



## Standing Our Holy Ground Webinar Series

### The Impact of Gun Violence on LGBTQ+ Communities

December 11, 2019 at 3pm (EST)

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For LGBTQ+ communities, gun violence is the leading cause of death. Featuring leaders of local and national organizations focused on LGBTQ rights, this webinar in the "Standing Our Holy Ground" series will explore the unique challenges that LGBTQ+ communities face with regards to gun violence and provide a prevention framework from an intersectional perspective of gender, racial, disability, and reproductive justice.

#### Panelist Background



**Rev. Annanda G. Barclay**, is Associate Pastor at First Presbyterian Church Palo Alto. Her calls and her ministries have explored how people experience the intersections of their identities shapes community relationships. The Church offers a space where Christians imperfectly cultivate well-being according to corresponding religious beliefs. Rev. Barclay, is an occasional guest preacher at Memorial Church at Stanford University. She is a forthcoming thought leader for the LGBTQ+ Leadership Certificate & Course for the Center on Innovation in Ministry at University of the Redlands School of Theology. Annanda, is a Forum for Theological Exploration Ministry Fellow and former Co-Moderator of the National board of More Light Presbyterians.



**Dee Chamblee** is an Executive and a seasoned advocate within and for the Transgender community. Ms. Chamblee has been a mentor, life coach, and consultant who brings over 20 years of solid community-based organizing and data collection experience, to bear on issues that include Gender Identity, Trans-healthcare, HIV/AIDS, substance abuse prevention, Mental Health and Transformative Social Justice issues. In 2011 President Obama, honored her as a "Champion of Change" and her Blog on Trans-Equality debuted on the White House website. She continues to make change happen in Atlanta as co-founder of the Solutions Not Punishment Coalition, a Trans-led group of social justice organizations and members, which came together to stop an ordinance that would banish sex workers from the city of Atlanta, and offered the city a better solution by creating a Pre-Arrest Diversion Program.



**Victoria Rodríguez-Roldán** is the Director of both the Trans/GNC and the Disability Justice Projects at the National LGBTQ Task Force. Particular areas of expertise and focus are the intersections of issues affecting transgender people with disabilities and mental illness, anti-trans workplace discrimination and gun violence prevention from a social justice lens. She has been in trans advocacy the entirety of her adult life, including advocacy in Puerto Rico and in Maine. She is the author of “Valuing Transgender Applicants and Employees”, a gold-standard best practices guide for employers, and frequently speaks on discrimination issues impacting the trans community. She was named the Autistic Self Advocacy Network’s 2016 Ally of the Year Award and one of Pacific Standard Magazine’s 30 Thinkers under 30 of 2017. She has been profiled in NBC News and Latina Magazine, among other outlets. Prior to joining the Task Force, she worked as an Equal Opportunity Specialist for the U.S. Department of Labor’s Civil Rights Center. Victoria holds a B.A. in Psychology with honors from the University of Puerto Rico, and a J.D. from the University of Maine School of Law.



**Michael J. Adee**, M.Div., Ph.D. is a human rights activist. Religion, social justice and LGBTQ human rights are his areas of specialization. He earned his Ph.D. in Rhetoric and Communication at Louisiana State University. He is an Elder in the Presbyterian Church (USA) and has been working within the LGBTQ and HIV/AIDS communities since 1988. He climbed Mount Kilimanjaro in Tanzania as a benefit for equality. Michael directs the Global Faith and Justice Project at San Francisco Theological Seminary. His home is Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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