

Felting Workshop

A 3-hour felting workshop will be held on Friday afternoon during the free time. Participants will learn how to “dry needle felt” and create a 4” x 8” piece. There will be take home supplies. Cost is \$20.00.

Please check here if you are interested in attending, so that adequate materials are in place.

_____ Yes, I plan to attend this workshop.

Worship and Media Help

Your involvement is very much appreciated and would add to the overall experience of this retreat. Please indicate below where you would like to contribute:

Leading Devotionals

Friday morning _____

Saturday morning _____

Scripture Reader

Opening Eucharist _____

Compline _____

Closing Eucharist _____

Grace at meals _____

Photographer _____

Future Planning Committee & Speakers

We would also ask you to prayerfully consider being part of the team that plans next year’s retreat to be held **May 7-9, 2026**.

Also, please give some thought to suggestions for future speakers, and be sure to fill out the evaluation form before you leave. Doing so would be very helpful for future planning.

About our speaker, Kristy Short

Kristy Short is a speaker, Bible teacher, and encourager who seeks to communicate eternal perspectives for daily living. She is a Senior Advisor at Alpha Canada and is passionate about the local church and its mission to share the Gospel with a hurting world. Kristy grew up as a pastor's kid in the Maritimes, ministering in rural and suburban communities. She now lives in Fredericton with her talented husband, Ryan, and three big-hearted kids, Hazen, Wes and Maxine.



Our Belovedness in Jesus

This retreat invites you to deeply encounter the life-transforming truth of your belovedness in Christ. Through scripture, worship, and reflection, we will explore how understanding God’s love shapes how we see Him, ourselves, and others. Together, we’ll engage in meaningful conversations and connection through small group discussions as we discover our position as cherished guests at His table, our identity as His prized possession, the relentless pursuit of His love, and the sustaining power of His provision. Come and be reminded that you were made by love and for love—a love that invites you to lean fully on Him and live in His abundance.

DIOCESE OF FREDERICTON CLERGY SPOUSES’ RETREAT

May 1 – 3, 2025

Our Belovedness in Jesus



**Guest Speaker:
Ms. Kristy Short**

Villa Madonna Retreat House
Villa Madonna Road
Renforth, NB

Cost

We are very thankful to have accommodation, meals, honorariums and speaker travel costs provided by Archbishop David and the Synod as well as a generous donor. However other costs, such as a tip for the caterer and materials for the conference, will have to be covered by us so we will be accepting donations for these. Donations to the synod to defray synod costs are welcome as well and tax receipts will be issued.

Because of the costs, if you are registered and unable to attend, please contact Anne MacMullin (506) 472-8077, by **April 25th at the latest.**

Emergency Contact Number

Should it be necessary for you to be contacted at the Retreat, the Villa Madonna number is: (506) 849-5125. Please do not call this number regarding registration questions.

Kindly Note

We ask you to remember that this is a scent and smoke-free event.

We hope that you can be present for the whole retreat, but you are welcome to register for the times you are able to attend.

Please keep the Retreat, and especially the speaker and those involved in planning in your prayers. Please also remember to encourage other clergy spouses to attend.

Planning Committee

Susan Black, Debbie Edwards, Anne MacMullin, Eva Morton, Vivian Osborne

Schedule

Thursday, May 1, 2025

2:00-4:00 pm Registration and room assignment
4:00 pm Eucharist
5:00 pm Dinner
6:45 pm Worship
7:00 pm Session 1
9:00 pm Wine and Cheese with Archbishop David and Debbie Edwards

Friday, May 2, 2025

8:00 am Breakfast
9:00 am Devotional
9:15 am Worship
9:45 am Session 2
Break as needed
12:00 noon Lunch
1:30 - 5:00 pm Free time, **OR** (optional)
1:30 - 4:30 pm Felting Workshop
3:00 - 5:00 pm Listening & prayer time
5:00 pm Dinner
6:45 pm Worship
7:15 pm Session 3
9:00 pm Compline
9:45 pm Fellowship

Saturday, May 3, 2025

8:00 am Breakfast
9:00 am Devotional
9:15 am Worship
9:30 am Session 4
Break as needed
11:00 am Eucharist
12:00 noon Lunch and Farewells

Registration

Please register by April 15

Online at:

nb.anglican.ca/clergy_spouses_retreat

Or send this registration form via **post** to:

Bishop's Office
168 Church St.
Fredericton, NB E3B 4C9

Or email to: office@anglican.nb.ca

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postal Code _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

Please indicate rooms/meals required:

Room: Thursday night _____

Friday night _____

Meals: Thursday dinner _____

Friday breakfast _____

Friday lunch _____

Friday dinner _____

Saturday breakfast _____

Saturday lunch _____

Dietary restrictions: _____

Accessibility needs: _____

I need transportation

I can provide transportation for _____

(please turn over)