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October 7, 2023

St. Joseph High School
Lakewood, CA



OPEN OUR HEARTS,
Oh Lord! ¡ABRE NUESTROS
CORAZONES,
Señor!



Office of Religious Education

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Bishop Marc V. Trudeau, D.D.

Mission Statement - Declaración de Misión

The **Office of Religious Education** is engaged in continuing the mission of Jesus Christ through evangelization and Catechesis. We are called to form Catechetical leaders, integrate a justice perspective and respond to the multicultural diversity of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles

La Oficina de Educación Religiosa está comprometida a continuar la misión de Jesucristo a través de la evangelización y la catequesis. Estamos llamados a formar líderes catequéticos, integrar una perspectiva de justicia y responder a la diversidad multicultural de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles.

Schedule of the Day - Horario del Día

7:30 am - 10 am	Program Pick- Up & On- Site Registration <i>Recoger programa & Inscripciones presenciales en el Flynn Center</i>
8:30 am - 9:15am	Opening Prayer- Living Rosary / Oración de Apertura - Rosario en vivo
9:30am- 10:30am	Opening Liturgy - Presider Bishop Marc V. Trudeau, D.D.
After Mass/ <i>Después de la Misa</i>	Complimentary Coffee & Donuts (Behind the Flynn Center) <i>Café y Donas de cortesía detrás del Centro Flynn</i>
10:45 am - 12:00pm	Workshop 1 / Primer Taller
12:00pm - 1:15pm	Lunch: Visit exhibitors' tables and our Saints at the Flynn Center <i>Almuerzo: Visita los expositores y nuestros Santos en el Flynn Center</i>
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Workshop 2 / Segundo Taller
2:45 pm - 3:00pm	Break / <i>Descanso</i>
3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	Workshop 3 / Tercer Taller
4:30 pm	End of Day- Evaluations/ <i>Fin del Día - Evaluaciones</i>



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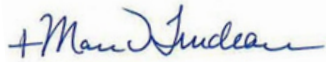
Bishop Marc Vincent Trudeau, D.D. was ordained to the priesthood at St. Vibiana's Cathedral in 1991. He was appointed pastor of St. Pius X in Santa Fe Springs in 2001 after which he moved to the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels to work as Cardinal Roger Mahony's priest secretary. In 2007, he was named Chaplain to His Holiness by Pope Benedict. Msgr. Marc was appointed pastor of St. Margaret Mary Parish in Lomita in 2010. He was named Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles on April 5th, 2018 and was ordained on June 7th, 2018 at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, when Archbishop Gomez appointed him as Episcopal Vicar for the San Pedro Pastoral Region.

October 7, 2023

Dear Participants in the San Pedro Regional Congress 2023,

Welcome to our in-person Regional Congress in which we call out, "Open our Hearts, Oh Lord!" As we continue this time of Eucharistic Revival, we pray that our Communion in the Lord and with each other might conform our hearts after the Heart of Jesus. Your role as catechists and ministers in our Church is vital and I am grateful to you for your continued fidelity to the Gospel. I pray that you will use this day to re-energize your sense of mission to share the Good News with all whom you meet. May the Lord, who has called you to be His disciples, continue to bless you in every way.

Sincerely, in Christ,



Most Reverend Marc V. Trudeau
Auxiliary Bishop of Los Angeles
San Pedro Pastoral Region

Estimados Participantes del Congreso Regional San Pedro 2023,

Bienvenidos a nuestro Congreso Regional presencial en el que clamamos: "¡Abre nuestros corazones, Oh Señor!" Mientras continuamos este tiempo de Avivamiento Eucarístico, oramos para que nuestra Comunión en el Señor y unos con otros conformen nuestros corazones al Corazón de Jesús. Su papel como catequistas y ministros en nuestra Iglesia es vital y les agradezco su fidelidad continua al Evangelio. Rezo para que utilices este día para revitalizar tu sentido de misión de compartir la Buena Nueva con todos los que encuentres. Que el Señor, que nos ha llamado a ser sus discípulos, nos siga bendiciendo en todo sentido.

Sinceramente, en Cristo,



Reverendísimo Marc V. Trudeau
Obispo auxiliar de Los Ángeles
Región Pastoral San Pedro



Sr. Rosalia Meza, VDMF

Senior Director
Office Of Religious Education

Dear participants,

It fills me with joy to welcome all of you to the 2023 San Pedro Regional Congress!

The theme for this year, **Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord!**, is an invitation to experience God's unconditional acceptance and transformative power in our hearts, our minds, and in our actions. This year's Regional Congress falls under the Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary. Our Mother Mary will help us to open our stony hearts to God's grace that melts away all our defenses, but also show us that God's love makes us all brothers and sisters, is inclusive, and welcomes all.

What a beautiful opportunity to reflect on the experience of the power of God's grace given to each one of us. We are all aware of the many needs of our children, youth, and families we minister to. With the help of our Mother Mary our hearts will be ignited to collaborate in creating a better world and a better Church where all can perceive God's loving gaze and be the face of Christ in our faith communities. I invite you to have an open heart allowing oneself to be surprised by God's unconditional love, but also be the reflection of God's love in our faith communities.

Sr. Rosalia Meza, VDMF
Senior Director
Office of Religious Education
Archdiocese of Los Angeles

Estimados participantes,

¡Me llena de alegría darles la bienvenida al Congreso Regional de San Pedro 2023!

