

Registration fee:

\$15 before January 10, 2014

\$20 after this date and at the door

Walk-ins welcome provided there is space.

There will be no lunch interval since the conclusion is at 1:00 PM.

Please make check payable to RSHM and return this registration form and fee to:

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ATTN: JUSTICE SYMPOSIUM

441 N. Garfield Avenue, Montebello, CA 90640

Names of Participants:

(You may register more than one person, from the same address, per form)

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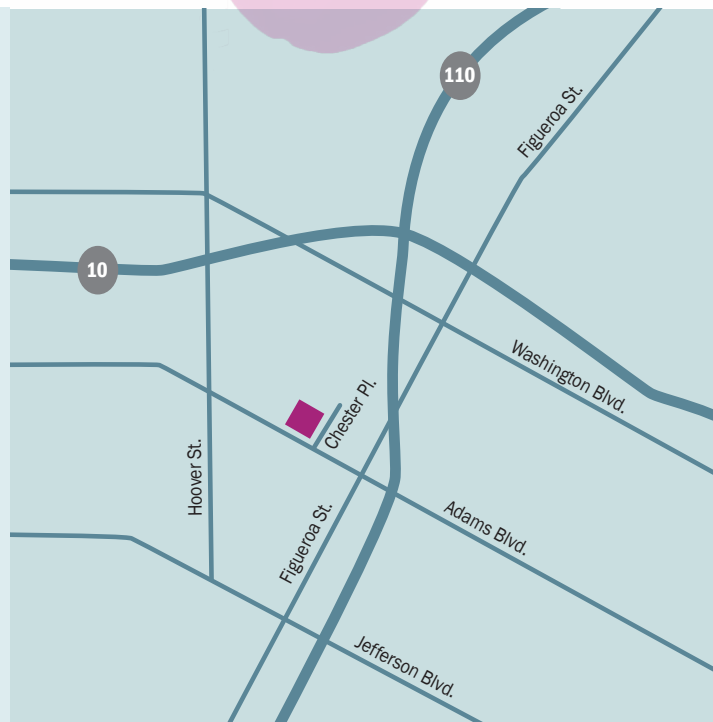
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Symposium participants will experience the good news in the anti-human trafficking efforts through the arts.

For more information contact Sr. Kathleen Bryant at: KBryt@aol.com



Mt. St. Mary's Doheny Campus Auditorium

10 Chester Place, Los Angeles, CA 90007-2598

**Southern California Partners
for Global Justice
present**

From Pain to Inspiration Stories of Hope:



Human Trafficking and Healing Through the Arts

For Parents, Educators, Young Adults & Teens

SYMPOSIUM 2014

Saturday, February 8, 2014

8:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(Registration opens at 8:00 a.m.)

**Mount St. Mary's College
Doheny Campus**

Bios

Jean Schafer, SDS is a member of the Congregation of the Sisters of the Divine Savior (SDS). For eleven years she has compiled and disseminated a monthly e-newsletter, 'Stop Trafficking'; and at present serves as co-director of *SDS Hope House*, a transitional shelter for women survivors of human trafficking. Sister Jean is a member of the Southern California Partners for Global Justice (SCPGJ).

Udaya Kanthi Salgadu, author of the play, *LETTERS FROM MY MOTHER*, was rescued in 2000 by U.S Immigration after more than 4 years in slavery. CAST, the Coalition to Abolish Slavery and Trafficking, empowered Kanthi through healing to become an advocate for other victims as part of the Women's Caucus. She has earned her GED and certification as a nurse assistant. Her goal is to go to nursing school.

The play focuses on scenes from Kanthi Salgadu's life and rescue from enforced labor. We will listen to letters from her mother that kept her hope alive during her worst times and moved her to continue to struggle, not only for her own freedom but for the rights of other trafficked women. As a member of CAST, she has traveled to Washington, DC to address the Congress of the country that she has come to love.

Sr. Ellen O'Leary, CSJ - Ellen expresses herself and teaches art, dance and mime. "In these arts if there is freedom, we go to that space beyond words, that is soul work."

Sr. Judith Royer, CSJ, PhD (Director) - is currently Interim Director for LMU's CSJ Center for Reconciliation and Justice and Professor of Theatre at LMU where she is producer/director for the Playwrights Center Stage new plays series. Among other awards, Sister Judith was the recipient of the 2012 Milan Stitt Award for her work as a playwriting mentor and teacher.

Doris Baizley - A Los Angeles playwright who teaches at East West Players' David Henry Hwang Writers' Institute and at LMU where she co-leads the Voices of Justice documentary playwriting program with Sister Judith Royer.

Schedule

- 8:30 am**Registration, coffee, exhibits
- 9:00 am**Welcome
Prayer/dance ritual
- 9:20 am**Jean Schafer, SDS –
Invitation to the Margins;
From Inspiration to Action:
Stories from Youth
- 10:15 am**Presentation by contest winners -
awards
- 10:30 am**Break - exhibits
- 11:00 am**Dance, music, film
- 11:30 am**Drama: *Letters From My Mother*
by Kanthi Udaya Adikari
A short autobiographical play
by a young Sri Lankan woman
trafficked in the U.S. as a
domestic worker.
- 12:00 pm**Kanthi's story and healing
moderated by Doris Baizley
- 12:15 pm**Ideas for action
- 12:30 pm**Closing ritual
- 1:00 pm**Departure

Art and Poetry Contest was open to high school and college students. The message was to create awareness of human trafficking through graphic arts or poetry. Winners will be presented with awards

Sponsors

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The Southern California Partners for Global Justice is a coalition of religious communities, organizations and agencies which support each other in addressing issues of global injustice, especially in the struggle against human trafficking. The coalition collaborates, networks and advocates to ensure that the rights of all persons, especially women and children, are recognized and respected.

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