

# New Workshop Racism In America: What Is Mine To Do?

## **Testimonials**

"The powerful witnessing opened my eyes and changed my heart. Maybe we really can move the needle."

"I am so weary. But this experience revived my soul."

The answers to What Is Mine to Do? lie in your story. Your personal, intimate story reveals what life has taught you about racism. Chart your narrative. Uncover beliefs, assumptions, and disappointed dreams. See where your story is pointing you today.

## **OUTCOMES**

Discern what is 'Mine to Do' to move toward race reconciliation

- Learn ways to start and stay in conversations on race
- How to respond when racism appears

#### 2019 Dates:

Friday, Sept 6, 12pm - 5pm Saturday, Sept 7, 9am - 5pm

#### Cost:

\$75 donation. Sponsor is subsidizing expenses including meals, training materials, expert facilitators

### **Location:**

The Loudermilk Center 40 Courtland St NE Atlanta, GA 30303

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# **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- Design your personal timeline revealing when race mattered, positively and negatively, and its impact on your life
- When have you honored and dis-honored your values when considering race
- What is your relationship to race going forward

## WHAT'S NOT COVERED

History lesson on racism. Debating current events. Convincing others of your point of view. Long presentations.

## **TOPICS WITH SOME SHARP EDGES**

- Discover biases and assumptions that serve you, and those that don't
- Particularly for white participants, how to manage silence, defensiveness, and certitude when talking about race

## WISDOM TRADITIONS SHOW THE WAY

- Time for reflection
- Storytelling and witnessing generate empathy and conviction

Lourdes parishioners are asked to register for the workshop by emailing their names to Fr. Jeffery jott@lourdesatlanta.org DEADLINE, FRIDAY, AUGUST 23rd

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