El tema de este año, **¡Abre nuestros corazones, oh Señor!**, es una invitación a experimentar la aceptación incondicional de Dios y su poder transformador en nuestros corazones, nuestras mentes y nuestras acciones. El Congreso Regional de este año cae bajo el Memorial de Nuestra Señora del Rosario. Nuestra Madre María nos ayudará a abrir nuestros corazones de piedra a la gracia de Dios que derrite todas nuestras defensas, pero también nos mostrará que el amor de Dios nos hace a todos hermanos y hermanas, es inclusivo y acoge a todos.

Qué hermosa oportunidad para reflexionar sobre la experiencia del poder de la gracia de Dios dada a cada uno de nosotros. Todos somos conscientes de las muchas necesidades de nuestros niños, jóvenes y familias a las que servimos. Con la ayuda de nuestra Madre María, nuestros corazones se encenderán para colaborar en la creación de un mundo y una Iglesia mejores, donde todos puedan percibir la mirada amorosa de Dios y ser el rostro de Cristo en nuestras comunidades de fe. Les invito a tener el corazón abierto y dejarse sorprender por el amor incondicional de Dios, pero también a ser el reflejo del amor de Dios en nuestras comunidades de fe.

Hna. Rosalia Meza, VDMF
Directora de la Oficina de Educación Religiosa
Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles

Message from the Regional Coordinator



Terri A. Palmer

San Pedro Regional Coordinator
Office Of Religious Education

Dear Friends in Christ:

I am so excited that we will be able to gather again in person this year at our San Pedro Regional Congress 2023. I am also feeling very blessed that our Regional Congress is on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, October 7th. I have felt Our Lady's blessings and presence as we have been meeting and planning for this Regional Congress. The theme for this year's Regional Congress is "Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord!". We have a wonderful and gifted group of speakers this year coming to share with all of you their many gifts and talents. We will also be having the beautiful "Journey of Saints" exhibit, which has been traveling throughout the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. These beautiful Saint images will be part of our Sacred Space and will surround us during our Opening Prayer and Opening Liturgy. Please come and join us - bring your catechists, liturgical ministers, family and friends! Everyone is welcome! Let us all "Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord!" See you on October 7, 2023, at St. Joseph's High School in Lakewood.

Blessings,



Terri A. Palmer
San Pedro Regional Coordinator

Queridos Amigos en Cristo:

Estoy tan emocionada de que podamos reunirnos de nuevo en persona este año en nuestro Congreso Regional de San Pedro 2023. También me siento muy bendecida de que nuestro Congreso Regional sea en la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario, el 7 de octubre. He sentido las bendiciones y la presencia de Nuestra Señora mientras nos reuníamos y planificábamos este Congreso Regional. El tema del Congreso Regional de este año es "¡Abre Nuestros Corazones, ¡Oh, Señor!". Este año tenemos un maravilloso y talentoso grupo de oradores que vendrán a compartir con todos ustedes sus muchos dones y talentos. También tendremos la hermosa exposición "Viaje de los Santos", que ha estado viajando por toda la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Estas hermosas imágenes de Santos serán parte de nuestro Espacio Sagrado y nos rodearán durante nuestra Oración de Apertura y Liturgia de Apertura.

Por favor venga y únase a nosotros - ¡traiga a sus catequistas, ministros litúrgicos, familia y amigos! ¡Todos son bienvenidos! Abramos todos "Nuestros Corazones, ¡Oh, Señor!". Nos vemos el 7 de octubre de 2023, en la Escuela Secundaria de San José en Lakewood.

Bendiciones,



Terri A. Palmer
Coordinadora Regional de San Pedro



Opening Prayer- Living Rosary

8:30am - 9:15am

Led by Caterina Krai &
Victor Wheeler



Opening Liturgy

9:30am -10:30am

by Bishop Marc V. Trudeau, D.D.

Bishop Marc Trudeau will preside over this Eucharistic Liturgy, which blesses us with the opportunity to gather as a regional community. We are thankful to be Nourished by the Word, the Sacrament, and the Spirit, to bless our collaborative efforts that inspire our catechetical work, faith formation, and learning during this event. As we start our day with this Liturgy, and as the events of the day unfold, we will reflect that the more we seek, the more we will find, to bring us greater insight and passion for our ministries.

Flynn Center Workshop 1-10

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Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord, To Choose Hope



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**Oración de apertura -
Rosario en vivo**

8:30am - 9:15am

**Dirigido por Caterina Krai &
Victor Wheleer**



Liturgia de Apertura

9:30am -10:30am

by Bishop Marc V. Trudeau, D. D.

El Obispo Marc Trudeau presidirá esta liturgia eucarística, que nos bendice con la oportunidad de reunirnos como comunidad regional. Estamos agradecidos de ser alimentados por la Palabra, el Sacramento y el Espíritu, a bendecir nuestros esfuerzos de colaboración que inspiran nuestro trabajo catequético, formación de fe y aprendizaje durante este evento. Al comenzar nuestro día con esta liturgia, y a medida que se desarrollen los eventos del día, reflexionaremos que entre más busquemos, más encontraremos, para brindarnos una mayor comprensión y pasión por nuestros ministerios.

NEW for 2023 **JOURNEY OF SAINTS EXHIBITION** **Office of Life, Justice and Peace**



Journey of Saints Exhibition Presented by Archdiocese of Los Angeles Task Force on Racism

23 Holy Role Models that are Saints or currently in line for Canonization for Sainthood featured in the Exhibition. The Journey of the Saints Exhibition debuted at the annual presbyteral day and served as a catalyst to spark conversations about inclusion within the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. They represent the diversity of the Communion of Saints. From every angle the symbol of the communion of saint's crosses boundaries, speaking to communal participation in the gracious holiness of God.

