



JPIC PROMOTERS' FORMATION WORKSHOP

Engaging *Laudato Si* and *Justice in the World*: Continuing the Narrative

November 29–December 3, 2021



- ❖ This Formation Workshop is a five-day experience from November 29 to December 3, 2021, providing new JPIC Promoters with the tools needed to animate members of their Congregation and/ or their place of ministry. It will start with “foundations” and elaborate on the theme of how Consecrated Life connects with the needs and concerns of the participants. The workshop will focus on the aspects of ministerial collaboration, communion and the synodal process. Time will be dedicated to the in-depth exploration of the crucial components of the JPIC ministry. The final day will concentrate on guiding and supporting JPIC Promoters in their ministry.
- ❖ Our mission is to transform the world in the spirit of the Gospel through conscious prayer and sacred action, leading lives of justice, peace and care for the integrity of creation (JPIC).

DAY 1— MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29

FOUNDATIONS OF JPIC MINISTRY AND INTEGRAL ECOLOGY

*"Let us go rejoicing to the House of the Lord. May peace be within your walls, Prosperity in your buildings" -
Psalm 122:7*

Daily Readings: Is 2:1-5, Psalm 122, Mt 8: 5-11

"Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience. " —LS #217

"Action on behalf of justice and participation in the transformation of the world fully appear to us as a constitutive dimension of the preaching of the Gospel"—Justice in the World #6

Focus of the Day:

The JPIC framework and major themes

- ❖ Global framework for justice, peace and integrity of creation
- ❖ Response in light of the Catholic Social Teaching perspective on integrated ecology
- ❖ Spirituality of JPIC in relation to religious vows and continuing the narrative of Justice in the World
- ❖ Understanding of Integral Ecology and Sacred Action

HOUR	PROGRAM
8:30-9:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Check-in Online Registration prior to the session 9:30 am – Opening Prayer—Engaging Laudato Si' and Justice in the World: (JPIC Secretariat) – Orientation – Program/Timetable Presented – General Information – Summary of Expectations: Cecilia Nya, SHCJ, Society of the Holy Child Jesus, (General Councilor with focus on JPIC)
10:15 am	<p>SESSION 1: Global Framework Worldwide Highlights. Giulio Albanese, mccj, (Congregazione dei Missionari Comboniani. Founder of Missionary Information Agency, Regular contributor to L'osservatore Romano for Africa)</p>
11:30 am	PAUSE
11:45 am	<p>SESSION 2: JPIC Catholic Social Teaching (Who do we become as a result of what we do?) Joseph Blay, OFM, Conv. (Order of Friars Minor, Conventual, - Executive Co-Secretary JPIC Commission of USG-UISG)</p>
1:00 pm	PAUSE
2:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Prayer – Laudato Si' Sector: Parishes and Dioceses; Families SESSION 3: Spirituality of JPIC/Religious Vows and continuing the Narration of Justice in the World Action Plan (Commitment/grounding in own experience). Sheila Kinsey, FCJM, (Franciscan Sisters, Daughters of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary, - Executive Co-Secretary JPIC Commission of USG-UISG)
3:15 pm	PAUSE
3:45 pm	<p>SESSION 4: Understanding of Integral Ecology and Sacred Action (relational conversion personal and communal) Anne Falola, OLA, (Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Apostles, - General Councilor & JPIC Coordinator)</p>
5:00 pm	Reflective Closing

DAY 2— TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

INTEGRAL ECOLOGY AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

(Feast of St. Andrew, Apostle)

"50th Anniversary of Justice in the World. Thus, faith comes from what is heard, and what is heard comes through the word of Christ. " - Rom 10: 17

Daily Readings: Romans 10, 9-18, Psalm 19, Mt 4, 18-22

"When we ask ourselves what kind of world we want to leave behind, we think in the first place of its general direction, its meaning and its values. " —LS#160.

