

essions and Presentations (arranged alphabetically by presenter)

nts Gospel Choir. Performance

nts Gospel Choir (photo, page 7) brings its joyful harmonies and g rhythms to the CTA Conference for the fifth time. The choir was some years ago when three inner city Milwaukee parishes were o merge. It is one of the few integrated Gospel choirs. Directing the Ariene Skwierawski, a high school music teacher whose leadership l her youth choirs to tour the U.S. and Africa. ASGC performed in 1998. *Sat., 8 PM (11.01)*

Spirit: Afrocentric Spiritual Stories & Songs. *manca.*

Baker and Emily Hooper Lansana (photo, page 6) present ive and uplifting tunes and tales that celebrate the African spirit of and community. Vocalist Baker and storyteller Hooper have been a ance duo for 13 years, first enlivening black history for children in) schools, then expanding to adults in community settings, national nces and universities. Venues have included the Chicago Children's n, DePaul University, National Association of Black Storytellers, polis Black Storytellers' Festival, the Field Museum, and the Whole o. *Sat., 11:45 AM & 8 PM (11.02)*



"Would That All the Lord's People Were Prophets"

Dianne Bergant, CSA, quotes Numbers 11:29. The Bible shows us that God raises up prophets when the community is at a turning point, or should be but fails to recognize it. Are we at a turning point today? If so, to whom do we turn for prophetic insight? Bergant is professor of Old Testament studies at Catholic Theological Union, Chicago. Her

h interests include biblical theology, the integrity of creation, m, liberationist perspectives, and world mission. She contributes eviews to *The Bible Today*, and authored *Israel's Wisdom Literature: ation-Critical Reading* (1997). *Fri., 3:15 PM (2.01) & Sat., 10.01)*



Operation Reclamation: Reception, Collegiality and Subsidiarity

Eugene Bianchi and Charles Curran (left) are among the panelists in this workshop sponsored by (ARCC) Association for the Rights of Catholics in the Church. Moderator is Sidney Callahan. Three revolutionary yet traditional terms in Catholicism are being lost, but need to be reclaimed: reception, collegiality and subsidiarity. The panel will discuss plementing these concepts will affect Catholics' lives and contribute e and justice in the Church. But they are a threat to the present

McChesney. Burke will report on the mission and vision of these oversight bodies and the progress made thus far in their research into the scope and causes of the abuse. Before becoming a judge, Burke helped reform the Cook County (Ill.) juvenile justice system, and improved child protective services statewide as the Governor's Special Counsel for Child Welfare Services. She and her husband, Chicago Alderman Edward Burke, have four children and one grandchild, and are licensed and active foster parents. *Sat., 9 AM (5.01)*



Seven Contemplations of the Sacred Mother

Lalor Cadley and Mary Kingsley of Atlanta lead shared prayer that honors the feminine face of God. At a critical time for church and world, our God language affects the way we

organize society. We pray a new version of the rosary based on Kingsley's book, *The Prayers and Seven Contemplations of the Sacred Mother*, share reflections, and string our own rosary. Cadley is a spiritual director/retreat leader whose masters thesis was on spirituality in midlife. She writes guest columns on faith and values in the Atlanta Journal-Constitution. Kingsley is a spiritual writer with passions for ecology and feminist theology. *Sat. (4.01) & Sun. (12.01), 7:45 AM*



Conscience: The Wellspring of Peace and Prophetic Action

Sidney Callahan believes that conscience inspires the struggle for conversion and reform. Wise discernments ensure serenity and steadfastness during conflict and trial. How does Christian conscience operate? Psychologist and author, Callahan has lectured at over 300 colleges and universities in the U.S. Her columns on theology, ethics and culture have appeared for years in the National Catholic Reporter, Commonweal, and in national syndication. Among her recent books are *In Good Conscience: Reason and Emotion in Moral Decision Making* (1991), and *Parents Forever: You and Your Adult Children* (1995). *Fri., 3:15 PM (2.02) and Sat., 9 AM (5.02)*



Uncovering Community

Daniel Caron leads a prayer session exploring and sharing our connection to the CTA community, which serves as a source of support, inspiration and hope to others. Caron is a former Wheeling OH, Va. Jesuit University administrator and fourth



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corruptible structures. Grace is too charge. Married and mother of four, Living the Good News Publishing and Catholic regional newsletter. Her ter (2003), *God in the Moment*, and *Mid PM (2.03) and Sat., 2:30 PM (9.05)*



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Silence: Denial and the Crisis in the and retreatmaster for sisters, priests religious studies at John Carroll Univ



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Donald Cooney (left) are co-by FutureCh priesthood h *The Change* shows why l priesthood a

strategies for addressing the worldw concerned activists and learn about r for an inclusive priesthood in your f FutureChurch, based in Cleveland. S



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