Nuevo para 2023 **EXIBICION VIAJE DE LOS SANTOS** **Oficina de Vida, Justicia y Paz**

Exposición Viaje de los Santos presentada por el Equipo de Trabajo sobre Racismo de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles

23 Modelos Santos que son Santos o actualmente en línea para la Canonización para la Santidad presentados en la Exposición. La Exposición El Viaje de los Santos debutó en el día presbiteral anual y sirvió como catalizador para iniciar conversaciones sobre la inclusión dentro de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Representan la diversidad de la Comunión de los Santos. Desde todos los ángulos, el símbolo de la comunión de los santos cruza fronteras, hablando de la participación comunitaria en la santidad misericordiosa de Dios.



Workshop 1 10:45am-12:00 Noon

- 1-01** The Spirituality of the Servant
Adrian Aralar
- 1-03** What you need to know about the New Directory of Catechesis — **Carlos Proaño**
- 1-04** Loving Well and Living Well with Technology — **Sr. Hosea Rupprecht**
- 1-05** Liturgical Formation of the People of God: The Apostolic Letter *Desiderio Desideravi* — **Fr. Juan Ochoa**
- 1-06** Creating Safe Spaces for LGBT People in our Church— **Mark Davis**
- 1-07** Mary: Model Missionary Disciple
Fr. Parker Sandoval
- 1-08** Eucharistic Revival for Families
Paul Canavese
- 1-09** Original Sin or Original Blessing? Healing for Justice Sake! -
Fr. Stan Bosch, S.T. Psy.D.
- 1-10** Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord, To Choose Hope— **Vallimar Jansen**
- 1-11** Praying With The Saints: Whatever you are going through - there's a Saint for that! —**Sherry Hayes-Peirce**

Workshop 2 1:30pm- 2:45 pm

- 2-01** Encountering Jesus in the Rite of Christian Initiation — **Adrian Aralar**
- 2-02** The People Are Hungry: How to Offer Rich Faith Formation for All
Ann Naffziger
- 2-03** Mary, Be A Mother To Us Now
Caterina Krai
- 2-04** The Domestic Church: Open Our Hearts to the Lord!
Dn. Douglas Zuniga
- 2-05** Youth Ministry it takes the WHOLE community of faith!
Dayrin E. Perez & Jenny Jackson
- 2-07** Everyone Belongs: Teaching About Racism in TK-8 Classrooms
Heidi Villaluz
- 2-08** Jesus: The Center of Faith Formation
Katie Zeigler
- 2-10** Loving Well and Living Well with Technology— **Sr. Hosea Rupprecht**
- 2-11** Prayer: The Pathway to Growing in Love (**PART 1 take with PART 2 session 3-08**)
Tammy Ichinotsubo-Ezzi, Phd.
- 2-12** What Should We Sing? Effective and Appropriate Liturgical Music Planning — **Victor Wheeler**
- 2-13** LGBTQ Catholics and Ministry Inclusivity in Our Parishes Today
Yunuen M. Trujillo , J.D.

Workshop 3 3:00pm-4:15pm

- 3-01** The People Are Hungry: How to Offer Rich Faith Formation for All
Ann Naffziger
- 3-02** Mary, Be A Mother To Us Now
Caterina Krai
- 3-03** Everyone Belongs: Teaching About Racism in TK-8 Classrooms
Heidi Villaluz
- 3-04** Jesus: The Center of Faith Formation — **Katie Zeigler**
- 3-06** Whole Family Catechesis 101: How to Instill Faith that Lasts a Lifetime— **Paul Canavese**
- 3-08** Prayer: The Pathway to Growing in Love (**PART 2 take with PART 1 session 2-11**)
Tammy Ichinotsubo-Ezzi, Phd.
- 3-09** Prayer "Performance:" Appropriateness in Singing and Playing Liturgical Music
Victor Wheeler
- 3-10** Opening Our Hearts to Immigrants: Immigrants in the Bible— **Dr. Brett Hoover**



1-01

The Spirituality of the Servant

In this workshop we will see that the spirituality of the servant is the spirituality of Jesus who does not seek to be served but to serve. What is the difference between a servant and a disciple of Jesus? What are its characteristics and through reflections of biblical quotations we will be able to know where I am and what I have to work on to be a true servant.

Adrian Aralar - Coordinator of Liturgical Formation

Adrian Aralar is the Coordinator of Liturgical Formation in the Office for Divine Worship. He comes with 20+ years of experience in Catechesis, Evangelization, and Liturgy. His service to the Church has taken him to various parishes and ministries, particularly in Faith Formation/ Religious Education throughout the dioceses of Southern California: Los Angeles, Orange, and San Diego. Adrian received a B.A in Sociology in 2008 and a B.A. in Psychology in 2009 from the University of California, Irvine; a Certificate in Philosophy in 2017, and a Master's in Biblical Theology in 2018 from John Paul the Great Catholic University in Escondido, CA. He is also a member of the National Conference for Catechetical Leadership (NCCL), the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC), and a Certified Catechist since 2013. Today he continues to serve his home parishes, St. Ann (Elysian Valley) and Holy Trinity (Atwater Village); and for the last 5 years worked as DRE at St. Catherine of Siena in Reseda.

