

Pax Christi Massachusetts 2016 Retreat

Facing Violence Unafraid: Building Jesus' Nonviolent Alternatives

Retreat Leaders: Sr. Jane Morrissey and Philip Harak

Saturday, April 9, at St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish

151 Mendon St, Upton, MA 01568

Registration begins at 8:30 – Program 9:00 am to 3:00 pm



Sr. Jane, more than fifty years a Sister of St. Joseph of Springfield, has for the last ten years worked at Homework House, an after school program for children at risk in Holyoke's poor neighborhoods.



Philip has helped teenagers find nonviolent alternatives to conflicts for nearly 40 years. A public high school English teacher, he has created the school's only peer mediation program and academic study of nonviolence.

Participants will be invited to examine the role Christ plays in their lives. Then, with a guided walk through Scripture, we will explore how we can rely on Jesus as we creatively apply His messages in our professional and personal lives. Sister Jane and Phil will draw on their experience as educators of public school youth to suggest alternative and creative responses to conflict and violence.

Registration Form

Name _____ **Street Address** _____

City/State _____ **Phone/E-mail** _____

Donation--\$40 at the door, \$35 if postmarked by March 31. (Lunch Included)**

Student Donation--\$15, registration by March 31 suggested. (Lunch included)**

I would like to be an Assembly Sponsor and will donate an additional tax-deductible gift of \$_____ to help defray the cost of the Assembly.

Mail Registration and check, made out to "Pax Christi MA" to:

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