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- You can make a credit card payment for your registration for the conference.
- You can view the brochure in PDF format on one link and use the second link to register and pay online for the conference.
- To properly credit your payment, please select “CRS Conference” from the contribution dropdown list.
- Indicate if you are registering as an adult conference participant, student or for catechetical certification and select your breakout sessions.
- You will be emailed a receipt for your payment.

Cancellation Policy for Online Registrations:

Cancellations will be refunded by check only. Cancellations made by Jan. 29 will be fully refunded; partial refunds will be given between Jan. 30 - Feb. 1.

Parking for the conference

Free parking is available on Saturday in any single letter lot. Lots B, C, or P are recommended.

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Who should attend this conference?

- We who desire to nurture our relationship with our families, those who are nearby and families all around the world.
- People who want to study some of the issues that assault families at home and around the world.
- Teachers, Directors of Religious Education and parents who wish to guide their families to a deeper appreciation of how we support the human dignity of our neighbors.
- The conference will offer practical ways during this Year of Faith for families to grow in their spirituality and solidarity with families around the world.
- Other breakout sessions will consider the devastating effects of poverty, pornography, the sex industry, human rights violations and immigration on families.

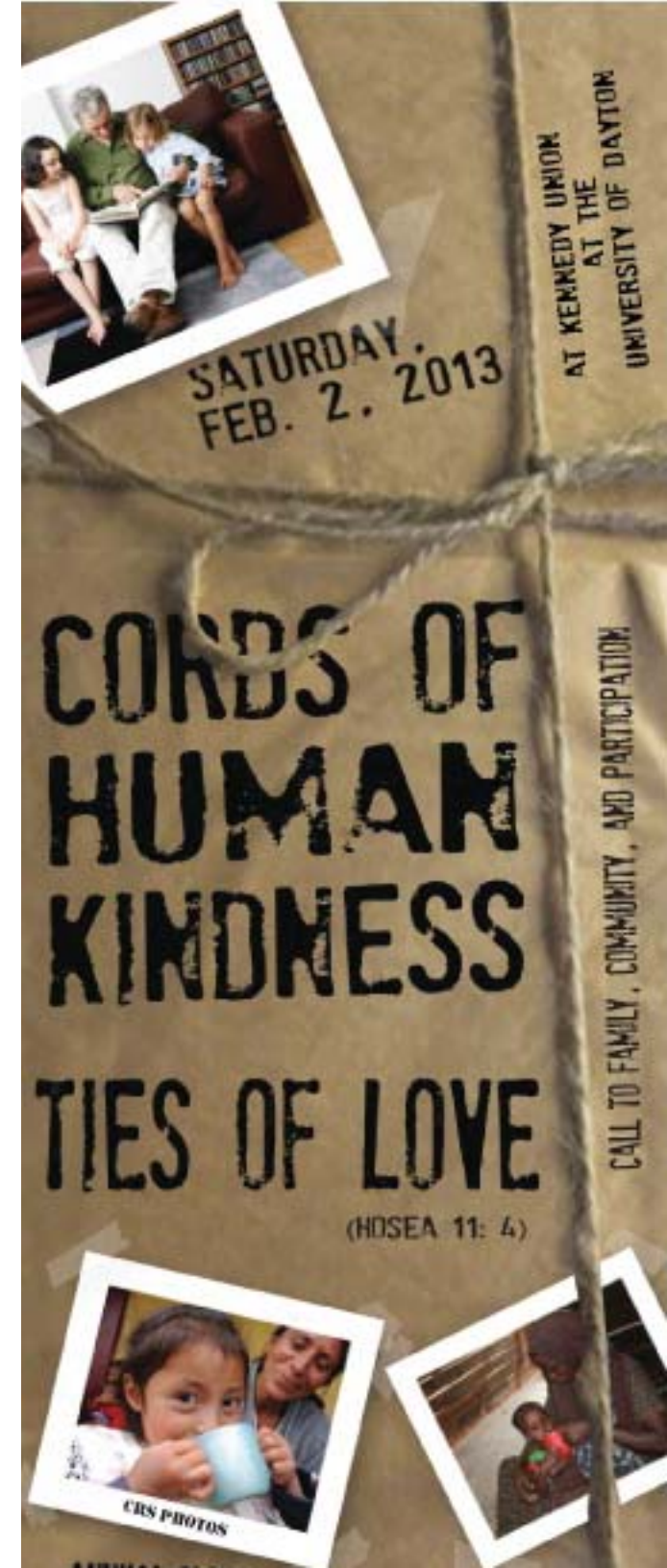
Conference Schedule

8:00	Check-in for Catechetical Certification Participants
8:15	Pre-Conference session for Certification Participants
9:00	Check-in for other Conference Participants and Students Light Breakfast
9:45	Welcome and Opening Prayer
10:00	Keynote Address
11:00	Break
11:15	First Session of Workshops
12:15	Lunch
1:30	Second Session of Workshops
2:30	Break
2:45	Third Sessions of Workshops
3:45	Break
4:00	A Call to Family, Community and Participation for the Future - Immaculate Conception Chapel
4:30	Closing Liturgy

