MAKING A DIFFERENCE:

A Workshop for Clergy

& Those Involved in Full-time Ministry

September 24-26, 2019

Bishop Robert E. Tracy Center

1800 South Acadian Thruway, Baton Rouge



Making a Difference is an interfaith retreat for clergy and those involved in full-time ministry. It will challenge you to rethink what is possible for yourself and for your ministry, and it will provide you with the tools to successfully bring about a future that is a match for your vision and commitment. The most commonly reported outcomes are:

- **Greater clarity about your purpose and the direction of your ministry** as well as your personal life, so that each is a source of nourishment for the other.
- A richer and deeper prayer life, leaving you more centered and with a greater experience of serenity.
- Valuable, new tools for affecting significant change, including a new and more powerful use of language.

 Renewal and deepening of faith along with a new appreciation and respect for the faith and traditions of others.

Schedule: (participants should make plans to attend all sessions)

Tuesday, Sept. 24 Registration begins at 10:00 am

11:00 am - 9:00 pm (lunch and dinner included)

Wednesday, Sept. 25 9:00 am – 5:00 pm (lunch included) Thursday, Sept. 26 9:00 am – 5:00 pm (lunch included)

<u>Costs</u>: (Special rates have been arranged for this first-time event in Baton Rouge. Scholarship funds are available. Limited capacity.) A deposit of \$100 (which is non-refundable) reserves your place.

Option A: \$290 Single room for 2-nights with private bathroom,

6 meals (2 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 1 supper)

Option B: \$240 Double room

Option C: \$160 Commuter (3 lunches, 2 suppers)

Register online by September 6. www.masteryfoundation.org

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GENERAL INFO

Making a Difference includes lecture, group discussion, small group work, and daily periods of teaching and practicing Centering Prayer. Courses range in size from 10-30 participants and are open to women and men of every faith who minister to others.

The courses are conducted by a team of leaders, both lay and ordained persons, who extensively trained in the course technology. No theology presented or discussed by the course leaders, although participants are encouraged to discover where the ideas presented can enrich and empower their own theology and faith.

<u>Leaders:</u> Staff from Mastery Foundation, a non-profit, volunteer, interfaith organization established in 1983 to empower those who minister and serve others in creating new possibilities for themselves and for their communities. To learn more, see: www.masteryfoundation.org