talents, treasures, temple and God's truth.

- **Time:** This portion of the presentation will explore God's perspective of our time as well as the motivation for using our time to "work while it is day."

- **Talents:** The church is a volunteer run organization and each person in the body of Christ has been gifted to contribute to the work of the church uniquely. Part of this presentation will involve ideas for congregations to get people motivated to serve, how to ask volunteers and how to retain them!

- **Treasures:** Luther said, "*Money must be the least of all God's gifts because he even gives it to fools.*" In other words, the devil gets us to value money in a far greater way than God would have us do. God has much to say about handling this "least of all gifts" to give him the most glory!

- **Truth:** We probably don't look at this as one of God's gifts he has given us to manage, but it could be argued that there is no greater gift he gives to us. We'll look at the importance of a devotional life as well as addressing the obstacles to it.

- **Temple:** You only get one body here on earth until Jesus returns to give us our new glorified bodies. What does God have to say about managing our "temples of the Holy Spirit?"

## What to bring

- A Bible
- Toiletries **AND LINENS (incl. pillow, linens or bring a sleeping bag)**
- Cards/games for fellowship time
- A snack to pass, if you want
- Casual dress(hiking, etc. check weather )

## Schedule:

### Friday, April 27

Early arrivers on Friday can have the option to golf 9 or 18 holes at Port Townsend Golf Course. Golf also on Whidbey –contact Bob Gronlund on Facebook if you are interested!

5:00 - 7:00 pm	Registration and dorm room assignments (Auditorium B)
7:30 - 7:45 pm	Opening announcements
7:45 - 8:30 pm	Spiritual Growth 1
8:30 - 8:45 pm	Break
8:45 - 9:30 pm	Spiritual Growth 2
9:30 - ?	Fellowship & refreshments in dorm commons (bring cards & games, if you'd like)

### Saturday, April 28

8:00 am sharp	Breakfast in dining hall
9:00 - 10:00 am	Spiritual Growth 3
10:00 - 10:15 am	Break
10:15 - 11:00 am	Spiritual Growth 4
11:00 - 11:15 am	Break
11:15 - noon	Spiritual Growth 5
Noon	Lunch in dining hall
1:00 - 2:00 pm	Spiritual Growth 6
2:00 pm on...	Free time
5:30 pm	Dinner in dining hall
6:30 - 7:30 pm	Spiritual Growth 7
7:30 - 7:35 pm	Vote for next year's topic
8:00 pm—?	Fellowship & refreshments in dorm commons

### Sunday, April 29

8:00 am sharp	Breakfast in dining hall
8:45 - 9:30 am	Spiritual Growth 8
9:40 - 10:00 am	Worship service in the Chapel

Please check out of the dorm prior to 11:00 am