



INTERFAITH FEDERATION OF GREATER BATON ROUGE

What is the Interfaith Federation of Greater Baton Rouge?

Our mission is to cultivate interfaith understanding and cooperation to reduce human suffering in Greater Baton Rouge.

The Interfaith Federation of Greater Baton Rouge was founded in 1986 under the name *The Greater Baton Rouge Federation of Churches and Synagogues*. For over 28 years, the Interfaith Federation has built relationships among people of diverse religious, socio-economic and racial backgrounds, breaking down barriers of misunderstanding through dialogue, education, prayer, shared meals, and particularly through service to our community.

What does the Federation do?

Holy Grill – Monday through Thursday, hot, nutritious lunches are prepared at the Interfaith Federation office by Tonia Causey, transported to Cadillac St. Park, and served by volunteers from 20 faith communities. Tonia has served as the Holy Grill cook and coordinator for 23 years! Her red beans and rice are famous!

Interfaith Caregivers – Volunteers transport elderly to medical appointments and pharmacies as well as providing a listening ear.

Interfaith Dialogues – The Interfaith Federation has a long history of gathering people together for dialogues and shared meals. Topics, speakers, and locations vary.

Interfaith Pilgrimages and Classes – People learn more about their neighbor's faith through short and long-term classes. Pilgrimages to local interfaith sites (mosque, church, synagogue, or temple) have grown in popularity.

Poverty Forum – The Poverty Forum is an example of the way the Interfaith Federation identifies local needs, highlights successful practices in the local community, and mobilizes people to make a difference.

Annual Community Prayer Breakfast – The Prayer Breakfast gathers people from throughout the community for prayer and as a reminder of our shared vision for peace.

Sounds of CommUNITY Concert – Begun in 1991, this joy-filled interfaith concert features local choirs, ensembles, dancers, and instrumentalists from diverse local faith traditions.

Contributions

The Federation welcomes your volunteer and financial support. We are a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization. Your gift is tax deductible.

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