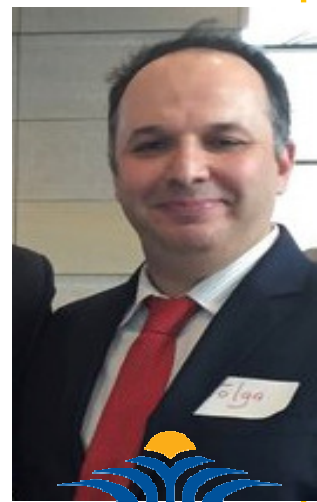


Please join us and bring your friends for the 14th Annual
Fall Mission Forum & Prayer with

Tolga Misirli

From the Niagara Foundation

Inter-religious dialogue is crucial in today's society for both our civic and faith communities. Pope Francis tell us that, "*True openness involves remaining steadfast in one's deepest convictions, clear and joyful in one's own identity, while at the same time being "open to understanding those of the other party" and "knowing that dialogue can enrich each side"* (Joy of the Gospel, 251). With this in mind, we invite the people of St. Cloud Diocese to join us for this year's Fall Mission Forum, focusing on Muslim-Christian relationships, with presenter **Tolga Misirli**. Tolga, born and raised in Turkey, now lives in St. Paul and works as a chemistry instructor at St. Cloud Technical and Community College. He also serves as the executive director of the Niagara Foundation in Minnesota. The Niagara Foundation, founded in 2004 by Turkish-American businessmen and educators, strives to bring people together from all walks of life in order to celebrate diversity in a shared society. The organization is named after Niagara Falls, where two great lakes become more magnificent together than they could be separately. The metaphor follows not only the Niagara Foundation's mission of strength in coming together, but also our Catholic faith's belief in unity in diversity!



12:05pm Mass

at St. Mary's Cathedral, lower church

Followed by presentation and light reception

(25 - 8th Avenue South, St. Cloud MN)

Thursday, October 27th, 2016

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