

## ***What is the Samaritan Ministry?***

The purpose of this training is to provide individuals with the tools to help substance abusers and their families who are experiencing problems in their lives due to alcohol and/or other drug use-related issues.

The program consists of educational sessions, which will increase participants' awareness of the possible consequences associated with alcohol and other drug use, deepen understanding of the brain disease of alcohol and other drug addiction, and strengthen the church's ability to minister to individuals who are experiencing problems related to the use of alcohol and other drugs.

### ***Why is it needed?***

Substance abuse touches every community. Statistics suggest that 66% of the population uses alcohol and/or other drugs. Of those, 20% experience major life consequences resulting from abuse (e.g. drunk driving, health problems — just two of MANY problems) and 10% develop the disease of alcoholism/addiction. Every alcoholic/addict affects 4 to 5 other lives.

## **Program Committee**

**Jim Joyner, LICDC-CS**

**Jackie Krejcik, MA**

**Judy Stowe, MA, LICDC-CS, Chairperson**

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**6 CEU's available through  
the Alcohol, Drug Addiction  
& Mental Health Services  
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***Addiction  
Awareness  
Workshop***

***Samaritan Ministry  
Virtual Program***

**Date:  
Saturday  
October 23,  
2021**

**Time:  
9 am – 4 pm**

**6 CEU'S  
available**

**Zoom  
Live Only**

## Who Should Attend?

Addiction Professionals

Clergy

Lay Pastoral Ministers

Religious

Spiritual Directors

Family

Parish & Community Members

People in Recovery

## What will you learn?

During each FREE session, speakers will discuss relevant topics including:

- Addiction as a brain disease
- Effects of drinking/using on others
- Treatment and assessment tools
- 12 step programs of recovery
- Resources in the community

## Program Schedule

October 23, 2021

### The Problem

#### The Impact of Addiction on Others

Jim Joyner, LICDC-CS

*Joyner & Associates*

### Addiction as Brain Disease

Christina M. Delos Reyes, MD

*Dept. of Psychiatry*

*University Hospitals/Case Med. Ctr.*

### Treatment Options: Finding Help

Judy Stowe, MA, LICDC-CS

*Addictions Consultant Retired*

*Cleveland Clinic*

### Bringing the Twelve Steps to Life!

Jackie Krejčík, MA

*Certified Lay Ecclesial Minister*

### What Part can YOUR Church Play in Addiction and Recovery?

Jackie Krejčík, MA

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*Samaritan Ministry  
Registration Form  
Fall 2021*

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**Register online:**  
[www.stmalachi.org/  
samaritan-ministry-  
2021](http://www.stmalachi.org/samaritan-ministry-2021)

**Deadline for CEU's: 10/20/21**

There is no charge for this program,  
but donations are always welcome at:  
[www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net)  
(scroll to *Samaritan Ministry*)

*"I found the program to be extremely educational,  
inspirational and transformational in regards to  
addiction in our world.." Certified Pastoral Minister  
of the Diocese of Cleveland.  
Ellen Barber*