

# Spiritual Reflections on the Two Halves of the Marriage Journey

May 23, 2012 • Evening Retreat for Couples

6:00 p.m. (*Singles welcome*)

Christian & Janet Cashman  
and Jim & Beth Malley



Presenters: Christian & Janet Cashman  
and Jim & Beth Malley

This program will be given by two couples who have walked this journey together as parents & grandparents. The evening will focus on finding the Spirit in both the "oatmeal stirring" of the first half of marriage (establishing a home, jobs, child rearing, struggles/successes) and the "twilight" of the second half (empty nest, retirement, grandparenting, etc).

**Christian and Janet Cashman** have been married for 16 years. Their four sons range in age from 6 to 14 years old. Janet received her B.A. in Psychology from Fairfield University and her M.Ed. from Xavier University. She has worked as a teacher of English, Writing and most recently as the Librarian of St. Thomas the Apostle School. Christian received both his B.A. in Philosophy and his M.Ed. from Xavier University. He has taught Theology and English at the high school level and has directed Campus Ministry programs and served for six years as a Catholic middle and high school Principal in the Archdiocese of Hartford. Christian is currently on the Theology faculty at Fairfield College Prep in Fairfield, CT where he also assists with the Music and Campus Ministry efforts of the school. The Cashmans have been involved with ministry and music at Holy Family since 2003.

**Jim and Beth Malley** have been married 44 years. Jim is an Associate Professor Emeritus in Counseling and Family Therapy at Central Connecticut State University. Beth received her bachelor's degree in Liberal Studies from Western New England University and spent over 20 years in the financial service industry in Marketing and Communication. She is currently volunteering at Grace Academy, Hartford's only tuition free middle school for girls. They have three children and seven grandchildren.

## REGISTRATION FORM

Evenings of Reflection: 6:00-7:00 Buffet Dinner • 7:00 Conference  
Evenings of Reflection are \$35 (\$70 per couple)

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