1-03

What you need to know about the New Directory of Catechesis

The new Directory of Catechesis provides us with a great framework for our approach to formation, pointing out the most effective methods for helping people form their Catholic Identity. In the presentation, we will walk through some areas of focus that stood out in the new Directory and explain why those topics should be included in every catechetical program. Some of the topics we will cover are Kerygma, Christian Anthropology, Integrated Family Catechesis, and Missionary Discipleship.



Carlos Proaño

Carlos Proaño is an Account Executive with OSV, Our Sunday Visitor. He works with Schools and Parishes, helping them get started with OSV's Catechetical resources. Growing up he traveled the country with his father who worked as a Stewardship consultant, helping Parishes and Diocese. In Highschool he volunteered to help students preparing for Confirmation, and he would help his mother who taught First Communion. He has worked at a Parish and is familiar with Parish Ministry. He has presented on Catechetical topics for Parishes and Diocese throughout the Country. Carlos' goal is to help young Catholics throughout the Country develop their Catholic Identity so that they can live as Missionary Disciples of Christ.

1-04

Loving Well and Living Well with Technology

In our technology-saturated world, it's important to not only understand what technology can do for the Church and her mission but also to be able to bring our faith and values to the content technology provides. This workshop explores technology from a media mindfulness and faith perspective, providing tips for finding greater balance in our use of technology in order to live well and love well as disciples of Jesus Christ.



Sr. Hosea Rupprecht

Sister Hosea Rupprecht, FSP, is a member of the Daughters of St. Paul, a religious community dedicated to evangelization with media. She holds a Masters of Theological Studies from the University of St. Michael's College and an MA in Media Literacy from Webster University. Hosea is a Media Literacy specialist and associate director of the Pauline Center for Media Studies based in Los Angeles, author of *How to Watch Movies With Kids: A Values-Based Strategy*, film critic, and former co-host of the Catholic TV movie review show, *Searchlight*. For the past 20 years, she has facilitated various film dialogues for both children and adults, as well as given presentations on integrating culture, faith and media on the parish, diocesan, and national levels.

1-05

Liturgical Formation of the People of God: The Apostolic Letter *Desiderio Desideravi*

Desiderio desideravi, the title of Pope Francis's 2022 document on the sacred liturgy, comes from the Latin version of Luke 22:15: "I have earnestly desired (*Desiderio desideravi*) to eat this Passover with you before I suffer." Pope Francis begins this beautiful and relatively short reflection on the beauty, goodness, and truth of the sacred liturgy by reminding us of the Most Holy Trinity's love for us and desire for us. Pope Francis encourages a deepening of our understanding of the Eucharist in order that we might fully appreciate the riches in the liturgy.

Fr. Juan Ochoa

Fr. Juan was ordained a priest for the archdiocese of Los Angeles in 2014. He served as associate pastor at St. Emydius Church in Lynwood. He was also associate pastor at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels and Master of Ceremonies to Archbishop Jose Gomez. He is the currently the pastor of Christ the King Church. He is also the Director of the Office for Divine Worship for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. He holds a Masters of Divinity, a Masters of Art in Systematic Theology, and is finishing his licentiate in sacramental theology.



1-06

Creating Safe Spaces for LGBT People in our Church

Looking at the dignity of each human being, and the gifts with which we are all blessed as Baptized Catholics, this Workshop will provide background information on issues of safety and welcome for young people who may be questioning their own sexuality, and for young people who have LGBTQ+ family members whom they love. There will be opportunities to reflect on experiences in which participants have felt safe and those which have felt dangerous. Catechists will leave with practical ideas for increasing student safety in their classrooms.



Mark Davis

Mark Davis, representing for the Catholic Ministry with Lesbian and Gay Persons. Believing that baptism empowers all persons to live a full, Catholic life in union with all members of the Church, the Catholic Ministry with Lesbian and Gay Persons provides a safe and welcoming environment for lesbians and gays, their friends and family, through liturgy, outreach education, and fellowship.

1-07

Mary: Model Missionary Disciple

Missionary discipleship is not a buzzword or abstract concept. It is a reality to be lived concretely, and the Blessed Virgin Mary shows us the way. The Church, of course, reveres Mary because she is the Mother of our Lord Jesus Christ, who calls us to be his disciples and sends us forth as his missionaries in the world. At the same time, Mary is worthy of veneration and imitation because she is the first and perfect missionary disciple of Jesus. Come learn from Mary how to walk more closely with her Son.



Fr. Parker Sandoval

Fr. Parker Sandoval was ordained a priest of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles in 2015. He served as Associate Pastor of Resurrection Church in Boyle Heights and then as Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation for the Archdiocese. He currently serves as Vice Chancellor and Senior Director of Ministerial Services of the Archdiocese. His passion is the ministry of the word: preaching the Gospel and teaching the Catholic faith. He resides at Incarnation Church in Glendale.

1-08

Eucharistic Revival for Families

As the U.S. bishops invite us deeper into a three-year reflection on eucharistic revival, how can we reboot the way we prepare children and youth to receive First Eucharist and continue to engage families with these sacraments? The Eucharist has the power to intensely draw us closer to God and others, and can empower us for our mission as disciples in the world. Drawing on the Revival, the new Directory for Catechesis, and Pope Francis' wisdom, we will explore concrete ways to creatively evangelize even the most skeptical families and help them understand why the Eucharist matters so much.



