

## PROGRAMS (contd..)

- ◇ Deepening Our Own Spirituality and Relationship with God
- ◇ Myers-Briggs as a Tool for Vocation Discernment and Community Building
- ◇ Dancing with the Spirit: Women's Spiritual History and Legacy
- ◇ Earth, Air, Fire and Water: Gateway to the Sacred
- ◇ The Art of Compassion
- ◇ Walking a Spiritual Path: —The Labyrinth
- ◇ Drinking from Our Own Spiritual Wells: Health and Wellness Days

We work with people of all ages and backgrounds. With anticipation, we can work with your planning group to suggest facilitators and resource people for the most positive experience for your group. We are available to coordinate and facilitate Programs at our Mission Centre or elsewhere.



### Facilitators and Retreat Leaders

**Kathy Murtha:** Mission Centre Director, M.A. in theology with a special focus on Women's History and Spirituality, experienced retreat facilitator, contemplative prayer facilitator.

**Fr. Jack Lynch SFM:** 45 years in ministry in Canada, central America and Peru, retreat facilitator with a passion for Catholic Social Justice Teaching.

**Marilyn Grace:** former teacher and TCDSB chaplain, member of Ontario college of Teachers, trained in teaching children to meditate, liturgist, experienced retreat facilitator.

**Kate Marshall Flaherty:** poet, meditation and yoga instructor, founding member of Children's Peace Theatre, Certified in Appreciative Inquiry and published author.

**Tina Petrova:** actress, producer, writer, film director and published author.

**Paul McKenna:** specializes in Interfaith Dialogue, Golden Rule Workshops and Humour Workshops.

**Fr. Dave Warren SFM:** former missionary in the Philippines, a scripture scholar and student of Islam.

**Sr. Lucy Thorson NDS:** specializes in inter-faith work with a particular focus on Jewish-Christian dialogue.

**Fr. Roger Brennan SFM:** former missionary in the Philippines and China who has offered a variety of Scripture Series for adults.

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# MISSION CENTRE PROGRAMS

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# SCARBORO MISSIONS

SERVING IN FAITH  
GUIDED BY THE SPIRIT

**“I have come that they may have life and have it to the full.”** John 10:10

## OUR MISSION

**Scarboro Missions** is a society of Canadian Catholics, priests and laity, who work collaboratively to share their appreciation of the mission and vision of Jesus Christ. For almost 100 years we have been dedicated to serving in creative and new endeavours where the Gospel has not been heard. We seek to encounter and celebrate the presence of God in all of Creation and in the life, history, culture and faiths of the people among whom we live.



**Retreats**

**Workshops**

**Educational**

## PROGRAMS

Our Programs Are Ideal For:  
High school students, Parishes, Confirmation Candidates, Chaplains, Youth Groups, Faith-based communities, Multi-faith Groups, Front-line Youth Workers, Social Workers, Youth at Risk Programs, Anti-bullying, Immigration Workers, Government and health care employees, Community/Recreational centres, Summer Camp programs, Leadership programs and Pluralism and diversity training.



### Methodology:

#### A Holistic Approach Includes

(Adaptable to specific groups)

Hospitality, ice breaker and trust building exercises, interactive activities, Presentations, Reflections and Information, Music, Movement, Media, Drama, role-playing, poetry, storytelling. Exploration of sacred wisdom and symbols from various religious traditions. Prayer and Meditation



**We offer a wide variety of Retreats, Workshops, Talks and Educational Series.**

- ◇ Leadership Training, Peace Building and Witnesses to the World
- ◇ Catholic Social Thought and Social Justice
- ◇ Encountering Jesus
- ◇ Appreciative Inquiry and Conflict Resolution
- ◇ Interfaith Dialogue and Appreciation
- ◇ Scripture Series and Talks
- ◇ Interfaith Golden Rule Retreats and Workshops
- ◇ Interfaith Ecological Retreats and Workshops
- ◇ Confirmation Retreats
- ◇ The Golden Rule and the Body as a Temple of the Spirit