

# CELEBRATING TOGETHER: EXPLORING THE PSALMS IN OUR TWO TRADITIONS

# Friday, November 10, 2023

#### TWO WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

#### **In-Person Conference at LMU**

Featherston Life Sciences Auditorium

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.

Program begins at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 3:00 p.m.

Continental breakfast available during registration. Beverages available all day. Box lunch included with registration.

## **Virtual Conference**

Webinar details will be provided via email upon registration.

Webinar waiting room opens at 8:45 a.m.

Program: 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Dialogue groups via Zoom link 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### **CONFERENCE SPEAKERS**



Rabbi and Cantor Eva Robbins Congregation N'vay Shalom Los Angeles



Alice Camille, M.Div.
Catholic writer and Retreat leader
Las Cruces, NM

To register, return the form below or visit www.catholicjewishwomenla.org

For more info: Diane Levine at (818) 257-4330 or levinedp@gmail.com or Julie Heath Elliott at (310) 309-7372 or jheathelliott@yahoo.com

PLEASE RETURN TEAR-OFF TO: CJWC c/o D	D. Levine, 8710 Independence Ave, #	‡ 103, Canoga Park, CA 91304
I plan to attend the November 10 <sup>th</sup> Conference: ☐ in per Enclosed is a check payable to CJWC in the amount of registrations and virtual registrations.  (Please list full name, faith tradition, and email address for each general place indicate your own faith tradition: ☐ Catholic ☐ I am participating in the Conference for the first time ☐ I cannot attend the Conference this year. I am enclosi	\$forin-person  guest registrant on reverse side.)  Jewish □ Other	Conference Fee: (tax deductible) \$50: in-person • \$20: virtual Need-based scholarships are available: Contact Doris at (310) 440-9580. Students: Free with valid student I.D. REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3
Each part of the virtual conference is vital — please plan to partic	cipate in the entire program.	
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EMAIL RESPONSE REQUIRED		
SCHOOL (if a student)	ALT. PHONE	
BOX LUNCH (choose one): ☐ Chicken wrap ☐ Veggie w	vrap 🗆 Portobello Caesar Salad	

□ I need handicapped parking
□ I need parking (parking fee included/carpools encouraged)

#### Rabbi and Cantor Eva Robbins

Rabbi and Cantor Eva Robbins is a graduate of the Academy for Jewish Religion, California (a "transdenominational" seminary), both as cantor (2004) and rabbi (2015), and is now on the AJRCA faculty. She is co-rabbi and co-founder, with her husband, Rabbi Stephen Robbins, of Congregation N'vay Shalom, Oasis of Peace, one of the first independent synagogues in Los Angeles. Rabbi Eva is also a Jewish fabric ceremonial artist with works in homes, synagogues, and two Jewish museums. She is a commentator for the Jewish Journal of Los Angeles, and also a teacher of Jewish Meditation. Rabbi Eva is the author of Spiritual Surgery: A Journey of Healing Mind, Body, and Spirit, and is also completing a spiritual memoir, Alchemy of the Darkness, Transformation of Soul. She is a member of the Cantors Assembly and the AJRCAA and on the Board of Directors of the Sandra Caplan "Transdenominational" Beit Din.

#### Alice Camille, M. Div.

Alice Camille is a lay Catholic writer, educator and retreat leader. She received the Master of Divinity degree from the Franciscan School of Theology at the Berkeley GTU, where she also taught ministry formation and preaching. Alice has worked in parishes and campus ministry across the nation and is active in ecumenical and interfaith settings. Alice has authored over 20 books on Scripture, prayer and the saints, including Isaiah and the Kingdom of Peace and A Little Book of Light. She writes the monthly "Testaments" column for US Catholic, and is a regular essayist for Living With Christ and Give Us This Day. Alice has earned many awards from groups such as the Association of Catholic Publishers and the Religion Communicators Council. She collaborates on the online homily service "Prepare the Word," and has contributed to publications such as Catholic Update, GIA Quarterly, and St. Anthony Messenger. Alice currently works full-time as a writer and retreat leader from her home in Las Cruces, New Mexico. See www.alicecamille.com.

For three millennia, the Psalms have been chanted, treasured and savored, first by the prophets and shepherds of Israel, then echoed by generations of Christians in every land and tongue. The 150 song-poems (in Hebrew, the "Book of Praises") have been deemed the "school of prayer" by both our traditions, the backbone for daily communal ritual as well as private contemplation. They reflect the full range of human emotions — rejoicing and despair, thanksgiving and anger, grief and restored hope. And they reveal a God forever attentive to our bold cries and worthy of our superlative praise. Together we will delve into how and why these ancient poetic texts can still seep into our bones, and give powerful voice to our own hopes and longings, in daring dialogue with God who is ever near.

**For driving directions** to LMU's Featherston Life Sciences Auditorium (1945 Ignatian Cir, Los Angeles, CA 90045) and parking information, or to learn more about access to the online conference, please visit www.catholicjewishwomenla.org.



The Catholic-Jewish Women's Conference, founded in 1977, exists to foster mutual understanding and fellowship between women of our two vital faith traditions. Our annual conference, featuring noted Catholic and Jewish speakers as well as participant discussion, is open to all women interested in interfaith dialogue.

#### Guest Registrants Please list full name, faith tradition, and email address for each guest below.

Guest 1:	BOX LUNCH (choose one): ☐ Chicken wrap	□ Veggie Wrap	☐ Portobello Caesar salad	
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Guest 2	BOX LUNCH (choose one): ☐ Chicken wrap	□ Veggie Wrap	☐ Portobello Caesar salad	
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Guest 3	BOX LUNCH (choose one):   Chicken wrap	☐ Veggie Wrap	☐ Portobello Caesar salad	
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