Poor People's Campaign

A NATIONAL CALL for MORAL REVIVAL

PASSING THE TORCH:
Carrying on the work
of the 1969
Charleston Strike
and building a new
Poor People's Campaign

Saturday, March 23, 2019

Charity Missionary Baptist Church 1544 E Montague Ave. North Charleston, SC 29405

10:00 am C

Commemoration program

featuring strike veterans

12:00 pm

Lunch*

1:00 pm

Organizing workshops*

*If you plan to attend the lunch and organizing workshop, please register at http://bit.ly/OrganizeSC2019. All parts of the day are free and open to everyone.



The Rev. Dr. William J. Barber, II

National Co-Chair, Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival

President, Repairers of the Breach



Rev. Dr. Liz Theoharis

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Co-Director, Kairos Center

Sponsored by Health Care Workers United, Charleston Alliance for Fair Employment, and the SC Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival Join co-chairs of the Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival Rev. Dr. William Barber, II and Rev. Dr. Liz Theoharis for a program honoring the women of the 1969 Charleston hospital workers strike, a bold fusion of labor power and civil rights protest that transformed Charleston, South Carolina, and the nation.

Until her passing in April 2015, strike leader Mary Moultrie was insistent that the best way to commemorate the strike was by paying workers a living wage and protecting their rights on the job.

On March 23rd we not only honor those who went on strike in 1969 and their contribution to the civil and labor rights movements, but we also gather to bring our skills, ideas, and energy together to continue the critical work of organizing in our workplaces and communities and build a statewide Poor People's Campaign.





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