

DEFENDING THE FAITH CONFERENCE GENERAL SCHEDULE

Friday, July 26th

Noon – 8:00 pm Registration and Housing Check In

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm **EARLY BIRD SESSION**
(Open to Applied Biblical Studies and Defending the Faith participants - Doors open at 1:45pm)

- Friday Early Bird Keynote 1: “St. Paul’s Guide to Unleashing the Holy Spirit’s Power” – **Mark Hart**
- Friday Early Bird Keynote 2: “Contagious Catholicism: The 7 Habits of Modern Day Apostles” – **Chris Stefanick**

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Travelers’ Mass

4:30 pm – 7:00 pm Dinner

6:45 pm – 7:05 pm Gathering Music

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm **EVENING SESSION**

- Friday Evening Keynote 1: “When Harry Became Sally: Responding to the Transgender Moment” – **Dr. Ryan Anderson**
- Friday Evening Keynote 2: “The Normal Christian Life: Becoming Witnesses to the Life Christ Died to Give Us” – **Msgr. Charles Pope**

10:00 pm – 11:15 pm Social

10:00 pm – 11:45 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, July 27th

6:30am – 8:30 am Breakfast

8:00 am – Noon Registration Open

7:40am – 8:00 am Rosary

8:00 am – 8:20am Gathering Music

8:15 am – Noon **MORNING SESSION**
Includes the Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

- Saturday Morning Keynote 1: “Nine Proven Apologetics Techniques That Anyone Can Master” – **Patrick Madrid**
- Saturday Morning Keynote 2: “How to Share the Faith Exercising Wisdom and Power” – **Al Kresta**

Noon – 2:00 pm Lunch

Noon – 1:45 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

2:00 pm – 3:15 pm **WORKSHOPS**

- Workshop 1: “Mothers of the Living: A Conversation with the Maccabees Mother” – **Dr. Stacy Trasancos**
- Workshop 1: “Restoring Identity: Pastoral Accompaniment and Same Sex Attraction” – **Fr. Sean Kilcawley**
- Workshop 1: “Relativism: Faith Without Power, Wisdom, or Real Worship” – **Chris Stefanick**
- Workshop 1: “Faith and Reason in the Public Square” – **Dr. Ryan Anderson**
- Workshop 1: “Love Letters from the Fatherland: Transforming Your Prayer Life Through Scripture” – **Matt Leonard**

3:15 pm – 3:45 pm Break

3:45 pm – 5:00 pm **WORKSHOPS**

- Workshop 2: “Evangelizing Through Science: How to Turn the Tables on the Faith and Science Conflict Myth” – **Dr. Stacy Transancos**
- Workshop 2: “The New Evangelization and the Hyper-Sexualized Culture” – **Fr. Sean Kilcawley**
- Workshop 2: “Stump the Apologist: Convincing Answers to Life’s Complicated Questions” – **Patrick Madrid**
- Workshop 2: “Catholicism in the Media: When the Good News Becomes Bad News” – **Al Kresta**
- Workshop 2: TBD – **Sr. Miriam Heidland, SOLT**

4:30 pm – 7:00 pm Dinner

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

6:45 pm – 7:00 pm Gathering Music

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm **EVENING SESSION**
Includes a Eucharistic Holy Hour

- Saturday Evening Keynote: “Cross Purposes” – **Dr. Scott Hahn**

10:00 pm – 11:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday, July 28th

6:30 am – 8:30 am Breakfast

7:50am – 8:10 am Rosary

8:15am – 8:30 am Gathering Music

8:30 am – Noon **MORNING SESSION**
Includes the Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

- Sunday Morning Testimony: TBD – **Sr. Miriam Heidland, SOLT**
- Sunday Morning Keynote: “How to Grow in Godliness Through the Vocation of Marriage” – **Kimberly Hahn**

Noon – 2:00 pm Lunch

Until 2:00 pm Residence Hall Check Out