## **2018 - 2019 Half Days of Reflection**



## Stepping Out of our Minds into the HEART of GOD

This morning of reflection will be an opportunity to spend some contemplative time reflecting on our own life experience to more deeply understand how God meets us there. Life is the starting point and endpoint of contemplative prayer. St. Francis of Assisi did not run from the world in order to escape to God but sought God in the world, finding God present in all peoples and things. This time will invite us to be more mindful of how God is present with us in all of the experiences of our lives. We will be invited to step out of our minds, to let go of what prevents us from stepping into the heart of God.



## **Presenter:**

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## 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM October 9, 2018 or January 8, 2019 in Our Lady of Angels Convent

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