



**DOROTHY DAY
TAMPA**

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Vision

“Make the kind of society where it is easier to be good.” – Peter Maurin

Mission

Recruit and train volunteers in the Catholic Worker tradition, which recognizes the dignity of each person, provides relief, hospitality and housing assistance to homeless men and women in the Tampa area.

Core Values

“The Sermon on the Mount is our Christian manifesto” – Dorothy Day

Ministry Overview

www.catholicworker.org

THEOLOGY THURSDAY - ST. LEO UNIVERSITY

In March, we took Dorothy Day Tampa on the road. Four Dorothy Day Tampa leaders joined 35 students on the rural Dade City, FL campus for 5 PM Mass, followed by dinner and discussion – *Who is Servant of God, Dorothy Day?*

What did we hope to achieve with our presentation to St. Leo U students and faculty? Introduce Dorothy Day - someone they could relate to and identify with.

- A hot mess who not only read but lived the classics.
- Put her life together through surrender.
- Responded to a higher calling, something greater than herself.
- Had a spiritual hunger, not initially satisfied but was eventually.
- Achieved a sense of security that many of the students lack.
- Provided a transcendent framework for their faith.

Our presenters: Dorothy Day Development Board of Directors:

- Dr. Steve Krist, DDS – Love INC DDS Ministry with 14 dentists
- Jim Souza, Esq. - Defense Attorney – Legal Services
- Tim Eves, Esq. – homeless bike ministry
- Michael Doyle – co-founder, Dorothy Day Tampa

Challenge to students - As you leave tonight, what action will you take, based on what you heard and witnessed? How are you being summoned? What are your circumstances calling you to do, today?

**"SERVANT OF GOD DOROTHY DAY -
COMFORT THE AFFLICTED, AFFLCT THE
COMFORTABLE."**

**Theology
THURSDAY**
with Michael Doyle

MARCH 23 FREE PIZZA

TECO HALL / @6PM

Leaders of Dorothy Day Tampa will join us for a lively, interactive, challenging, discussion of what radical hospitality looks like in serving those living on the margins of Dade City, Tampa, and worldwide.



A Dorothy Day QR code helps our Tampa homeless neighbors access highest demand community resources. <https://www.dorothydaytampa.org/resources>

We ordered 5,000 more cards to meet the increasing demand. This represents a 'transfer of power' – vital resource information is now in the hands and phones of both the resources consumer, the people who need it the most, and their support network.



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PARTNER MINISTRY PROFILE: CUP (COFFEE UNITING PEOPLE)

Our Mission - CUP will provide secure and successful jobs for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities in an inclusive workplace. We will open our first non-profit coffee house in South Tampa in early 2023. CUP is about inclusion, acceptance, and opportunity for people of all abilities.

Vendor: CUP (Coffee Uniting People)

Addresses: 802 E. Whiting Tampa, FL 33602

3408 Dale Mabry Hwy Tampa FL 33629 - May 2023

Hours: Monday – Friday 7 AM TO 3 PM

Food selection: Coffee and muffins

Service options: Dine-in, Curbside pickup

Breadcoin start date: Mid—April 2023

Greg Jones – greg@coffeeunitingpeople.org

Stephanie Williams – stephanie@coffeeunitingpeople.org

Tampa's first INCLUSIVE coffee house that employs and empowers individuals of all abilities, including intellectual and developmental disabilities is now open at 802 E. Whiting Street, Tampa, FL, 33602. Come by and see us Monday through Friday from 7am to 3pm.



For more information, contact:

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DOROTHY DAY TAMPA - MISSING RESOURCES:

Ministry opening location - centrally located storefront, building, 3+ bedroom home, unused church building, vacant lot, distressed property of any kind to be rehabbed by Dorothy Day Tampa volunteers. In His name we pray.

Volunteers (six) - interested in helping staff serve HPUM Open Arms Sunday guests – flex scheduling.

10 study group participants - forming 7/5/2023 six-week virtual study group. \$150 to purchase ten study books

Donations - for phase 2 media services and website updates - \$5,000 or more.

Prayer support - His perfect will for Dorothy Day Tampa be done.



SUPPORT US!