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THIRD ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

Poverty, Welfare, and Religion

FAMILY GENDER AND JUSTICE

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Poverty, Welfare, and Religion Family, Gender, and Justice

Saturday, May 19, 2007

7:00 – 9:00 Evening Welcome Reception and
Introductory Discussions

Jonathan Cohen, Ph.D., HUC-JIR

Larry Preston, Ph.D., Union Institute & University

Roger Sublett, Ph.D., Union Institute & University

Sunday, May 20, 2007

12:00 Buffet Lunch

Opening Remarks

Family, Education, and Poverty in Early Modern Europe

Poverty and Family Survival in Early Modern Germany

Timothy Fehler, Ph.D., Furman University

*Educational Institutions Among the Western Sephardim
in the Early Modern Period*

Julia Lieberman, Ph.D., Saint Louis University

Gender, Religion, and Social Justice in the 20th Century

*"At the Cost of Mankind and Womankind": Robert Whitaker's
Social Gospel Emphasis on Gender and Social Justice*

Kathleen A. Brown, Ph.D., St. Edward's University

Family and Gender Roles in the Late 19th and 20th Century

Learning to Make the Sign of the Cross

Catholic Foster Care and the Homeless Child, 1873–1939

C. Dianne Creagh, Ph.D., Stony Brook University

Family Values or Family Virtues?

Learning Justice as "Families" Virtue

Wyndy Corbin Reuschling, Ph.D., Ashland Theological Seminary

5:00 Dinner and Concluding Remarks

Location Mayerson Hall

Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion

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*This interdisciplinary symposium
focuses on religious thought
and practice and the implications
of poverty and welfare on family
structures, gender roles, and
social institutions.*



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