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DR. KEITH A. ALFORD: KEYNOTE SPEAKER FOR SPIRITUAL CARE DAY OCT. 26, 2017 HOSTED BY INTERFAITH WORKS OF CNY AND CROUSE HOSPITAL

Syracuse, NY-InterFaith Works of CNY will hold its Annual Spiritual Care Day on Thursday, Oct. 26, 2017, from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at Crouse Hospital's Marley Education Center, 765 Irving Ave., Syracuse. Dr. Keith A. Alford will present the keynote address, "Hospitality: Cultivating Inclusion".

Keith A. Alford, Ph.D., L.C.S.W, is Associate Professor and Graduate Program Director, at Syracuse University's School of Social Work. His research and teaching areas include child welfare, family mental health, multiculturalism, and culturally specific human service intervention.

Spiritual Care Day will include two workshops. Cultivating Inclusion: Stories from the Edges, in which members of marginalized communities help us identify ways to make health care more inclusive of and responsive to their needs; and Radical Hospitality: The Sanctuary Church in which leaders of All Saints Church explain the process they have used that has led to designating All Saints a Sanctuary Church.

Tickets to Spiritual Care Day are \$30. Registrations can be made here: http://www.interfaithworkscny.org/event/spiritual-care-day-2017/. In addition to the keynote address, the ticket price includes a full breakfast. For more information, call Rev. Gracious Moyo, InterFaith Works' InterFaith Initiatives Director at 315-449-3552 ext. 111 or gmoyo@interfaithworkscny.org.

Interpreters for the Deaf will be provided.

InterFaith Works of CNY, through education, service and dialogue, affirms the dignity of each person and every faith community and works to create relationships and understanding. Founded in 1976, InterFaith Works addresses deeply embedded social divisions leading to community action and policy change. Empowering people in need, including refugees, the elderly and institutionalized, InterFaith Works' service and educational programs include the Center for New Americans, Ahmad and Elizabeth El-Hindi Center for Dialogue, as well as Senior Services and InterFaith Initiatives.

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