"Such a situation urges us to listen with a humble and open heart to the word of God, as he shows us new paths towards action in the cause of justice in the world. " —Justice in the World #29

Focus of the Day:

JPIC in ongoing formation—integral ecology and religious life

- ❖ Formation in Laudato Si' and Justice in the World
- ❖ Using the Pastoral Cycle for Integral Ecology in reference to mining
- ❖ Pastoral Cycle in Integral Ecology
- ❖ Reflection on Consecrated Life structures in relation to Integral Ecology and role of religious at the United Nations

HOURLY	PROGRAM
9:00 am	Morning Prayer—Integral Ecology and Religious Life. Hna. Lilia Celina Barrera, HTC , (<i>Tertiary Capuchin Sisters- General Counselor and JPIC Animator</i>)
9:15 am	SESSION 5: Formation in Laudato Si' and Justice in the World Hna. Ana Victoria Ulate, FMA , (<i>Daughters of Mary Help of Christians - JPIC Promoter</i>)
11:00 am	PAUSE
11:30 am	SESSION 6: Pastoral Cycle and See (Assess)-Judge (Discern) Act (Transform) Methodology as Applied to Mining Rodrigo Péret, OFM , (<i>Franciscan Brother - Coordinator of JPIC & Mining articulation</i>) Leticia Aleixo , (<i>lawyer at Caritas Brazil-Minas Gerais and PhD candidate at the Federal University of Minas Gerais.</i>)
1:00 pm	PAUSE
2:00 pm	Prayer – Laudato Si' Sector: Economy SESSION 7: The Pastoral Cycle in Integral Ecology (Follow-up methodology) Alberto Parise, mccj , (<i>Comboni Missionaries - JPIC Coordinator in General Secretariat for Mission and former Director of the Institute for Social Transformation Tangaza University, Kenya</i>)
3:15 pm	PAUSE
3:45 pm	SESSION 8: Congregational Structures and Collaboration with their UN-NGO Representatives: environment, indigenous peoples, refugees and migrants. Vincent Anes, Cmf , (<i>General Secretary of JPIC Commission of the Claretian Missionaries and Rohan Dominic, Cmf</i> , (<i>Claretain representative in the UN-NGO</i>))
5:00 pm	Reflective Closing

DAY 3—WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1

JOURNEYING TOGETHER TOWARDS INTEGRAL ECOLOGY

(Feast of Charles de Foucauld; World AIDS Day)

Jesus summoned his disciples and said, “My heart is moved with pity for the crowd, for they have been with me now for three days and have nothing to eat.” - (Mt 15:32)

Daily Readings: Is 25: 6-10a, Psalm 23, MT15: 29-37

“This conversion calls for a number of attitudes which together foster a spirit of generous Care, full of tenderness.” LS#220

“For unless the Christian message of love and justice shows its effectiveness through action in the cause of justice in the world, it will only with difficulty gain credibility with the people of our times”.

Justice in the World #35

Focus of the Day:

Presenting various networking initiatives involving the men and women religious

- ❖ Networking with strategic partners
- ❖ Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and Laudato Si’ Goals (LSGs)
- ❖ Men and women religious and LSGs (“Living Laudato Si’: A Call to Action”)—sharing of plans from the last year’s formation workshop
- ❖ Importance of Synodality
- ❖ Advocacy for justice in the world