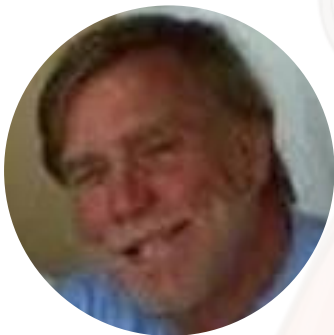
Paul Canavese

Paul Canavese is the director of The Pastoral Center and its Growing Up Catholic ministry. He and his wife Ann live with their two daughters and six chickens in Alameda, CA, where they operate a mini-urban farm and look for creative ways to build community in their neighborhood. Paul has his MTS from the Franciscan School of Theology (then in Berkeley), and is author of the Growing Up Catholic Baptism Preparation program, Taming Technology Parent Conversations, and author or editor of dozens of other practical pastoral resources.

1-09

Original Sin or Original Blessing? Healing for Justice Sake!

The Jesuit Fr. Walter Burkhart, a biblical theologian defines 'Justice' as 'Fidelity to the demands of a relationship.' In other words, it is about healing relationships of their wounds! For Social Justice to be realized in our communities, inner healing and relational healing are the starting points. As generational and developmental trauma abound today, this workshop invites us to re-discover our birth as Beloved Sons and Daughters of a Loving God. Because of the inherited traumas from our cultures, environments and families of origin, and compounded by the development traumas of childbirth and painful environments in our first years and latter, many of us lose a sense of original belonging. We tend to unconsciously act out of repressed and dark memories. Here we hope to explore how to deal with our pain, and the pain of our little ones while creating safe and sacred spaces in our family and community relationships for healing, transformation as we become, as St. Irenaeus claims, 'The Glory of God as the Human Person Fully Alive!' We become wounded healers!



Father Stan Bosch, S.T. Psy. D.

Father Stan Bosch, S.T., Psy. D. has worked with Los Angeles's gang involving youth and adults for more than 30 years. His work with inner city youth was featured in the National Geographic documentary "Inside LA Gang Wars", as well as in the Los Angeles Times August 2009: "Let's Talk About It!" and The LA Archdiocesan Tidings: "Creating Communities of Care!" Fr. Stan holds a doctoral degree in psychology with an emphasis in Marriage and Family Therapy from the Chicago School of Professional Psychology. He is a psychotherapist, Director of Mental Health for gang intervention with Soledad Enrichment Action (SEA) and the City of Los Angeles' Gang Reduction and Youth Development Project (GRYD). He also maintains a private practice in psychotherapy in South Los Angeles specializing in psychodynamic group and individual psychotherapy treating early trauma/abuse, depression, addictions, and gang related issues. He is pastor of St. Raphael's Catholic Church in South LA. He is bilingual in English and Spanish.

1-10

Open Our Hearts, Oh Lord, To Choose Hope

"... those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." — Isaiah 40:31

With her unique blend of music, movement, dramatic storytelling, Scripture proclamation, and reflection, ValLimar Jansen will inspire us to renew our strength, to soar on wings, to run unwearied, to walk without fainting and to face all the challenges of life with untiring work and the faith-filled prayer, "Open our hearts, oh Lord, to choose hope."



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1-11

Praying With The Saints: Whatever you are going through - there's a Saint for that!

As Catholics we pray the Apostles Creed as affirmation for what we believe in and the Communion of Saints is a tenet of our faith. We are all called to be Saints, but for so many the notion of being so holy seems unattainable. As Pope John Paul II reminds us "The memory of the Saints leads us to raise our eyes to Heaven: not to forget the realities of the earth, but to face them with greater courage, with more hope." In this session we will explore the process of becoming a saint, praying for their intercession in the challenges of life and how they serve as models for how to become a saint.



Sherry Hayes-Peirce

Sherry Hayes-Peirce returns for her sixth year as a presenter at the ADLA C3 Conference. She is a popular speaker as her presentation style is always engaging and interactive for the attendees and they always leave with tips, techniques and tools that they can implement immediately. Her ability to knit Catholic teaching with technology continues to make her a sought after speaker in-person and online at Catholic conferences and for university programs. In addition to speaking at conferences she is a contributor to the Hawaii Catholic Herald writing about how to use digital tools to educate and inspire catechists, parishioners, students and even clergy. She serves as the social media manager and in ministry as a lector, extraordinary minister of holy communion, bereavement minister and hospitality minister at her parish, American Martyrs Catholic Community. Additionally, she is a monthly contributor to the Catholicmom.com website, has been published as a contributor to the Ave Prayer Book for Catholic Mothers, author and voice of the Hallow App novena for widows and widowers, lector at LMU and coordinator for the traveling exhibition of the Journey of the Saints displayed at RECongress.



2-01

Encountering Jesus in the Rite of Christian Initiation

The Rite of Christian Initiation is a process that starts from the encounter with Jesus. This workshop will help participants understand that through the process they will be able to encounter Jesus and that at each stage they will decide if they want to follow Him until they are led to trust Him by receiving the sacraments.

Adrian Aralar - Coordinator of Liturgical Formation

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The Domestic Church: Open Our Hearts to the Lord!

Since the Second Vatican Council, the name "Domestic Church" has been given to the family because it is the primary place where the faith of our children is nurtured and formed. The pandemic revealed a crucial gap and the great need for each parish to promote and support faith formation from the very heart of the family so that mom and dad live their vocation of first catechists, witnesses, and companions of the journey of faith of their children. In this workshop we will look at different ways of helping each family become the place where children experience faith first. We will also present practical tools and resources to help catechists connect with the families of their faith formation programs. Together, catechists and families, are called to be "companions" of their children on the path to become missionary disciples of Jesus.

