

**REVISITING THE TEACHER'S HEART:
A RETREAT FOR NEW TEACHERS AND MENTORS WHO SUPPORT THEM
Thursday-Saturday, February 26-28, 2009
Menucha Retreat Center
Corbett, Oregon**

*Be patient toward all that is unsolved in your heart and try to love the questions themselves. . . . Live the questions now. Perhaps you will then gradually, without noticing it, live along some distant day into the answer.
Rainer Maria Rilke*

Lewis & Clark will be sponsoring a Courage and Renewal retreat for new teachers, in their first five years of teaching. We also welcome mentors, both designated and informal, who support beginning teachers. This retreat will engage participants in conversations that touch on the ideals and commitments that originally drew them to become professional educators and create a space in which people can explore the delights and frustrations they have encountered as new teachers, and as support for new teachers. Through incorporation of silence, reflection, and creative expression, the retreat will provide an opportunity for personal and professional growth.

The retreat will also provide opportunities to consider themes of early spring as reflected in the beautiful setting at Menucha on the Columbia River Gorge.

Participants will receive one semester hour of graduate credit.

If you are interested in participating, please complete the attached form **by October 15, 2008** and return it to:

Ruth Shagoury, Box 14
Graduate School of Education
0615 SW Palatine Hill Road
Lewis & Clark College
Portland, Oregon 97219

WHERE: Menucha Retreat and Conference Center, Creevey Commons, located in the Columbia River Gorge in Corbett, Oregon, twenty-two miles east of Portland

WHEN: Check in at 4:00-6:00 p.m., with dinner at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, February 26th and end after lunch on Saturday, February 28th, 2009

COST: Tuition will be \$577.00 (includes retreat, room and board, double occupancy). (Check should be payable to Lewis & Clark College.)

RESERVATION FORM

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NAME _____

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

WORK PHONE _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

ROOMMATE REQUEST:

SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS:

Thanks for returning to:

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