HOUR	PROGRAM
9:00 am	Morning Prayer—Journeying Together Toward Integral Ecology. Lia latela, rmi Religious of Mary Immaculate - General Councilor with a focus on JPIC
9:15 am	<p><u>SESSION 9: Networking with External Groups</u></p> <p>Gabriella Bottani, SMC, Comboni Missionary Sister - <i>Talitha Kum Executive Director, Coordinator of International Relations Network of Consecrated Life Against Human Trafficking in persons</i></p> <p>Jacqui Rémond, <i>Laudato Si Movement Consultant Australia</i></p> <p>Chika Onyejiuwa, <i>Congregation of the Holy Spirit - Executive Secretary Africa Europe Faith and Justice Network (AEFJN) ‘Caravan’ Program</i></p>
10:30 am	PAUSE
10:50 am	<p><u>SESSION 10: Sustainable Development Goals in Relation to Laudato Si’ Goals in the Laudato Si Action Plan</u> (sharing basic areas and commonality)</p> <p>Margaret Mayce, OP, <i>(Coordinator for Dominican Sisters International (DSI and JPIC Coordinator)</i></p>
11: 30 am	<p><u>SESSION 11: JPIC Promoter’s First Year evaluation of those who participated in last year’s sharing</u>---This is what we learned from our plan, - the challenges and accomplishments.</p> <p>Sr. Maria Victoria Hernandez, RMI, and Sr. Marie Dominique Ladureau, RMI, (Religious of Mary Immaculate - General Councilors with a focus on JPIC) “Nonviolence”</p> <p>Fr. Bernard McKenna, SM, <i>(General Councilor for the Society of Mary) ‘Sustainability Covenant’</i></p> <p>Sr. Alphonsa Kieven, TSSF, & Therese Marie Wojia, TSSF, (Tertiary Sisters of St. Francis) ‘Green Lifestyle-Green Fingers’</p>

	Sr. Shirani Algama, R.G.S., (Our Lady of the Charity of the Good Shepherd) 'Laudato Si' Schools and Families'
1:00	PAUSE
2:00 pm	Prayer – Laudato Si' Sector: Hospitals SESSION 12: Synodality in the Catholic Church Sr. Béatrice Faye, CIC, (General Councilor of the Sisters of Notre Dame of the Immaculate Conception, from Senegal, working in Burkina Faso and theologian working on the Synod)
3:15 pm	PAUSE
3:45 pm	SESSION 13: JPIC Promoters and Advocacy Communication Guilia Isabel Cirillo, (Project Coordinator for 'Sisters Advocating Globally')
5:00 pm	Reflective Closing

DAY 4— THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2

THE MINISTRY OF JPIC PROMOTERS

(International Day for the Abolition of Slavery)

"Open up the gates to let in a nation that is just, one that keeps faith." Is 26: 2

Daily Readings: Is 26:1-6, Psalm 118, Mt 7, 21,24-27

"All of us can cooperate as instruments of God for the care of creation, each according to his or her own culture, experience, involvements and talents." —LS #14

"The educational method for justice, must be such as to teach people to live their lives in its entire reality and in accord with the evangelical principles of personal and social morality, which are expressed in the vital Christian witness of one's life." Justice in the World # 49

Focus of the Day:

The ministry of JPIC Promoters

- ❖ Role of the JPIC Promoters and the Laudato Si' Action Platform
- ❖ The JPIC Promoter and communication
- ❖ Dicastery Structure for Promoting Integral Human Development
- ❖ Existing Commission structures supporting JPIC Promoter
- ❖ Follow-up Planning

HOUR	PROGRAM
9:00 am	Morning Prayer - Hna. Clotilde Fernandez, FMI, of the Marianist Well, Daughters of Mary Immaculate,— General Councilor and Promoter of JPIC Ministry
9:15 am	SESSION 14: Integrating Laudato Si' Action Platform with Religious Congregations in the Laudato Si Roll Out Plan. Orientation for joining and overview of the Guide. Xavier Jeyaraj, SJ, (Director of Jesuit Social Justice and Ecology Secretariat in Rome)
10:00 am	SESSION 15: Everything is Interconnected: Role of the JPIC Promoter (Communication, collaboration, coordination, formation) Pauline Macharia, IBVM, (Institute of the Blessed Virgin Mary) Adina Bălan, CJ, (Congregation of Jesu) Coordinators of the Mary Ward JPIC Office, Rome
11:00 am	PAUSE
11:20 am	SESSION 16: Dicastery Structure for Promoting Integral Human Development and Focus on Integral Ecology and Creation— Theology of Laudato Si' Action Platform

