

Comments from a previous Weekend:

1) Finding myself at a Vocations Discernment weekend was hard to believe, overwhelming, scary, exciting and amazing all at the same time! The Archbishop spoke during the weekend about how a vocation must come from a place of complete self-giving love. He spoke of how it's impossible to make a mistake when you're saying 'yes' to Jesus. God calls quietly and constantly, the key to discerning is listening.

Speaking to a Sister who came with us for the weekend was really great. There are few people in my life who I can speak to honestly and openly about my discernment because it's so private. Although I'm still not sure where my discernment will lead me, I left the weekend in Galong feeling, above all, closer to God.

Jess

2) I had a great time at the vocations weekend and would recommend it to anyone regardless of if they feel a calling or not, as it gave me some tools & insight into discerning a vocation in general.

James

Cost \$50 (concessions available): Food & linen provided.

Bring swimmers and walking shoes

RSVP by 16 November



Every vocation is an exodus

from self

... It leads us on a journey

of Adoration of the Lord

... and service to him in our

brothers and sisters

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Vocations Discernment Weekend

(St Clement's Retreat Centre, Galong NSW)

November 20-22, 2015

For Men and Women



Quo Vadis?

Latin for: Where are you going?

**Archdiocese of Canberra
and Goulburn**

PROGRAM

Friday (20 November)

6.00pm Arrive and Dinner

7.00pm Welcome & Evening Prayer
- by Fr Emil Milat
Vocations Director

7.30pm **Talk by Archbishop Christopher Prowse**
- what a bishop looks for in a vocational call

9.25pm Supper

9.30pm Night Prayer

God the Father, author of my life,
Christ the Good Shepherd, high priest of the
Church, God the Holy Spirit, source of
wisdom and understanding,
guide me in discerning my
vocation.

Give me the wisdom
to discover your plan for me
and the courage to embrace your will.

Give to the Church
wise and holy priests and religious
so that your Gospel may be taken
to the ends of the earth,
your flock be built up in faith, hope and love,
and your name be praised without ceasing.
Amen

Saturday (21 November)

7:45am Breakfast

9:00am Morning Prayer

9:30am **Talk by Fr Emil Milat vocations director**
- The seven mansions in St Theresa of Avila's
Interior Castle & our life 's journey
- Talk by Seminarians

10:30am Morning tea

11:00 am **Talk by Fr Paul Nulley**
- a vocational call of a young priest

11:45 am Mass

12:30pm Lunch

2:00pm **Talk by Fr Tony Percy vicar general** (and
former rector of Homebush seminary)
- "Captured by Christ" reflections on St Paul,
followed by quiet reflection time

5:45pm Evening Prayer

6:00pm Dinner

7:00pm Eucharistic Adoration

8:15pm Fellowship Supper and Night Prayer

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2024 e-mail: emil.milat@cg.catholic.org.au

Sunday (22 November)

7:45am Breakfast

9:00am Morning Prayer

9:15am **Men & Women walking with God**
- Multimedia input

Quiet time to reflect and Listen

Morning Tea

Optional one-to-one Spiritual Guidance
(optional rosary walk)

11:45am Mass

12:30 pm Lunch

Departure at your leisure!

