For more than a decade, Courage & Renewal programs have engaged hundreds of educators in the Minneapolis area and across the state. This engagement includes book studies, introductory programs, retreat series, alumni programs and customized opportunities for schools and districts.

We are currently exploring collaborating with Education Minnesota to offer intro programs and retreat series educators across the state. For more information, contact Chris Commers at commersc@gmail.com.

The Center has launched a researched and piloted program, Leading Together, that brings our approach to whole district and K-12 school staff. We are eager to work with local partners to bring this groundbreaking program to communities in Minnesota. For more information, visit couragerenewal.org/leadingtogether and contact Deli Moussavi-Bock at deli@couragerenewal.org.

For information about custom programming for schools or districts in the Twin Cities region, contact Ron Petrich at ronpetrich@mac.com or Chris Commers at commersc@gmail.com.

2017-18 Courage & Renewal Programs for Educators in Minnesota

Open Programs for Educators · Twin Cities Area

Tenth MN Courage To Teach® Retreat Series (In Progress)
October 14-15, 2016 · February 17-18, 2017 · May 20-21, 2017 · August 11-12, 2017
For more information, contact Ron Petrich at ronpetrich@mac.com.

Eleventh Courage to Teach Retreat Series
October 20-21, 2017 · February 23-24, 2018 · May 18-19, 2018 · August 8-9, 2018
Mount Olivet Retreat Center · Farmington, MN
For more information, contact Ron Petrich at ronpetrich@mac.com.

Twelfth Courage To Teach Retreat Series
October 12-13 2018 · February TBD · May TBD · August TBD
Mount Olivet Retreat Center · Farmington, MN
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Draw from the Deep Well: A Courage to Teach® Oasis for the End of the Year
March 30-April 1 · Prairie Oaks Institute · Belle Plaine, MN · Sponsored by Prairie Oaks Institute
Open to all educators
For more information, contact Chris Johnson at cjohnso542@gmail.com or 507-934-4863.

Renew, Reflect, Recharge: A Courage to Teach® Rest Stop for the Start of the Year
August 10-12, 2017 · Prairie Oaks Institute · Belle Plaine, MN · Sponsored by Prairie Oaks Institute
Open to all educators
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Open Programs for Educators · Throughout Minnesota

Identity and Integrity: Renewing the Heart of a Teacher – Third Annual Back to School Courage to Teach Three-Day Retreat
August 2017 Dates TBD · Cloquet Forestry Center · Cloquet, MN
Open to Pre K-12 and university educators
For more information or to reserve a spot, contact Paula J. Pedersen at ppederse@d.umn.edu.

Taking Care of Self in the Midst of Community: A Courage to Teach Retreat – A Three Day Retreat
June 26-28, 2016 · Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning at Minnesota State University, Mankato
Open to teachers and professors and anyone involved in education
For more information, contact Patricia Hoffman at patricia.hoffman@mnsu.edu or 507-389-3233.