

Rolling the Stone Away Schedule

| Monday, October 30 | Tuesday, October 31 | Wednesday, November 1 | Thursday, November 2 |
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| SET UP & REGISTRATION | 7:00-8:30AM PRECONFERENCE Breakfast Buffet @round tables <i>Informal conversation</i> | 7:00-8:30AM Breakfast Buffet GROUPS COULD HOST A MEAL 7:45-8:30AM <i>Offer three different spiritual exercise/ritual experiences.</i> | 7:00-8:30AM Breakfast Buffet GROUPS COULD HOST A MEAL 7:45-8:30AM <i>Offer three different spiritual exercise/ritual experiences.</i> |
| | 8:45-12:00Noon PRECONFERENCE Session @ round tables <i>Presentation/conversation about preserving records & history.</i> | 8:45-10:15AM SESSION 3 PRESENTATION: Separatists (1960s-70s); founding new groups. | 8:45-10:15AM SESSION 8 PRESENTATION: New Millenials (post-2000); new directions |
| | <i>Meet in program leadership teams to finalize plans for conference program.</i> | 10:30-12:00noon SESSION 4 Six Panel Presentations/Discussions | 10:30-12:00noon SESSION 9 Closing Celebration & Commissioning |
| | 12:00-1:00PM PRECONFERENCE Lunch @ round tables <i>Closing ritual for preconference.</i> | 12:00-1:30PM LUNCH (plated in Pavilion) | Proposed panel topics for Sessions 4 & 5: 1. Tensions between religious & secular activists 2. Role of worship in movements 3. Queer theology 4. Lesbian Feminism 5. Grass Roots Organizing of Welcoming Congregations 6. Early Trans Activism 7. Organizing in Church Communities of Color 8. Engaging the Religious Right 9. Addressing Racism in LGBT Christian Movements 10. Allies/Parents Come Out & Organize 11. Shifting Perspectives on Marriage 12. Sex Drives/Defines Movements |
| | HOTEL RESETS ASSEMBLY HALL | 1:45-3:15PM SESSION 5 Six Panel Presentations/Discussions | |
| | 4:00-5:30PM SESSION 1 Creative Introductions; glimpses of what coming; introducing invited guests; affirming presence of all. | 3:30-5:00PM SESSION 6 PRESENTATION: Assimilationists (1980s-90s); addressing change in existing religious institutions. | |
| 3:00-5:00PM PRECONFERENCE Opening Session @ round tables <i>Welcome & getting acquainted; guided conversation around tables; move around to meet others.</i> | | | |
| 5:30-7:00PM PRECONFERENCE Dinner @ round tables <i>Informal conversation</i> | 5:30-7:30PM DINNER (plated in Pavilion) GROUPS COULD HOST A MEAL | 5:30-7:30PM DINNER (plated in Pavilion) | |
| 7:00-8:30PM PRECONFERENCE Session @ round tables <i>Storytelling; maybe open mic; invite someone else to share story.</i> | 7:30-8:30PM SESSION 2 Ritual of Remembrance—recognizing those who have died as well as other losses over the years. | 7:30-8:30PM SESSION 7 CELEBRATION of gifts of all that we are: lively, fun, interactive gathering. | Two other significant topics but may not need a whole panel session: A. Facing persecution—church trials & defrockings B. Foundations & Agencies Shape Strategies |
| | 9:00PM Evening Receptions by Groups ??Entertainment—music, poetry from invited guests/participants. | 9:00PM Evening Receptions by Groups ??Entertainment—music, poetry from invited guests/participants. | |