

INSTITUTE SCHEDULE - CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION AND RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

How do we prepare “ministers of reconciliation”?

How does the local church become a center for healing and reconciliation?

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| | MONDAY, 6/14/04 | TUESDAY, 6/15/04 | WEDNESDAY, 6/16/04 |
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| 8:15 – 10:15 | <p>Welcome, Introductions & Overview</p> <p>Ritual: Setting the Table</p> <p>Justice for Victims, for and from Offenders, for and from Communities</p> | <p>Ritual</p> <p>Critical Issues in Restorative Justice</p> | <p>Ritual/Bible Study: Great Commandment 2 Cor 15:17-18 Matthew 18</p> <p>The Theology, Theory and Practice of Faith-Based Conflict Transformation</p> |
| 10:15 – 10:30 | BREAK | BREAK | BREAK |
| 10:30 – 12:00 | <p>Principles of Restorative Justice</p> | <p>The Church as a Center for Restorative Justice and Reconciliation International (HDS and BTI) Local (BUSTh) ; Local/Ethnic (GCTS)</p> | <p>Circle Process: Overview</p> |
| 12:00 – 1:00 | LUNCH | LUNCH | LUNCH |
| 1:00 – 2:30 | <p>Practices of Restorative Justice</p> | <p>Roundtable: What are we presently teaching and doing? <i>Thomas Massaro, SJ (WJST)</i></p> | <p>Circle Practice: The Experience</p> |
| 2:30 – 2:45 | BREAK | BREAK | BREAK |
| 2:45 – 4:00 | <p>Faculty Responses: <i>Emmanuel Clapsis (HC)</i> <i>Raymond Helmick SJ (BC)</i> <i>Rodney Petersen (BTI)</i></p> <p>Ritual (Bolton, ANTS)</p> | <p>Roundtable: How do we incorporate conflict transformation in our curricula and our life together?</p> <p>Ritual (Rodman, EDS)</p> | <p>Final Reflections</p> <p>Ritual</p> |
| 4:00 – 6:00 | BREAK | | |
| 6:00 – 8:30 | <p>Dinner - Violence and the Healing of Memories: Experiences from South Africa and Other Global Settings <i>Michael Lapsley</i></p> | | |

1. All work done around the communion table: How does conflict inform communion? How does communion transform conflict?
2. Texts: *Engage Conflict Well* guide, *Little Book of Restorative Justice* (Howard Zehr)