

Consistent Life 25th Anniversary Conference

Embracing the Consistent Life Ethic

March 9-11, 2012 - National 4-H Youth Conference Center, Chevy Chase, MD

- Meet a diverse group of national/international Consistent Life Ethic (CLE) supporters for mutual support and encouragement, and to consider ways to forward the CLE message
- Hear speakers who embody the CLE message
- Learn how to actively engage CLE in your group or religious body
- Families welcome! Peace camp and child care for children.

Some Program Highlights

- Workshops addressing a historical retrospective, looking at future foundations with educating our children and outreach to youth, direct action, nourishing the CLE in today's political climate, early Christians and the CLE, relationships with other issues, winning conservatives to the anti-war cause, and reconciliation after such events as murders.
- Catholic and Protestant worship services available Sunday morning
- Public witness action on the CLE in downtown DC Noon – 3 PM Friday, March 9 (optional)

Plenary Speakers

Rev. Dr. Johnny M. Hunter is National Director of the Life Education And Resource Network (LEARN, Inc.) and President of Global Life & Family Mission. He also serves as Pastor of Praise and Worship at Cliffdale Community Church in Fayetteville, NC; and is a consultant specializing in goal-oriented racial diversity training and organization. He is winner of numerous awards including the Dr. Martin Luther King Religious Leadership Award, Sojourner Truth Award, and Defender of Life Award.



Dr. Catherine Meeks is retired as Clara Carter Acree Distinguished Professor of Social Science and Professor of Socio-Cultural Studies at Wesleyan College. Dr. Meeks' books include *Standing on Their Shoulders: A Celebration of the Wisdom of African American Women* and *Bears and Butterflies: A Way to Listen to Your Hearts*. She writes regularly for *The Huffington Post*. Dr. Meeks has won numerous awards, including NAACP Outstanding Community Service Award, W.E.B. Dubois Award for Outstanding Service to the African American Community, and Georgia Sociologist of the Year.

Aimee Bedoy is a 2011 graduate of Carnegie Mellon University. She served as President of the CMU Life Matters Club for two years. In August 2011, she founded *Life Matters Journal*, and currently serves as its Executive Editor. This quarterly journal is dedicated to opening a forum for discourse on all issues related to human life and dignity. Ms. Bedoy seeks to unify the movement for all human life across boundaries of religion, politics and lifestyle. She will speak on reaching the younger generation about the CLE.



Rachel MacNair is CL Vice President and Director of our research arm, the Institute for Integrated Social Analysis. She also serves as President-Elect of the Peace Psychology Division of the American Psychological Association. She is a past President of Feminists for Life of America, and the founder of the Feminism and Nonviolence Studies Association. She has written or edited, alone or with others, a number of books, including *Consistently Opposing Killing: From Abortion to Assisted Suicide, the Death Penalty and War*, and *Perpetration-Induced Traumatic Stress: The psychological consequences of killing*.

LATE ADDITION – Serrin Foster, President, Feminists for Life of America

Additional Conference Information

Registration: \$150, students/low income \$60, part-time registrant determines based on time & ability to pay.

Meals & Lodging: All meals and lodging are available at the Center

Conference Web site: <http://cl25conf.wordpress.com/>

Opportunities for Organizations: Exhibit space, packet inserts and program ads available

For more information: See the Web site, email cl25@consistent-life.org or call 1-866-444-7245. We welcome volunteer assistance, and additional ideas for workshop topics and leaders.

CL 25th Anniversary Conference Registration Form

Name (Contact person if registering more than 1 person) _____

Names of additional adults (18 & over) _____

Names & ages of any under 18 _____

Street Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Email Address _____

Telephone (s) _____

Country, if other than the United States _____

Are you coming as a representative of an organization? Yes No

If yes, name of organization _____

Registration Fee (per person): \$150 standard \$60 scholarship rate no registration fee (explain below)

Part time registration \$_____ (Registrant sets according to amount of time & ability to pay)

Please indicate below any special needs or requests. Include, if applicable, reason for requesting scholarship registration rate, reason for not paying registration fee (e.g., included in organization co-sponsorship package), needs due to disabilities, and any special arrangements requested to accommodate family (options & prices listed are designed mainly for adults & teens, and may be adjusted for each family situation), time you will be at Conference if part time:

Will you be staying overnight at the National 4-H Youth Conference Center? Yes No

If yes, what nights? Thursday 3/8, Friday 3/9, Saturday 3/10, Sunday 3/11, Other: _____

Please indicate what type of accommodation is requested:

Standard Room: Single Occupancy - \$122 per person per night

Standard Room: Double Occupancy - \$61 per person per night

Bunk Room: 3 persons to a room - \$46 per person per night

Bunk Room: 4 persons to a room - \$37 per person per night

If the party registering is not filling a room requested:

Rooming with individual(s) registering separately [provide name(s)] _____

Please assign roommate(s) for me. My gender is female, male

Breakfasts (\$10.50): Friday 3/9, Saturday 3/10, Sunday 3/11, Monday 3/12, Other: _____

Lunches (\$14): Friday 3/9, Saturday 3/10, Sunday 3/11, Monday 3/12, Other: _____

Dinners (\$16): Thursday 3/8, Friday 3/9, Saturday 3/10, Sunday 3/11, Other: _____

Dietary selection: Vegetarian (lacto/ovo), Vegan, Other (specify below), No special diet

Other dietary needs: _____

COST COMPUTATION:

| Item | Rate | No. of people | No. of days | Total No. | Total Cost |
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| Registration Fee | | | Not Applicable | | |
| Lodging | | | | | |
| Breakfasts | | | | | |
| Lunches | | | | | |
| Dinners | | | | | |
| Donation for scholarships and Conference costs not covered by fees | | | | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | | | | | |

Payment method: Check enclosed, online at <http://www.consistent-life.org/join.html>, Will mail check

Mail to Registrar, Consistent Life, PO Box 9295, Silver Spring, MD 20916-9295

Or scan into image or PDF & attach to email to conf_reg@consistent-life.org, or fax to 1-413-485-2881

Advance registration deadline March 6 – must be received by then

Will be able to register some people on a walk-in basis