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Our Keynote Speakers

Our keynote speakers, Mary Beth and Adakole Iduh, met when they worked together for Catholic Relief Services (CRS) in Nigeria. Their work helped families in Nigeria lift themselves out of poverty. In their keynote address they will share stories about the human kindness and love they saw among the people of Nigeria and through assistance coming from the US Catholic community. The Iduhs married last summer and now live in Baltimore, Maryland, where Mary Beth serves as the CRS Mid-Atlantic Relationship Manager.

Workshops

Circles® Campaign at work for families: Operating in communities around the country, each Circles® initiative consists of families working to get out of poverty and several middle and upper income Allies who befriend them and lend support. Presenters: Lindsay Ainsworth and Amy Riegel, Think Tank: Dayton Circles, a Catholic Campaign for Human Development funding recipient.

Pornography and the sex trade and the effects on the family:

Our panel of presenters will look at the impact of pornography and the sex industry on individuals, their families and how the Catholic faith calls individuals to a more authentic human development. Presenters: Kim Lukens, a Catholic pastoral counselor practicing in the Cincinnati area; Cheryl Oliver, Executive Director of Oasis House, a CCHD-funded agency, and Mary Beth Iduh of Catholic Relief Services.

Why do families have to split up just to survive?

What poverty and deportation and immigration policies do to families all around the world. Presenter: Dave Scharfenberger, Justice for Immigrants Coordinator, Archdiocesan Catholic Social Action Office; Sister Maria Stacy of the Archdiocesan Hispanic Ministry Office and Jenny and Choco Valdez

Year of Faith activities that can nurture love of neighbor:

Participants will learn practical ways families can grow stronger in their love of local and global neighbors. Presenters: Tony Stieritz, Director of the Archdiocesan Catholic Social Action Office, and Regina Estep, Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley.

Catechetical credit and CEUs

Catechists may obtain credit toward certification from the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis for the course, Justice and Peace, by attending the Conference and completing some additional requirements. If you are interested in obtaining certification credit please contact Pam Long in the Office of Catholic Social Action for more information.

CEUs: Teachers will be given a certificate of completion which can be used for CEUs through the Principal-approved CEU process.

For more information contact the Catholic Social Action Office at 937-224-3026 or csadayton@catholiccincinnati.org

What if a village doesn't want a windmill? How the CRS approach in the field helps families and communities by listening first and letting the community take the lead on what families need to thrive. Presenter: Adakole Iduh, former Logistics and Travel Officer for the Catholic Relief Services/Nigeria Program.

Defending the rights of the whole human family: The spirituality of solidarity: Defending the rights of the poor and the persecuted is more than an obligation of the Catholic faith. Solidarity with the whole human family is a grace. Presenter: Dr. Mark Ensalaco, Director of the University of Dayton's Human Rights Program.

Assisting families in Ethiopia: CRS also aids families in Ethiopia, helping them lift themselves out of poverty and drought conditions. Presenter: CRS Global Fellow.

Registration

Cost of the conference is \$30 (\$10 / student) or \$40 for catechetical certification. Fee includes light breakfast and lunch. Scholarships available.

Payment can be mailed with the registration form below.

Pre-payment required by Jan. 25, 2013.

See next page for online registrations.

Name _____

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Phone _____

E-mail _____

Please identify your first, second, third and fourth choices for the workshops. We will try to place you in your top three choices as long as space permits.

The Circles® Campaign and Defending the rights workshops are required for catechetical certification.

- ___ Circles® Campaign at work for families
- ___ Pornography and the sex trade and the effects on the family
- ___ Why do families have to split up just to survive?
- ___ What if a village doesn't want a windmill?
- ___ Defending the rights of the whole human family: The spirituality of solidarity
- ___ Year of Faith activities that can nurture love of neighbor
- ___ Assisting Families in Ethiopia

Registering as a (circle one)

Conference Participant - \$30

Student Participant - \$10

Catechetical Certification Participant - \$40

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