Dn. Douglas Zuniga

Douglas was born in Nicaragua and he has lived in the USA since 1989. He graduated from the Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising (FIDM) in Los Angeles as a graphic designer. In 2016 he graduated from St. John's Seminary in Camarillo with a MA degree in Pastoral Ministry. His past parochial ministry experience includes being a catechist of children and adults, leading parent/children sacramental preparation retreats, stepping into the role of Coordinator of Religious Education at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Parish in Sun Valley, active participation in a small Christian faith community for over 26 years and directing a Spanish choir for Sunday worship. At the archdiocesan level, his previous experience includes leading liturgical year workshops for elementary catechists and being part for many years of catechist formation teams in both English & Spanish, at the basic and advanced levels. Douglas is a Master Catechist for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and is currently serving as the Coordinator of Elementary Catechesis in the Office of Religious Education. Douglas was ordained a permanent Deacon for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles in June 2023.



MUST BRING scissors, glue (liquid or glue stick), and colors (crayons, pencils, or markers).



2-05

Youth Ministry – it takes the **WHOLE** community of faith!

All young people are on a journey of faith. How can the faith community help a young person on their journey towards discipleship? During this workshop, we will review the goals and components for a comprehensive youth ministry and, dive into processes that help us evaluate where our parish community is and what opportunities we can offer. Let's help young people be the protagonist in the world and respond to God's call of being made for something greater!

Dayrin E. Perez Lead Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Dayrin Perez embarked on a journey in October 2019 as a Youth Ministry Coordinator for the Office of Religious Education in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. She has served in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles for over 15 years as a Director of Youth Ministry, Confirmation Coordinator, and Director of Family Ministry. Her love for spreading the gospel has been her inspiration for serving as a speaker and retreat leader for parishes and national organizations such as NFCYM. Dayrin has been married to her husband Gabriel for 16 years, has 3 energetic kids, loves coffee, anything Disney and going on adventures with her family.



Jenny, Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Jenny Jackson has been working as the Coordinator of Youth Ministry Events (RECongress Youth Day and the City of Saints Teen Conference) for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. In her current role, as Coordinator of Youth Ministry, she will provide support to the Youth Ministers and Confirmation Coordinators of the San Pedro Region and Our Lady of the Angels Region. Before working at the Archdiocese, she was at St. Vincent de Paul in Los Angeles as the Confirmation and Liturgy Coordinator. She is passionate about building relationships and helping others feel empowered to respond to God's call in their life.



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2-10

Loving Well and Living Well with Technology

In our technology-saturated world, it's important to not only understand what technology can do for the Church and her mission but also to be able to bring our faith and values to the content technology provides. This workshop explores technology from a media mindfulness and faith perspective, providing tips for finding greater balance in our use of technology in order to live well and love well as disciples of Jesus Christ.



Sr. Hosea Rupprecht

Sister Hosea Rupprecht, FSP, is a member of the Daughters of St. Paul, a religious community dedicated to evangelization with media. She holds a Masters of Theological Studies from the University of St. Michael's College and an MA in Media Literacy from Webster University. Hosea is a Media Literacy specialist and associate director of the Pauline Center for Media Studies based in Los Angeles, author of *How to Watch Movies With Kids: A Values-Based Strategy*, film critic, and former co-host of the Catholic TV movie review show, *Searchlight*. For the past 20 years, she has facilitated various film dialogues for both children and adults, as well as given presentations on integrating culture, faith and media on the parish, diocesan, and national levels.

2-11

Prayer: The Pathway to Growing in Love (Part I)

Two Part Workshop - Take With Session 3-08

We are all called to a life of holiness and continued growth in intimacy with God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We are all called to continually and progressively open our hearts to Love. This is the essence of Christian spirituality. What does that look like? While each person's path of holiness is specific to them, one common factor is prayer. In Part 1 of this workshop, we will explore and experience some of the gifts and graces of some ways of praying that Jesus and the Church gives us and how they open our hearts to grow us in love that expands out to others in our lives. Participants can choose to attend only Part 1.

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2-12

What Should We Sing? Effective and Appropriate Liturgical Music Planning

The music of the Liturgy goes hand-in-hand with the themes of the Solemnity or Feast, the Readings, and prayerfully enhances the various Rites and Rituals. In this session, we will break open the Word of God that is to be proclaimed on a particular Sunday, and gain a thorough understanding in how those prescribed Scriptures will influence and inspire the appropriate selection of hymns. Resources to assist in effective musical selection will be covered and applied. Regardless of your parish community's liturgical music style, the goal of this session is to foster prayerful discernment within the Pastoral Musician in selecting the most appropriate hymns to enable full, active, and conscious participation by the gathered faithful.



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2-13

LGBTQ Catholics and Ministry Inclusivity in Our Parishes Today

There is a need for ministry that is not being met. More and more catechists, lectors, parish staff and other Catholic ministers and volunteers see themselves torn between their love for a loved one who is LGBTQ+ and their love for the Church. How can we better serve this part of the Body of Christ? What are some principles of Doctrine and Pastoral Care that are often overlooked? How can we make our ministries more inclusive and welcoming?

Yunuen Trujillo, J.D.

