

Faith in Encounter: Disciples in the Field Hospital, not just the Pews

Our Lady of Victory Missionary Sisters invite you to retool your discipleship to address the very real issues, challenges, and problems that face our country and world today.

Pope Francis has called missionary congregations like the OLVMs to celebrate an Extraordinary Missionary Month in October 2019. We invite you to learn the common call we all share to be missionary disciples in a world in need of healing.

Fr. Kevin Sandberg, C.S.C., will lead us in an interactive workshop based on Pope Francis' vision of the Church as a field hospital:

- Be Not Afraid: They Were Sent 2x2 into the Field
- What's Your Diagnosis of the Illness?
- The Parables of Jesus—Good for What Ails Us!
- Fostering Well-being: Who Will Care but You?
- Stepping Outside Ourselves to Imitate Jesus, the Divine Physician.

Cost: \$10 per person
Registration limited to 100 participants
Lunch will be served

Saturday, October 19
9 am. to 3 p.m.
Victory Noll Center
1900 W. Park Drive
Huntington, IN



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Fr. Kevin Sandberg, C.S.C., is faculty member and Leo and Arlene Hawk Executive Director of the Center for Social Concerns at the University of Notre Dame. Serving thousands of students each year, the Center for Social Concerns enacts Catholic social teaching through community-engaged research, teaching, and learning for personal transformation, vocational commitment, and social impact.

"This is the mission of the Church: the Church heals, the Church cures. Sometimes, I speak of the Church as if it were a field hospital. It's true: there are many, many wounded! So many people need their wounds healed!... It's true, we have to help and create organizations that help in this: yes, because the Lord gives us the gifts for this. But when we forget this mission, forget poverty, forget the apostolic zeal and instead, place our hope in these human means, the Church slowly slips into becoming an NGO, it becomes a beautiful organization: Powerful, but not evangelical, because it lacks that spirit, that poverty, that power to heal."

Pope Francis
February 5, 2015

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REGISTRATION FORM

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To ensure registration, return form with payment to:

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