

PFLAG Detroit
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2019



Sunday, May 19th
Ms. Tiffany Richardson



In 2017, Tiffany Richardson began her work within the LGBTQ+ community by serving as a member of the Rainbow Collaborative Project and the Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI). These projects were centered on participatory research for and by LGBTQ+ youth and were facilitated by Dr. Mo from the Henry Ford Health System. Through this collaboration, Tiffany was able to learn the process of conducting effective research, and the importance of using ethical research practices and involve the community intended to be impacted.

A year later, Tiffany began working as a PrEP Linkage Specialist with Corktown Health Center, becoming one of the first PrEP Navigators in the State of Michigan. She is also a Certified HIV Tester and Counselor. Since then Tiffany has extended her reach within the community beyond her professional role within her own organization, and has become a board member of Trans Sistas of Color Project (TSOCP). The TSOCP has given her the opportunity to connect with other trans women of color activists and organizers to improve and empower the lives of other trans women of color in the Metro Detroit area. In her spare time Tiffany enjoys movie nights with friends and community members, and is also an active member of the ballroom scene; a series of categories in which members of respective houses compete and display various talents to win titles, trophies, and cash prizes.

PFLAG is the extended family of the LGBTQ community. We're made up of LGBTQ individuals, family members and allies. Because together, we're stronger.

Where We Meet ...

Lutheran Church of the Master
3333 Coolidge Hwy,
Troy, MI 48084

(Behind Somerset Mall)

Second Sunday of each month (excluding Mother's Day, Easter, PRIDE in June and Christmas) Visit our website for further details.

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OUR MEETINGS...

As always, we welcome everyone, whether member or non-member and all GLBTQ folks, family and friends.

Our meeting will begin at 2:00 p.m. with Support Groups meeting after the introductions. (Support Groups: New Parents, Parents of Transgender, Transgender, Young Adults 15 to 25 years old and General Support)

Due to the importance of the stories being told by persons in the group discussion, interruptions can be very distracting. We ask that you arrive on time to be able to enter into these groups. Any persons arriving late, after 2:15 p.m., may be asked to form their own group with a PFLAG greeter or Board Member. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

Social half hour with refreshments will begin at 3:30 p.m.

Our speaker will present at 4:00 p.m. after brief announcements.



Dear PFLAG friends,

We welcome all visitors and their families to our monthly meetings. Please visit our website @ pflagdetroit.org for valuable resources, brochures and pamphlets (PDF).

You may find in your support groups that there are frequent discussions centered around “religion.” Please understand that this subject, in no way indicates, that PFLAG is a religious organization. It happens that religion has played an important role in many people’s lives and has been the source of some pain in coming to grips with one’s own or one’s child’s sexuality. The subject of religion therefore is one that comes up quite naturally when people are struggling with what their faith says about their sexuality and what they know themselves, through their own experience. PFLAG does not endorse or support any particular religion. We are a secular organization made up of people of many different (and sometimes no) faiths.

Thank you for your continued support.

Larry Jack - Co President

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Please note the following date changes for PFLAG general meetings....

May 19th 2019 (3rd Sunday)

June 16th 2019 (3rd Sunday)

These changes were necessary because of Mother’s Day and PRIDE in June.

See you there!

Thank you!