

The International Council on Pastoral Care and Counselling **ICPCC**

is an organization of women and men desiring to respond to current needs and situations faced by people and communities in the world through pastoral care and counselling. ICPCC exists for education and empowerment of persons and groups in the practice of pastoral care and counselling.

ICPCC's mission is

- To promote the reflective practice of pastoral care and counselling throughout the world.
- To inform, educate and inspire practitioners of pastoral care and counselling in various contexts in the world.
- To enable practitioners of pastoral care and counselling to be resources for one another and to learn from each other's cultures, traditions and practices.
- To support and advocate for the unique and essential dimension of spirituality in the teaching and practice of pastoral care and counselling.
- To develop relevant theories in the field of pastoral care and counselling and to this end to engage in interdisciplinary discourse.
- To organize and assist in the organizing of conferences, consultations and meetings in various areas of the world.
- To support the development of counselling centres and organizations for pastoral care and counselling in various parts of the world.
- To increase interaction with other care and counselling organisations

Themes / agenda of the days:

- Sunday 21st:** Registration and POWHIRI (Ritual of Welcome)
- Monday 22nd:** Te Taha Tinana - "Human embodiment": the *physical* dimension in healing, pastoral care and counselling
- Tuesday 23rd:** Te Taha Wairua - "Human ensoulment"(soul/spirit): the *spiritual* dimension in healing, pastoral care and counselling
- Wednesday 24th:** Te Taha Hinengaro - "Human behavior": the *experience* dimension in healing, pastoral care and counselling
- Thursday 25th:** Te Taha Whanau: the social, relational and ecological net work/environment: the *systemic* dimension in healing, pastoral care and counselling
- Friday 26th:** Thematic wrap up and closing ceremony
- Saturday 27th:** departure of participants / Business meetings

The Congress will set these focuses

- The importance and meaning of RITUALS in our professional work
- Rituals and the wholeness of life – a basis and a framework for our counselling practice
- What manifold resources of counselling can be found in various cultures, religions and faith-groups?
- How can the participants build up and support networks of caring and counselling throughout the globe?
- How can this start here and now – in a deeply joint effort with the hosting Maori community
- And additionally there will be the opportunity to learn more about Aotearoa.

Outstanding **speakers and presenters** will inform us about their work in lectures, workshops and groups. There will be many opportunities for exchange and dialogue in formal and informal settings.

There will be chances to deeply immerse into the culture of our hosts, Maori people.

REGISTRATION

- **deadline Jan 10, 2011** -

- hereby I register for the ICPCC Congress 2011 in Rotorua / NZ
 - 3-bed room: 800.00 \$NZ
 - double room: 817.50 \$NZ
 - single room: 1085.00 \$NZ
- (costs per person, including fee, accommodation, food and excursions)

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..... Telephone Fax e-mail

..... Date Signature

REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED ONLY AFTER THE TRANSFER OF THE DUES.

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Dr. H. Papuni, Convenor

**Tena koutou te whanau o ICPCC!
Greetings to our ICPCC family!**

Thank you all for your kind words and prayers on the loss of our beloved Reverend Canon Jim Biddle, the 2007 elected convenor for this congress.

He held you, the global family of ICPCC and your ministry as pastoral care workers and counsellors, deeply in his heart and we are committed to seeing to fruition his dream of hosting you here in Rotorua in 2011.

Jim would have shared with you our Maori saying:

He aha te mea nui o te ao? He tangata, he tangata, he tangata. What is the most important thing in the world? It is people, people, people.

As the indigenous peoples of Aotearoa/New Zealand, we Maori have encapsulated this saying in our approach to pastoral care and counselling.

We invite you to share our concept of Hauora (Maori Health and Well-being) through an exploration of “Rituals of Encounters in Healing: Pastoral Care and Counselling”!

We chose this theme based on the model (see logo; by Durie, 1984) of a traditional Maori meeting house and the rituals of encounter we use there to welcome guests into the whare/house. The model demonstrates health and well-being as a four-dimensional holistic and spiritual treasure to be acknowledged and nurtured. Fundamental to Maori health is the health of our land and our relationship to our land is how we identify ourselves.

Our traditional welcome signifies to both host and guest that the encounter ritual we engage in is a sacred exchange of both self and soul. Without these rituals of encounters, the acknowledgement of the twin treasures of life and soul that each of us holds within ourselves cannot safely be shared with others in a healing relationship.

Rotorua, Oct 2009

The Venue



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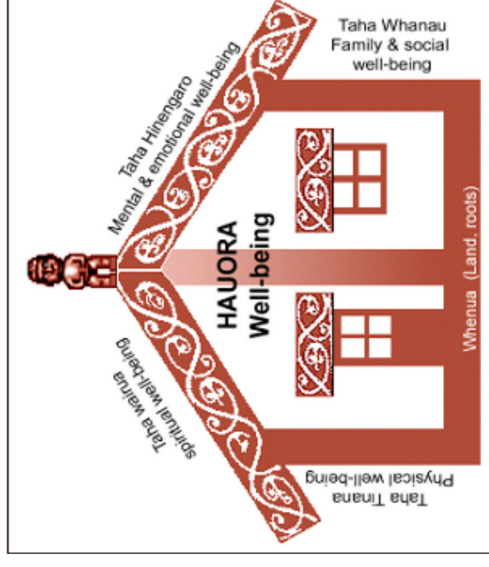
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