



IGNATIAN FAMILY TEACH-IN FOR JUSTICE 2014

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Apply to join the Canisius College delegation to the Ignatian Family Teach-in!

November 15-17, 2014

The Ignatian Family Teach-In for Justice (IFTJ) is an annual gathering for members of the Ignatian family (Jesuit institutions and larger church) to **come together in the context of social justice and solidarity to learn, reflect, pray, network, and advocate together**. It is a place where people are empowered, re-energized, inspired, challenged, and supported by a community that sees faith and justice integrally linked.

Now in its 17th year, the IFTJ has a rich history rooted in honoring the Jesuits and their companions who were martyred in El Salvador in 1989. This year's gathering will have the special opportunity to honor the martyrs of El Salvador on the 25th anniversary of their assassination.

Canisius College Campus Ministry will be bringing a delegation of 18 students and staff to the Teach-in to remember the 25th anniversary of the Salvadoran martyrs, learn about a variety of justice issues and advocate on Capitol Hill. Consider joining us!



TIMELINE

Tuesday, October 7: Information session at 4 pm in Old Main 219

Wednesday, October 15: Applications are due by 5 pm in Campus Ministry (OM 207)

Friday, October 24: Program fee is due to the Office of Campus Ministry (OM 207) by 5 pm

Sunday, October 26:*

Introduction meeting and dinner at 6:00-8:00 pm in the Undercroft

Sunday, November 9:*

Final prep meeting and martyrs' remembrance from 8:00-10:30 pm in the Undercroft

Monday, November 10:*

Maura Toomb at 5pm in the Chapel

Ignatian Family Teach-in:

Departure early on Saturday, November 15 and a late night return on Monday, November 17, 2014

Participants are required to be present at all preparatory meetings

COST

\$50 (includes lodging, transportation, registration fee and most food)

APPLICATION

Name:

Local address:

Cell phone:

Email:

Gender:

Year:

Please type the answers to the following questions and submit them with your application on or before Wednesday, October 15th to Campus Ministry (OM 207):

1. How have you been involved with Campus Ministry at Canisius College? What else are you involved with here at Canisius?
2. What social justice issues do you feel most passionately about? How have you actively engaged with these issues?
3. What excites you most about participating in the Ignatian Family Teach-in? What do you think you will find yourself most challenged by?
4. Participants are required to be at three preparatory meetings and actively participate in social justice education and advocacy locally upon their return. Are you able to be present at these meetings (dates listed above) and actively engaged?
5. What are your ideas for becoming more involved in your local community, at Canisius and with Campus Ministry on justice education and advocacy?

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