



Sharing God's Love in Haiti and Latin America

2022 PTPA NATIONAL CONFERENCE

August 26 – 28, 2022

Agenda

Friday, August 26

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Registration

12:30 – 12:55 p.m. **Opening Session**

- Introductory remarks – Fr. Tom Clegg, Conference Moderator
- Prayer & Song
- Overview of agenda and events

12:55- 2:15 p.m.

Keynote Addresses

- All Things Are Possible
 - Msgr. Raymond East
- Situation in Haiti: Political, Economic and Security Issues
 - Gandy Thomas, Ambassador, Representant Permanent Adjunct at the U.S. Mission to the Organization of American States OAS at Mission Permanent of Haiti

2:15 – 2:30 p.m. Break

2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Best Practices Workshops Session #1

1. Addressing Food Insecurity & Disaster Relief
2. Financial Support & Accountability
3. Addressing Healthcare Crises: COVID, Infectious Diseases and Health Concerns
4. Learning to Speak Creole

4:00 – 4:15 p.m. Break

4:15 – 5:00 p.m.

PTPA Day 1 Closing Session

- Promoting Peace, Justice and Solidarity
 - Kim Lamberty, Executive Director, Quixote Center
- Day 1 concluding remarks

5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Dinner on your own

7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Networking Reception at The Inn at Opryland

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Saturday, August 27

- Before 8:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own and Mass at Pastoral Center
- 8:30 – 9:45 a.m. **Morning Session**
- Opening remarks and Prayer
- Keynote Panel**
- Community Water Strategies: Ensuring Availability of Clean Water, Sanitation and Hygiene
 - Bruce Compton, CHA, moderator
 - Lindsay Denney, Emory University (virtual)
 - Mark Brinkmoeller, CRS-sponsored WASH consultant
 - Jason Gehrig, Water Engineers for the Americas (WEFTA)
- 9:45 – 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. **Best Practices Workshops Session #2**
1. Clean Water Strategies
 2. Education & School Support Strategies
 3. Agriculture & Reforestation
 4. Best Practices for Latin American Twinings
- 11:30 a.m. – noon Break and Box Lunch Pick-up
- Noon – 12:45 p.m. **Luncheon Session and Networking Break**
- Building on the Legacy of “Mother Theresa” of Honduras
 - Kathy Martin O’Neil, Author
- 12:45 – 1:00 p.m. Break
- 1:00 – 2:45 p.m. **Afternoon Session Keynote Addresses**
- Building Sustainable Healthcare Capacity: WASH, Nutrition and Maternal and Child Health
 - Dr. Chuck Dietzen, Founder, Timmy Global Health
 - The Principles of Sustainable Community Development
 - Astrid Cortes, Food For The Poor
 - PTPA Future Vision: New Strategies to Support and Empower Parish Twinings
- 2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Break
- 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. **Best Practices Workshops Session #3**
1. Parishioner Involvement & Fundraising Strategies
 2. Addressing the Needs of the Poor through Sustainable Community Development
 3. Medical & Dental Services & Support
 4. Youth Involvement
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn

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Saturday, August 27 (Continued)

- 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. **Reception** at The Inn at Opryland
- 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. **Dinner and Program** at The Inn at Opryland
- Host and Sponsor Remarks
 - Celebration Honoring Theresa Patterson, Frances Sosadeeter and Jeff Patterson
 - Bishop Mark Spalding of Nashville
 - Cardinal Oscar Andres Rodriquez Maradiaga of Honduras

Sunday, August 28

- 8:30 – 8:50 a.m. **Closing Session**
- Opening Remarks and prayer
 - PTPA closing remarks
- 8:50 – 10:30 a.m. **Keynote Addresses**
- Spirituality of Mission
 - Sr. Lorraine Lauter, Executive Director, Water With Blessings
 - Remember, Honor and Learn from Mission Experience
 - Donald McCrabb, USCMA Executive Director
 - Kelli Nelson, Executive Director, From Mission to Mission
- 10:30 – 11 a.m. Break
- 11 a.m. – Noon **Celebration of Mass**
- Noon Adjourn