

*They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life; to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers.*

*Awe came upon everyone, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles.*

*All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their property and possessions and divide them among all according to each one's need.*

*Each day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple area and to breaking bread in their homes.*

*They ate their meals in exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people.*

*And every day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.*

**Acts of the Apostles 2:42-47**

**DIRECTIONS TO:**

**St. Mary Church  
1600 Main St.  
Coventry, CT 06238**

**From Points**

**WEST & EAST of Coventry:**

Take I-84 West or East to Exit 67. Turn up Rte. 31 (Mile Hill Rd., Tolland), going toward Coventry for several miles to the intersection with Rte. 44 at a traffic light in Coventry.

Turn LEFT on Rte. 44 & proceed about a mile to the traffic light at the intersection with Rte. 31 (Main St.).

Turn RIGHT on Main St. & proceed a few miles to St. Mary Church, 1600 Main St., on the LEFT hand side of the road on a hill. You'll see the church sign easily near the road by the church's driveway.

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**Our Lady  
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**RETREAT LOCATION**

**Immaculate Conception  
Retreat Center  
600 Liberty Highway  
Putnam CT 06260**

**WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT  
MAY 28 – 31, 2026**

**Our Lady  
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**A**doration

**C**ommunity

**T**heology

**S**ervice

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**ADORATION – God’s CALL,  
YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF & RESPONSE  
TO GOD.**

**COMMUNITY – LOVE & CARING  
FOR EACH OTHER.**

**THEOLOGY – STUDYING GOD  
THROUGH SCRIPTURE & OUR  
CATHOLIC FAITH.**

**SERVICE – TO GOD & HIS PEOPLE.**

### **WHAT IS THIS RETREAT LIKE ?**

**An ACTS retreat is a three-day,  
three-night Catholic lay retreat  
presented by women who have  
attended prior ACTS retreats, under  
the guidance of a Catholic Guide.**

**Retreat activities focus on  
Adoration, Community, Theology  
and Service. Scripture and the  
teachings of the Catholic Church are  
the guides.**

**The goals are to renew yourself  
spiritually, to strengthen your faith  
and its application in your daily life,  
and to create lasting and supporting  
friendships. This is done via a  
positive, lively and interactive  
manner.**

**Participants return to their parish  
faith communities with a deeper love  
for each other and a desire to  
become more involved.**

### **Past Reactions**

“I had put off going on an ACTS Retreat for some time, always having an excuse. Finally I agreed to attend and I am so glad I said yes. It was the best thing I had done for myself in a long time. The retreat was truly a faith filled experience with the Holy Spirit guiding the entire weekend. I received so much love and peace and learned so much from all the wonderful women that I met. I gained a deeper relationship with the Lord, and a wonderful support system within my parish community.” Karen B.

“When the opportunity to attend a women’s ACTS retreat, I made it a priority. I went on the retreat with an open heart and an open mind. This retreat brought me closer to God than I had ever been before. I felt the presence of the Holy Spirit. I found new joy in everything I did by sharing the love of God with others, especially my family.” Rosa W

“The ACTS retreat I attended had a profound effect on my spiritual life. The retreat was a faith filled weekend that inspired me to become closer to God. Since the retreat, I’ve noticed God working in my life more than I ever did before. The love and joy that fills ones heart doesn’t end on the Sunday of the retreat but continues. The women one meets remain sisters forever. It’s a wonderful experience that all women seeking a closer relationship with God should attend.” Cathy H

### **Interested In Attending?**

**The retreat begins Thursday evening, May 28, 2026, with a 5 PM check-in at St. Mary Church at 1600 Main St., Coventry, CT. Participants will then be transported to the Immaculate Conception Retreat Center in Putnam, CT for the remainder of the retreat.**

**The retreat will end on Sunday, May 31, 2026, with a 10:30 AM Mass & reception at the St. Mary Church in Coventry. Transportation to and from the Retreat Center will be provided.**

**The cost for the retreat is \$295.00. A deposit of \$100, made payable to “ACTS Willimantic Core” submitted with the enclosed form, will reserve your place. The remaining balance will be due at the Thursday evening check-in. You will receive a letter within two weeks of the retreat describing the necessities you should bring.**

**Note: Financial difficulties should not prevent anyone from attending.** A limited amount of assistance is available based on need. If you have financial concerns, please discuss them with one of the directors listed below.

**For more information, contact one of our directors:**

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