

Racism in the Prison Experience



An Overview From The Outside Voices From The Inside

Lois Ahrens, who founded The Real Cost of Prisons Project 19 years ago, will focus on the criminal legal system in Massachusetts and how it manifests racism through bail, policing, and extreme sentences such as life without the possibility of parole, and other ways criminalization works to control poor people and black and brown people. Lois is an organizer to end the carceral state and an advocate for incarcerated and formerly incarcerated women and girls.

Two formerly incarcerated people will describe their experiences within the racist criminal legal system.

Saturday, March 2, 2019

10:15 a.m.— 12:15 p.m. Doors open at 9:45 a.m.

First Congregational Church, 43 Silver St, Greenfield MA

FREE ~ Donations Welcome

For childcare, RSVP with number & ages of children

For more information or to reserve childcare: email@racialjusticerising.org

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