

## EXHIBIT

### A Catholic Paradox: The Life and Words of Dorothy Day

Guided Tours available throughout the Encounter

## “The final word is love.”

Dorothy Day, co-founder of the Catholic Worker movement, is a woman who defies easy categorization. A social activist, a mother, a writer, and woman of deep prayer, she participated in labor strikes, protested wars, and served jail time on multiple occasions for civil disobedience. Considered a radical and pegged by some as a leftist or a communist, she chose a life of voluntary poverty and solidarity with the poor in her pursuit of happiness. Cardinal Timothy Dolan, however, has referred to her as “a saint for our time,” because she exemplifies, “what’s best in Catholic life, that ability we have to be ‘both-and’ not ‘either-or.’” Relying largely on her own words, this exhibit looks at Dorothy Day through the paradoxes that she embodied, revealing the profound unity of her life and communion that she lived with others.

## PRESENTATION

### On Pilgrimage Toward Unity

Sunday, January 14th, 2018 at 2 pm, Ground Floor Auditorium

#### Speakers:

**Tom Cornell**, Associate Editor, The Catholic Worker

**Timothy Cardinal Dolan**, Archbishop of New York

**Margaret Laracy**, Clinical Psychologist and Co-Curator of the Encounter exhibit

#### Moderator:

**Paige Sanchez**, Associate Superintendent for Mission Effectiveness, Archdiocese of New York

# Dorothy Day

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