

NEWS

Letter from Eveline Crotty RSM Re Professor Denis Edwards Memorial Fund in Eco-Theology

Further to the notice in the CRA Bulletin Board 3 March, here is a letter from Eveline Crotty RSM (ISMAPNG) outlining the proposed Memorial Fund. ISMAPNG and ACU are inviting Congregations and Institutes to make a contribution towards this significant endeavour either through a one-off contribution or proportional amounts over the next five years.

After the conclusion of the first five years, ACU will fund the position in perpetuity. The Memorial Fund will carry on Denis' legacy by enabling high quality research, learning and teaching at ACU which will contribute to an informed discourse on the theological and spiritual relationships with our common home. [Please download the letter and expression of interest form.](#)

Interfaith Roundtable on Nuclear Disarmament

On 24 February 2020, around 25 leaders from different faith groups met in Sydney to receive a briefing on how faith-based organisations can work together to support the Nuclear Ban Treaty in Australia.

Faith leaders from various Christian denominations together with Buddhist, Quaker, Jewish, Salvation Army leaders attended, including Anne Walker from Catholic Religious Australia, Trish Madigan OP on behalf of Dominican Social Justice Group and Claude Mostowik MSC for Pax Christi. The group calls on our government and all governments of the world to sign on to the prohibition of nuclear weapons. [Read more here.](#)

ACRATH

Please support ACRATH in a letter-writing campaign to recover unpaid wages for seasonal workers who have become victims of labour exploitation on Australian Farms. [Click here to find out how.](#)

Click here to download [ACRATH's Annual Report 2020](#).

RETREATS

Laudato Si' Pilgrimage & Praxis 2020

- Date: Friday 13 to Sunday 15 March
- Venue: St Clement's Retreat and Conference Centre
- Address: Kalangan Road, Galong NSW 2585
- Fee: \$380 (includes room, all meals, bus to farm) [Download more information.](#)
- RSVP: Sue Rolfe by phone: 6380 5222.

Mount Schoenstatt Spirituality Centre

Address: 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa NSW 2745 | Ph: 02 4773 8338 | Email: info@schoenstatt.org.au
www.schoenstatt.org.au. Please [download the brochure](#) for more information.

Other [retreat centres are listed on the CRA website](#) state by state.

IMPORTANT DATES/EVENTS

CRA EVENTS COMING UP

[CRA National Health & Well-being Seminar Day for Younger Religious](#)

Saturday, March 14, 2020

North's Leagues Club, Sydney ([map](#))

[CRA Victorian Networking Meeting](#)

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

Yarra Theological College, Melbourne ([map](#))

[CRA National Justice Seminar Day](#)

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

Treacy Centre, Melbourne ([map](#))

[CRA National Health & Well-being Seminar Day](#)

Wednesday, April 22, 2020

Mercy Place, Brisbane ([map](#))

[CRA National Seminar Day on Finance and Health & Well-being](#)

Thursday, April 30, 2020

St Catherine's House of Hospitality, Perth ([map](#))

[CRA National Health & Well-being Seminar Day for Younger Religious](#)

Saturday, May 2, 2020

St Catherine's House of Hospitality, Perth ([map](#))

[CRA National Stewardship Seminar Day](#)

Wednesday, May 6, 2020

Treacy Centre, Melbourne ([map](#))

[CRA National Personal and Professional Development Day for Administrators](#)

Tuesday, May 19, 2020

Harbourview Hotel, North Sydney ([map](#))