	Fr. Joshtrum Kureethadam, SDB, (Coordinator of Ecology and Creation Sector of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development)
12:30 pm	PAUSE
1:30 pm	Prayer – Laudato Si’ Sector: Educational Institutions SESSION 17: See-Judge-Act—JPIC Commission Structure, Working Groups and Secretariat Sheila Kinsey, FCJM
2:15 pm	SESSION 18: Small Group Discussion—What Will You Take Away? What Do You Still Need to Know?
3:15 pm	PAUSE
3:45 pm	SESSION 19: Follow-up and Planning for Congregation or Specific Areas of Responsibilities (Group sharing, the way forward and next steps) <i>JPIC Secretariat sharing on the planning and implementation</i>
5:00 pm	Reflective Closing

DAY 5— FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3

JPIC ENCOUNTER AND DIALOGUE

(Feast of St. Francis Xavier)

“It is not the actual physical exertion that counts towards one’s progress, nor the nature of the task, but by the spirit of faith with which it is undertaken”, St Francis Xavier

“The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom should I fear? The Lord is my life’s refuge; of whom should I be afraid? ” - Psalm 27:1

Daily Readings: Is 29, 17-24, Psalm 27, Mt 9, 27-3

“I would like to enter into dialogue with all people about our common home.” – LS #3

“With the Second Vatican Ecumenical Council we very highly commend cooperation with our separated Christian brethren [and sisters] for the promotion of justice in the world, for bringing about development of peoples and for establishing peace. ... In the same spirit we likewise commend collaboration with all believers in God... we commend collaboration also with those who, even though they do not recognize the Author of the world, nevertheless, in their esteem for human values, seek justice sincerely and by honorable means”. - Justice in the World #61-62

Focus of the Day:

- ❖ JPIC and ENCOUNTER AND DIALOGUE
- ❖ Youth building a better world
- ❖ Challenges to Encounter and Dialogue

HOUR	PROGRAM
9:00 am	Morning Prayer (<i>Africa Working Group</i>)
9:15 am	SESSION 20: Youth encounter and dialogue to build a better world. Catalina Hinojosa, (member of Economy of Francesco and Vice-President New Humanity NGO from the Focolare Movement) Panel with other young people.
11:00 am	PAUSE
11:30 am	Prayer – Laudato Si’ Sectors: Groups & Organizations; Religious Orders SESSION 21: Encounter and Dialogue: Challenges for Our JPIC Activities Andreas Göpfert, MAfr, (Missionaries of Africa – International Coordinator, JPIC- Encounter and Dialogue) Best Practices and Experiences: (15 minutes each)

	Andreas Göpfert, MAfr , Short introduction to the various types of dialogue related to JPIC commitment and to <i>Evangelii Gaudium</i> , <i>Fratelli Tutti</i> and <i>Justice in the World</i> : Nazha El Khoury , (Antonine Sisters), <i>Ecumenical dialogue of action: Lebanon</i> Simbeye Robbin, MAfr , <i>Interfaith dialogue of action: Tunisia</i> Frank Rossmann, MAfr , Director of the Africa Center in Berlin <i>Dialogue in practice in Berlin, Open to all!</i>
12:30 pm	Question-response
1:00 pm	Closing Blessing

Prayer to the Creator (Fratelli Tutti)

Prayer by Pope Francis

*Lord, Father of our human family
 You created all human beings equal in dignity:
 pour forth into our hearts a fraternal spirit
 and inspire in us a dream of renewed encounter,
 dialogue, justice and peace,
 Move us to create healthier societies
 and a more dignified world,
 a world without hunger, poverty, violence and war.*

*May our hearts be open
 to all the peoples and nations of the earth.
 May we recognize the goodness and beauty
 that you have sown in each of us,
 and thus forge bonds of unity, common projects,
 and shared dreams. Amen.*

Thank you!

Follow-up: On March 10, 2022 there will be a webinar from 2 pm to 4 pm with the presentation of plans from the participants of the workshop. Those who are able to prepare such plans will receive certificates of appreciation.

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