## About the Addiction Awareness Workshop

This one-day workshop was developed to provide some helpful tools for professionals, families and others whose lives are connected to individuals with alcohol and/or other drug-related issues.

The program consists of educational sessions formulated to increase awareness of substance-related consequences and effects on others, deepen understanding of addiction as a brain disease, suggest options for help, explain use of the 12 Steps in recovery and strengthen the church's ability to minister to individuals who are experiencing problems caused by substance abuse.

#### Why is it needed?

Substance abuse touches every community. Statistics suggest that 66% of the population uses alcohol and/or other drugs. Of those, 20% experience major life consequences resulting from abuse (e.g. drunk driving, health problems — just two of MANY problems) and 10% develop the disease of alcoholism/addiction. Every person with an addiction affects 4 to 5 other lives.

#### **Program Committee**

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St. Malachi Parish



Addiction Awareness Workshop

Samaritan Ministry Virtual Program

Date: Thursday, October 27, 2022

Time: 9 am - 4 pm

6 CEUs available

**Zoom**Live Only

## Who Should Attend?

Family members of those struggling with addiction

**Addiction Counselors** 

**Social Workers** 

Healthcare & Social Services
Providers

Criminal Justice Workers
Clergy/Lay Ministers
People in Recovery

# What will you learn?

During each session, speakers will discuss relevant topics including:

- Addiction as a brain disease
- Effects of drinking/using on others
- Treatment and assessment tools
- 12 step programs of recovery
- Resources in the community

## Program Schedule

October 27, 2022

The Problem
Jim Joyner, LICDC-CS
Joyner & Associates

The Impact of Addiction on Others
Jim Joyner, LICDC-CS
Joyner & Associates

Addiction as Brain Disease Christina M. Delos Reyes, MD Dept. of Psychiatry University Hospitals/Case Med. Ctr.

Treatment Options: Finding Help Judy Stowe, MA, LICDC-CS Addictions Consultant Retired Cleveland Clinic

Bringing the Twelve Steps to Life!
Jackie Krejcik, MA
Certified Lay Ecclesial Minister

What Part can YOUR Church Play in Addiction and Recovery?
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Samaritan Ministry Registration Form Fall 2022

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Registration Deadline for CEUs: October 20, 2022

Fee: \$20

\*Proceeds go to St. Malachi's Mother Teresa Ministry, which provides crucial aid during times of extreme need (rent; utilities; transportation) to keep Individuals on the verge of homelessness from ending up on the street.