

# Good Samaritan Partnership Gathering

St Scholastica's College

4 Avenue Rd, Glebe NSW 2037

1 - 3 October 2016



Partnership: Stewarding the charism into the future

It's love that impels us. RB 5:10



## Theology and Spirituality of Partnership

*Elaine Wainwright rsm*

Elaine Wainwright is the Executive Leader, Mission and Ministry in the Institute of the Sisters of Mercy of Australia and Papua New Guinea. She is a New Testament scholar who is committed to bringing the gospel narrative into dialogue with contemporary issues, most particularly the ecological. She is currently the leader of the Mercy International Reflection Process, a project of Mercy International Association which seeks to hear the Cry of the Earth and the Cry of the Poor in this Jubilee Year of Mercy. Elaine's last appointment, before returning to Sydney this year, was Head of the School of Theology at the University of Auckland.

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- The Gathering commences
- Saturday, 1 October and concludes
- Monday, 3 October.
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- Workshop options will be distributed
- in late August.
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## Good Samaritan Partnership: Living the Rule of St Benedict

*Marie Milne*  
*Good Samaritan Oblate*

Marie Milne's search for an authentic spirituality began in childhood. It continued into adulthood and did not leave her as she began life as a wife and mother. It led her to many new beginnings - from embracing the Catholic faith, to significant involvement in a variety of parish ministries and to a mature-age choice to pursue a career in Catholic Education - all of which enabled her to continue her passion for ongoing faith-formation and to meet fellow seekers, spiritual companions and mentors. Her varied experience with the Good Samaritan Sisters and their ministries led her to become a Good Samaritan Oblate. This brought both a sense of homecoming and another new beginning, facilitating further avenues to expand her interests in spirituality, justice and contemporary issues through the lens of faith.

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- Registration for sessional attendance
- will be accepted.
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- Please refer to the Registration Form
- for further information
- or contact Tricia on
- [gsofficesqld@goodsams.org.au](mailto:gsofficesqld@goodsams.org.au)
- or 07 3267 3662
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- Early registrations appreciated.
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The 2016 triennial Good Samaritan Partnership Gathering is an opportunity for you to gather with Good Samaritan Sisters, oblates and associates, partners in ministry and staff from schools in the Good Samaritan tradition and friends from around Australia and the Pacific to deepen your understand and experience of partnership in the Good Samaritan Benedictine tradition.

During the gathering you will be invited to participate in keynote addresses, personal reflection, table conversations, plenary discussion and small group workshops as together we explore Partnership from a theological, spiritual, Good Samaritan Benedictine perspective.

The days will engage you in a rhythm of prayer, hospitality and community in the Good Samaritan tradition.

**REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 31 AUGUST 2016**