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**JEWS AND CHRISTIANS AT WORKSHOP
WILL BE 'LISTENING TO EACH OTHER'**

WASHINGTON--"Jews and Christians: Listening to Each Other" will be the theme of next month's Tenth National Workshop on Christian-Jewish Relations.

The workshop will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Minneapolis, November 8-11. It is the largest and most comprehensive on-going conference in Christian-Jewish relations in the United States.

Dr. Eugene J. Fisher, director of the Secretariat for Catholic-Jewish Relations of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, is National Workshop Chairperson. In addition to the Bishops' Conference, other national sponsoring and cooperating agencies include the National Council of Churches, American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A., the American Jewish Committee, American Jewish Congress, American Lutheran Church, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, National Association of Diocesan Ecumenical Officers, National Conference of Christians and Jews, Union of American Hebrew Congregations, and United Synagogue of America.

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Participants will attend plenary sessions and symposia and will be offered a wide variety of topical seminars. Among seminar topics are: "Women's Issues in Christian-Jewish Relations," "Christian Efforts to Save Jewish People During the Holocaust Years," "Martin Luther and the Jews," "Understanding Zionism," "Bio-Medical Ethics: How Do Our Traditions Address Life and Death Questions?" and "Jews, Christians and Moslems in Conversation."

Approximately 1,000 from the U.S., Canada and Europe are expected to attend. For information phone 612/870-3600.

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