

Anti-Racism Workshop Presenters

The initial contemplative experience will be led by **Alan Krema**. In addition to being a presenter of Centering Prayer and the Welcoming Prayer for Contemplative Outreach, Alan is a Wisdom student of Cynthia Bourgeault and has completed the Living School program at the Center for Action and Contemplation. He is a long-time practitioner of Centering Prayer as well as facilitator of several Centering Prayer groups. Alan currently serves as chapter coordinator for Contemplative Outreach Chicago and is a member of the Shalem Institute program for Group Spiritual Leadership.

The remainder of the workshop, focused on anti-racism topics, will be led by members of the **Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate Anti-Racism Committee (ARC)**, including:

LaKisha Cameron, Director of Diversity and Inclusion at Joliet Catholic Academy. Through this position she helps support and educate staff, faculty and students while continuing to build an inclusive environment for the JCA community that is grounded in Catholic principles.

KC Crino, a Secular Franciscan. He is the Midwest US Area Director for One Collective, a global NFP which brings people together to help the oppressed and vulnerable. KC is a peace circle facilitator and utilizes restorative practices in his work with at-risk youth.

Sr. Rosemary Fonck, a member of the Governing Board of the Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate and the liaison to the Anti-Racism Committee. She has had many experiences working with racial justice, especially in her 10 years as a Pastoral Minister in Alabama.

Allison Heard, the Director of Institutional Diversity at the University of St. Francis and also the Title IX Coordinator. She is the liaison between the University and the Anti-Racism Committee.

Jennifer Johnson, a Retired Elementary School Principal in Joliet. She is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. and a member of Sacred Heart parish in Joliet.

Marilyn McGowan, an Associate of the Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate. She is a retired teacher and an active volunteer for several organizations.

Sr. Albert Marie Papesh, a member of Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate and, currently, she is a member of St. Clare House of Prayer. She

is an active volunteer and board member for several organizations. She is also a founding member of the Anti-Racism Committee.

Sr. Lois Prebil, a member of the Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate and a founding member of the Anti-Racism Committee. She has worked with Anti-Racism for over 20 years, beginning with ministry in the Archdiocese of Chicago. She now serves as Coordinator of ARC.