

## *Saints, Sisters and Prophets*

*The women of the west side of Chicago & Chicago's near-west suburbs are invited to gather this fall for reflection & conversation.*

Shelby Boblick will facilitate the discussion, and we'll use as a catalyst written and painted portraits from 3 different books: Sisters and Prophets by Mary Lou Sleeve, A Passion for Life by Joan Chittister with Robert Lentz, and chasing the saints by Donna Pucciani.

*These "intensely personal stories remind us that these women are related to us; they are family; they are our own. They are also gifted, visionary. Through them we learn something about ourselves and God. The reflections leave doors wide open for personal involvement and response."*

Shelby will supply the materials each week. *No need to prepare in advance.* We'll focus on a different woman each week. It matters *not at all* if you miss a week or several weeks. You are most welcome to join us when your schedule permits.

We'll offer *duplicate* sessions each Monday: one at 1 p.m. and another at 7:30 p.m. Please join us at whichever time suits your life. No need to come at the same time each Monday.

We'll meet in the gathering space of St. Catherine-St. Lucy Church. The Church is accessible by ramp, and assistive listening devices are available.

Sept. 11: St. Clare of Assisi: Holy Madness

Sept. 25: The Seeker: Your own lost coin?

Oct. 2: Joan of Arc: A Voice of Conscience **Note:** The author Donna Pucciani of chasing the saints will join us for the Oct. 2 sessions!

Oct. 9: Anna: Whose whole life said "Hello!" to God

Oct. 16: Kateri Tekakwitha: Icon of Otherness

Oct. 23: Woman of Faith and Blood: Where fringe had such benefits!

Nov. 6: Teresa of Avila: Face of Fire

Nov. 13: Four Daughters and Their Mother: Whose Future is Unscripted

**PLEASE JOIN US! QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS...**

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