



*The Retreat Houses of the St. Barbara Province Present*

## **Reflections on the First Chapter of Mark**

**(The Journey from Epiphany to Ash Wednesday)**

**From 10:30 am to 12:00 pm**

**Program Cost: \$15 per person – Once you have registered, an email confirmation will be provided with an invitation link to join the Zoom Sessions Online.**

Our three-part Series explores the First Chapter of St. Mark's Gospel. This Chapter forms the backbone of the Gospel Readings between Epiphany and Ash Wednesday. Mark is a Gospel for our time. The First Chapter more than introduces the Gospel. It is, in fact, the entire Gospel dramatically portrayed in a few verses that can take a lifetime to ponder, consider, and explore. Detailed notes will be provided.

- **TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2021:** Welcoming The Gospel of St. Mark to the Liturgical Year An Over view of Mark's Gospel in light of Epiphany.
- **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021:** Exploring the First Verses of Mark's Gospel The Humility of Jesus Reveals the Humility of God. (Mark 1: 1-20)
- **TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2021:** Pondering Mark 1: 21-45 The Road to a New Way of Life Opens Exploring what it means to be a Disciple of Jesus.

Fr. Thomas P. Bonacci, C.P. is a member of the Passionist Order, is a scripture scholar, has been involved in interfaith work for 50 plus years. Will celebrate the Twentieth Anniversary of the founding of The Interfaith Peace Project in September 2021!



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