HONORING THE CRITICAL CONCERNS OF THE SISTERS OF MERCY



# **MERCY WEEK 2023**

An opportunity to engage with and reflect on the Critical Concern of Earth with a focus on water

# KEYNOTE



THURSDAY, 9/21 4:30PM | ALFOND HALL

WATER, TRIBAL HISTORY, & TRIBAL SOVEREIGNTY

John Bear Mitchell, member of the Penobscot Nation, lecturer of Wabanaki Studies & Multicultural Studies at the University of Maine, Orono, and Wabanaki storyteller

## VIRTUAL PRESENTATIONS

#### MONDAY, 9/18 | 12:30PM

# WATER AND CLIMATE RESILIENCE IN MAINE

**Brian Ambrette,** Senior Climate Resilience Coordinator

#### WEDNESDAY, 9/20 | 12:30PM

## THE ROLE OF FAITH COMMUNITIES IN PROTECTING WATER

Rev. Nancy Wright, Pastor for Creation Care

**Kayla Jacobs**, Program Manager for Youth Mobilization at the Catholic Climate Covenant

## THURSDAY, 9/21 | 12:30PM WHAT IS WATER POVERTY?

## **MEET THE ORGANIZATIONS**

### 11AM-1PM | PEARSON'S CAFE

## WAVES OF CHANGE:

#### Meet local orgs protecting the waters

#### MONDAY

- FRIENDS OF SEBAGO LAKE
- LAKES ENVIRONMENTAL ASSOCIATION

### TUESDAY

- ECOREPS
- SJC FREIGHT FARM

#### WEDNESDAY

- LITTLE SEBAGO LAKE ASSOCIATION
- FRIENDS OF CASCO BAY

### THURSDAY

CASCO BAY ESTUARY PARTNERSHIP

**Roger Colton**, Economist & expert on water affordability

Ryan Gordon, Hydrologist

## FRIDAY, 9/22 | 12:30PM WATER ACCESS FROM A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

**Tom Hollywood,** Deputy Chief of Party, at Catholic Relief Services

Sister Dale Jarvis, R.S.M.

FRIDAYFRIENDS OF THE PRESUMPSCOT RIVER

## **MERCY EXPERIENCE**

## WEDNESDAY, 9/20 | 6PM SEBAGO SUNSET KAYAK

Sign up in the Student Life Office



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