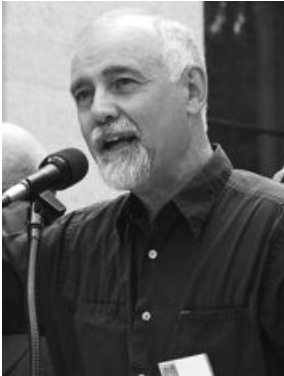


Broken World, Broken Bread, Whole People

This workshop will use the lens of the Eucharist in order to understand the ministry of Jesus and our call to discipleship to heal a broken world. We will explore the metaphor of the Eucharist to help us understand our role in interpreting the world to the Church and organizing to make the world move closer to the blessed community of table fellowship that was at the heart of Jesus' ministry. We will experience how this sacrament, so central to our faith, also claims us to act for covenant justice with the marginalized of the world.

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