

Economic Problems? Hey, Join the Club!



Learn how to start a Common Security Club in your congregation or community

What's a Common Security Club?

It's a new way for group leaders and trainers to **help congregations and communities help themselves** in these troubled economic times.

The economic meltdown has left people isolated, vulnerable and afraid. In response, congregations and communities across the land are forming **Common Security Clubs** to help their members find connection, the information they need and avenues to a *new kind of security*, one based on mutual aid and support.

Now, you can learn how to start a Common Security Club with the members of your own organization or congregation at this upcoming

Train the Trainers Workshop

When: Saturday, February 27, 2010 from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Where: The Paulist Center, 5 Park Street, Boston, MA, near Boston Common

- Who Should Come:** People with experience in leading groups. No other expertise needed. We recommend coming in teams of 2 or more to make it easier to get started.
- The Training:** We will train you how to lead our 5-session curriculum designed to launch your Club. It's simple, participatory and truly rewarding.
- The Trainers:** Chuck Collins and Andrée Zaleska from the Institute for Policy Studies, and Alexa Bradley from On the Commons
- On-Going Support:** We will provide you with all the materials you need, facilitation support and additional downloadable resources.
- Registration Required:** Please go to <http://bit.ly/CSC01> to sign up online. There is a \$12 registration fee to cover materials and refreshments. A sliding fee scale is available. Space is limited, so please register early.
- Or Contact:** Andrée Zaleska at Andree@commonsecurityclub.org or 617-541-0500 x 302 to learn how to register by phone or mail or for more information.
- Sponsors Include:** World Education Network, On the Commons, the Institute for Policy Studies, and the Boston Faith and Justice Network.