

CHRISTIAN FAITHFULNESS AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE A WORKSHOP FOR ENGAGED CHRISTIANS

Jesus came to save us from our false religions that lead to idolatrous behaviors, such as sacrificing the poor and marginalized. In 21st Century North America, a chief false religion is the myth of the “Free Market.” Markets are not free entities created by God. They were created by us to serve us, and not by God for us to serve. Jesus came to show us how to become more fully human, which includes showing us a just economic model. Economic justice can be achieved through market capitalism when we learn to use it as a tool to serve the common good of all people.

Participants in this one-day seminar will explore:

- How unjust economics are rooted in false religion
- That just economics spring from Jesus’ new Way of being human
- How to articulate today’s economic issues from a perspective of Christian faithfulness

This workshop is for anyone looking for a Biblical perspective on economic justice, including:

- Ecumenical/faith-based justice organizations
- Congregations and other faith communities
- Clergy and other religious leaders and educators
- Individuals working for justice

Recent seminar participants had this to say:

“You’ll find yourself stretched & challenged in ways you never imagined...”

“He will open your heart to the gospel in ways you may never have experienced before.”

For more information and to schedule a workshop, email pjn.dsmt@gmail.com



“Paul Nuechterlein has helped me more than anyone else to read the Scriptures in light of Girard’s groundbreaking work. I’d encourage anyone and everyone to seize an opportunity to learn with Paul.” – **Brian McLaren**, author

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