Yunuen Trujillo is a Catholic lay minister, a faith-based Community Organizer, and an Immigration Attorney. As a lay minister, she is one of the leading figures for inclusive Catholic LGBT Ministry in the United States. As a community organizer, she has worked with L.A. Voice PICO, a faith-based, multi-faith/racial organization working to create a society that reflects the Dignity of all persons. She is a Religious Formation Coordinator (Spanish) with the Catholic Ministry with Lesbian and Gay Persons of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. She is the author of the book "LGBT Catholics: A Guide for Inclusive Ministry", (Paulist Press)



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3-06

Whole Family Catechesis 101: How to Instill Faith that Lasts a Lifetime

The church teaches that parents are the primary educators of their children, but we generally foster a formation model in which parents outsource this responsibility to pass on faith to the parish or school. And it is not working. But hope is not lost! In fact, we already know what works. This talk highlights practical ways parishes and schools can evangelize, engage, and coach parents to embrace their essential role. We will explore key methodologies and specific tools you can put to use right away at each step of the faith formation process, from baptism through confirmation... and beyond.



Paul Canavese

Paul Canavese is the director of The Pastoral Center and its Growing Up Catholic ministry. He and his wife Ann live with their two daughters and six chickens in Alameda, CA, where they operate a mini-urban farm and look for creative ways to build community in their neighborhood. Paul has his MTS from the Franciscan School of Theology (then in Berkeley), and is author of the Growing Up Catholic Baptism Preparation program, Taming Technology Parent Conversations, and author or editor of dozens of other practical pastoral resources.

3-08

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Two Part Workshop - Take With Session 2-11

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3-09

Prayer “Performance:” Appropriateness in Singing and Playing Liturgical Music

Whether we are a cantor, choral vocalist, or instrumentalist, this session will enable us to recognize that our sacred music is truly in service to the Liturgy. How do we render our parish community’s various liturgical music styles in ways that foster prayerfulness rather than mere “performance?” We will take time to recognize how vocals and instruments are sometimes pushed to their limits which, in turn, can yield overbearing musical results. How do we take this occasional “overbear” and make it apt for the Liturgy? How do we effectively utilize various musical styles in ways that foster prayer rather than emphasize the style itself? Let this session remind us that in service to the Liturgy, our ultimate goal as Pastoral and Liturgical Musicians is to lead and pray with the “main choir” of the Mass – that is, the gathered faithful.



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3-10

Opening Our Hearts to Immigrants: Immigrants in the Bible

Today people think of immigration as a partisan political issue, but it is actually thoroughly a biblical matter. The Bible is full of immigrants and refugees, from the patriarch Abraham and his wife Sarah to St. Paul to lesser known figures like Tobit and Anna along with their son Tobias. Jesus himself was said to be a refugee in the Gospel of Matthew! The Bible is also full of teaching about migration and its consequences. Come and learn why the biblical text is a much better guide to migration than politics!



Dr. Brett Hoover

ADr. Brett C. Hoover, Ph.D., is Associate Professor of Pastoral and Practical theology at Loyola Marymount University (LMU) in Los Angeles. Dr. Hoover is the author of *Immigration and Faith: Cultural, Biblical, and Theological Narratives* (New York: Paulist Press, 2021), and *The Shared Parish: Latinos, Anglos, and the Future of U.S. Catholicism* (New York: NYU Press, 2014). His research concerns parish life in racially and ethnically diverse contexts, immigration, and, more recently, the “nones,” that is, those who are no longer affiliated with organized religion.

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- 2-56 Espiritualidad del Servidor
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Ernesto Vega

Ernesto Vega tiene una maestría en psicoterapia familiar y de parejas de Loyola Marymount University, y está terminando una segunda maestría en teología pastoral con concentración en dirección espiritual, de la misma universidad. También ha hecho estudios del evento guadalupano, la espiritualidad indígena, y la espiritualidad ignaciana. Actualmente trabaja para la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles en el ministerio de formación de fe para adultos de la Oficina de Educación Religiosa.

1-52

Hacia un liderazgo cordial y compasivo

El corazón es el centro de la persona. Es la sede del encuentro de Dios y la persona; sede también de grandes luchas y decisiones. Veamos una eliminación bíblica sobre el corazón y su papel en la respuesta a Dios, concluyendo con 7 principios-guía hacia un nuevo liderazgo cristiano para los tiempos nuevos que vivimos. Dichos los que tienen un corazón limpio porque podrán ver a Dios (Mateo 5,8).



Feliciano Tapia

Feliciano Tapia: Discípulo de Jesús, catequista, padre de familia, educador y coordinador del ministerio bíblico que desarrolla el Instituto bíblico Católico de la arquidiócesis de Los Angeles. Tiene una maestría en teología, bachillerato en filosofía y especialidad en Pedagogía. Escritor y conferencista con amplia experiencia en el ministerio eclesial.



1-53

Catequistas como acompañantes

"En este taller se nos recordará el llamado a la santidad de los catequistas como su primera vocación. El llamado a la santidad será nuestro punto de partida para profundizar en la identidad del catequista y lo que significa ser:

- Testigo de la fe y custodio de la memoria de Dios
- Maestro y mistagogo
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Nuestro objetivo es mirar las diferentes cualidades del catequista (maestro, educador, mistagogo, acompañante, testigo y custodio de la memoria de Dios) y reflexionar sobre cómo te sientes en este momento en relación con cada una de estas cualidades. "

Mrs. Flor de Maria Luna

Flor de María Luna es la Coordinadora de Formación de Catequistas para los Programas de Inglés Básico y Avanzado de la Oficina de Educación Religiosa de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Su experiencia catequística incluye ser directora de educación religiosa durante casi veinte años. Tiene una cátedra en Teología de la Universidad Francisco Marroquín en Guatemala, un Certificado de Ministerio Hispano de la Universidad Mount Saint Mary en Los Ángeles, una Maestría en Ministerio Pastoral del Seminario Saint John en Camarillo, CA. Ha servido en la Oficina de Educación Religiosa – ADLA como Maestra de Catequistas durante veinte años. Actualmente está cursando una Maestría en Artes en Espiritualidad. Coordina y capacita a facilitadores para la formación en inglés: One Mission One Faith; Ella tiene la experiencia pastoral y habilidades en la formación de catequistas.



