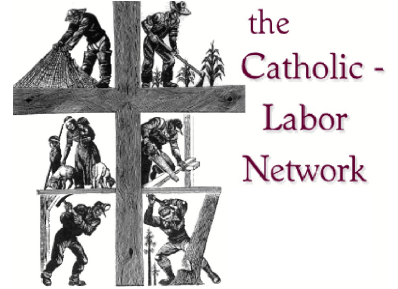


2008 Catholic-Labor Network Gathering

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Meeting date: **February 23, 2008**

THEME: *Building Solidarity Between Men and Women of Good Will*

LOCATION: Mass will be held in Congressional Room B, and the Meeting will take place in Congressional Room A.

Reflect on solidarity as it manifests itself in global solidarity among international union, between churches, religions and ecclesial communities and international Catholic organizations.

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:00 A.M.	Mass for the Feast of St. Polycarp*	Fr. Sinclair Oubre & Deacon Bob Miller
9:00 A.M.	Welcome	Fr. Sinclair Oubre, CLN Coordinator
9:15 A.M.	Panel: Labor & Global Solidarity & Outreach	Representatives from SEIU, Teamsters & USW#
10:20 A.M.	Catholic Scholars for Worker Justice	Mr. Joseph Fahey, Ph.D. - Manhattan College
10:40 A.M.	Break	
11:00 A.M.	Solidarity Across Religious Bounds	Ms. Kim Bobo, Ex. Dir., Interfaith Worker Justice
11:30 A.M.	Christian Solidarity: WMCW & Pax Romana	Paul Edwards (WMCW)
12:30 P.M.	Lunch: Solidarity With Low-Wage Workers	Mr. Eric Jonas, North Carolina Organizer - FLOC
1:45 P.M.	Structuring CLN as Christian Assoc. of Faithful	Oubre, Shellabarger & Edwards
2:15 P.M.	Sharing Happenings, Struggles and News	Members Share Local Activities
3:00 P.M.	Wrap Up & Conclusion	Fr. Sinclair Oubre, CLN Coordinator

***Priests who wish to concelebrate are asked to bring their albs and stoles.**

#Service Employees International Union: Ms. Jessica Champagne, Organizing Coordinator/Global Organizing Partnership
International Brotherhood of Teamsters: Mr. Tim Beaty, Director of Global Strategies
United Steel Workers: Mr. Adam Lee, Campaigner, Global Bargaining & International Affairs Department.