

Calling All Metro DC PFLAG Chapter Members!

Please Join Us!

PFLAG National Board of Directors, Regional Directors and National Staff invite you to:

THE 2005 PFLAG NATIONAL ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, October 23, 2005

3:30 pm – 6:00 pm

Cedar Lane Unitarian Universalist Church
9601 Cedar Lane, Bethesda, Maryland 20814-4099
(just outside of Washington, D.C.)

Go to www.cedarlane.org for directions. There is plenty of free parking at Cedar Lane.

The event will begin with a dessert reception and an opportunity to network with our national leadership as well as hear reports from National President Samuel Thoron, Executive Director Jody Huckaby, National Board Treasurer Jim Carroll and Regional Directors' Council Chair Sandy Brown. You will also have an opportunity to consider and **vote on proposed bylaws**.

In addition to the reception and meeting, PFLAG National's Board of Directors is hosting a **dynamic panel presentation and discussion about "reparative therapy."** The recent decisions by the **Montgomery County School Board regarding their health education curriculum's inclusion of GLBT issues will also be discussed** from the perspective of its national significance. PFLAG National staff have been working with the Metro DC PFLAG chapter members on this precedent-setting situation. Renowned "reparative therapy" expert and psychiatrist, **Dr. Jack Drescher**, has confirmed his participation on the panel as has **David Fishback**, former Chair of the Board of Education/Montgomery County Public Schools Advisory Committee on Family Life and Human Sexuality. As well, we will have featured guests who will be able to share with us their journey as "ex-gay" program survivors.

If you are planning to attend, please RSVP to Cassi Holder at the PFLAG National office at 202-467-8180 extension 234. We hope to see you there!



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