

## **Barrington H. Brennen**



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1. What is one thing you hope people will learn from your presentation?  
It is my desire that the participants of this conference leave with a clearer understanding of the challenges the church faces in reducing domestic violence, intimate partner abuse and child abuse.
2. What is one thing you would like to happen as a result of this conference?  
I would like for each one to examine his or her own views about faith, religion and family relationships, and if these views may or may not create toxic relationships that lead to abuse of all kinds of abuse. The change in society will only begin if it begins in each individual first, especially our leaders.