



Speaking the silence

AMSSA CONFERENCE

SYDNEY NEW SOUTH WALES
MONTE SANT' ANGELO MERCY COLLEGE

8 - 10 AUGUST 2019

The conference brings together women and men engaged in Mercy secondary education across Australia, New Zealand and Oceania, who are keen to speak the silence, share their Mercy experiences, participate in professional development and celebrate all things Mercy.

Hear from Keynote Speakers:

- ❖ Angela Reed rsm, MIA Global Action Coordinator, United Nations
- ❖ Mary McAleese, Former President of Ireland (eKeynote)
- ❖ Phil Glendenning AM, Director, Edmund Rice Centre

We presently live in an unprecedented time of disquiet. Educationally, politically, socially and ecclesiastically, the old ways, voices and paradigms are shifting, disintegrating, being challenged and changed. Yet as Christians, firm in hope, we believe that the hushed Spirit of God remains, speaking to us through the 'signs of the times' - speaking to us and through us in the silence and silenced. (2019 AMSSA Committee Reflection)

Following in the footsteps of Catherine McAuley, the 2019 Australasian Mercy Secondary Schools Association (AMSSA) Conference affords us a graced opportunity to listen for, and to speak the urgent and perhaps even uncomfortable silences - in our workplace, in Mercy schools, in our Church and in our world.

Societies often ignore or condone mistreatment of the marginalised.

The silent Cry of the Merciful Spirit of God in our times
The silent Cry of the Poor and Afflicted
The silent Cry of the Earth
The silent Cry of the Faithful
The silent Cry and Questions of our own hearts, minds and spirits

For further enquiries (including those beyond the AMSSA membership with interest to attend the conference) AMSSA2019@monte.nsw.edu.au

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