

The School of Applied Theology, in partnership with the Cathedral of Christ the Light, Our Lady of Lourdes, and St. Columba, invite you to a series on Laudato Si,' with

Dr. Sylvia Hood Washington

HOLY SPIRIT, COME BREATHE ON ME

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2016, 7-9 PM

Where: Our Lady of Lourdes, Parish Hall, 2808 Lakeshore Avenue, Oakland, 94610

Cost: Free of charge

(co-sponsored by the Cathedral of Christ the Light)

LAUDATI SI' AN ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE IN UNION WITH OUR COMMON HOME

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2016, 7-9 PM

Where: St. Columba, 6401 San Pablo Ave. Oakland, CA 94608

Cost: Free of charge

EVERY BREATH WE TAKE: CLIMATE JUSTICE, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH, AND LAUDATO SI,' FROM AN AFRICAN AMERICAN PERSPECTIVE

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 2016, 7-9 PM

Where: The School of Applied Theology/Graduate Theological Union
at St. Albert's Priory, 5890 Birch Ct., Oakland, CA 94618

Cost: \$30 suggested donation (no one turned away for lack of funds)



Sylvia Hood Washington, Ph. D., MPH has taught and developed courses at Depaul, University of Maryland and Benedictine University. She sits on the University of Illinois-Chicago's Environmental Justice board and directs the national project on Environmental Justice and Environmental Health co-sponsored by the Knights of Peter Claver, Inc. and the USCCB's Catholic Coalition for Children and a Safe Environment (CASE).



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TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2016, 7-9 PM, RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

In this presentation by Dr. Sylvia Hood Washington we will look at climate justice, environmental health, and Laudato Si', as it impacts the city of Oakland, such as the shipping of coal through the West Oakland community.

Where: Our Lady of Lourdes, Parish Hall, 2808 Lakeshore Avenue, Oakland, 94610, 510-451-1790

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Laudato Si' calls attention to how degradation of our planet has created degradation in our lives. Certain populations are bearing the brunt of the overconsumption and exploitation of our earth's resources. For example, in the U.S., African Americans have the highest rates of asthma and other illnesses that make them more susceptible to climate change, illnesses, and death. In this session, we will learn how heat, drought, and toxins are impacting "the least of our brothers and sisters," in the hope that this awareness will help us to bring about social and environmental change. We will also practice meditation exercises that will teach us how to breathe easier, particularly in environmental conditions that make it difficult to breathe because of asthma or COPD.

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located at St. Albert's Priory, 5890 Birch Ct., Oakland, CA 94618, 510-652-1651

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If you are coming by BART get off at the Rockridge station and walk north on College and take a right onto Birch Ct. St. Albert's is at the end of the block. If you are driving, parking will be available in a Priory lot off of Chabot Road. If going north from the BART station, pass Birch Court, then at the next street (Chabot) turn right. If going south on College, you will turn left onto Chabot. Half way down Chabot, on the right, immediately past St. Albert's Chapel (at the end of the black wrought-iron fence) turn into the driveway on your right, and then turn right again into the tennis court area. Once arrived at St. Albert's, head directly to the SAT facilities located on the first floor of the main building. If you need assistance, please call 510-652-1651.