

Manitou Intentional Learning Community Presents A Seminar for Ministry Personnel

LIVING WELL, DYING WELL: BEFORE THE CRISIS

In a culture that both “doesn’t do death” (eg. no service, visitation), yet claims the right to choose death (Medical Assistance in Dying) how do Ministry Personnel help people of faith navigate the complexity of choices as we confront End of Life issues? How can we enable helpful conversations?

This is the first of two events * designed to help Ministry Personnel support individuals and families as they plan for End-of-Life decisions.

We will examine: How our faith inform our views of life and death.

How changes in our culture impact those views.

The spiritual and psychological impact of a culture that “doesn’t do death”, and how we challenge that trend.

How Ministry Personnel can effectively and faithfully walk with people through the many changes and choices End of Life issues present.

February 22, 2018,

10:00 am to 2:30 P.M.

St Peter’s United Church, 203 York St., Sudbury

Leader: Rev. Kathy Dahmer

Cost: 10:00 (includes light lunch and snacks)

Please rsvp by February 20th to gillian.schell@sympatico.ca

*(In Part 2, date TBA, we will explore issues of Dignity in Dying, the Many Faces of Grief, and the pastoral response to MAID.)