1-54

Sol y Luna

En su infinita sabiduría, Dios facultó a la humanidad con características masculinas y femeninas quizás para que reconozcamos, con humildad, que nuestra comprensión del misterio divino estará siempre limitada a nuestra perspectiva. El camino hacia la iluminación divina exige una integración de estas dos energías. En este taller, compartiremos algunas reflexiones bíblicas y teológicas, imágenes, historias, y recursos que nos ayuden a caminar hacia Dios celebrando nuestras diferencias y abrazando nuestras similitudes como hombres y como mujeres.

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Papas y Oraciones

Ven a descubrir lo que las papas y la oración tienen en común.

Jennifer Vargas-Stolper

Jennifer Vargas-Stolper is a graduate of Cal Poly Pomona with a Bachelors of Science in Marketing. She grew up in a religious education office assisting her DRE mom and has working with RCL Benziger for 12 years.



Carmen Vargas

Carmen Vargas is a master catechist for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, a graduate of the Loyola Marymount Bible Institute and a certified Pastoral Care minister. She is a former DRE and loves spending time with her 4 grandchildren.

1-56

¿Y yo, enseño para todos o solo para algunos?

En este taller aprenderemos los diferentes estilos de aprendizaje de la persona y como llegar a todos los niños, jóvenes y adultos. No todos aprendemos de la misma forma y es importante aprender como llegar a todos.



Juan Pablo Garcia

Soy el Coordinador Regional de Santa Barbara. He sido maestro catequistas desde el 2016. Tengo una pasión especial por enseñar y compartir nuestra fe. He estudiado diferentes cursos y certificaciones. Mi última certificación fue en Loyola Mary Mount University obteniendo un certificado de Parish Business Administration.



1-57

Encontrando a Jesús en el Rito de Iniciación Cristiana

El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana es un proceso que parte del encuentro con Jesús. Este taller ayudara a los participantes a entender que a través del proceso podrán encontrarse con Jesús y que en cada etapa decidirán si quieren seguirlo hasta llevarlos a confiar en El recibiendo los sacramentos.

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1-58

Conversando con los Santos

Descubriremos que el dejarse moldear por Dios nos transforma, nos lleva a la conversión y la conversión a la santidad. ¡O sea, que tú puedes ser santo/a!



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1-59

La Iglesia Domestica: ¡Abramos nuestro corazón al Señor!

Desde el Concilio Vaticano II, el nombre de "Iglesia Doméstica" se le ha dado a la familia porque es ese el lugar primario donde se nutre y se forma la fe de nuestros hijos e hijas. La pandemia reveló un vacío crucial y la gran necesidad de que cada parroquia promueva y apoye la formación en la fe desde el corazón mismo de la familia para que mamá y papá vivan su vocación de primeros catequistas, testigos y compañeros del camino de fe de sus hijos. En este taller conversaremos sobre diferentes maneras de ayudar a cada familia a convertirse en el lugar donde los niños experimentan la fe primero. También presentaremos herramientas y recursos prácticos para ayudar a los catequistas a conectarse con las familias de sus programas de formación en la fe. Juntos, catequistas y familias, están llamados a ser "compañeros" de sus hijos e hijas en su camino para convertirse en discípulos misioneros de Jesús.



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Dn. Douglas Zuniga

Douglas nació en Nicaragua y vive en los Estados Unidos desde 1989. Se graduó del Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising (FIDM) en Los Ángeles como Diseñador Gráfico. En el 2016 se graduó del Seminario St. John en Camarillo con una maestría en Ministerio Pastoral. Su experiencia en el ministerio parroquial incluye ser catequista de niños y adultos, dirigir retiros de preparación sacramental para padres e hijos/as, Coordinador de Educación Religiosa en la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora del Santo Rosario en Sun Valley, participar activamente en una pequeña comunidad por más de 26 años y dirigir un coro en español para el culto dominical. A nivel arquidiocesano, su experiencia ministerial incluye dirigir talleres del Año Litúrgico para catequistas de primaria y ser parte durante muchos años de equipos de Formación de catequistas en inglés y español, en los niveles básico y avanzado. Douglas es Maestro de Catequistas de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles y se desempeña actualmente como Coordinador de Catequesis Elemental en la Oficina de Educación Religiosa. Douglas fue ordenado como Diacono Permanente para la Arquidiócesis de Los Angeles en junio del 2023.



2-51

Fomentar una Espiritualidad Misionera para las Familias de Hoy

La pandemia ha agudizado una crisis global y la Iglesia necesita de todas las familias católicas para responder con urgencia a las necesidades actuales. Las familias son colaboradoras de la construcción del Reino de Dios aquí y ahora. A la luz del Evangelio reflexionaremos en la misión que tienen las familias de transmitir la fe a las futuras generaciones: "Busquen primero el Reino y su justicia, y todo lo demás se les dará por añadidura" (Mt. 6,33).

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2-52

Tres puntos a considerar para todo intercesor

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2-53

Nuestra Nueva Normalidad

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Este taller incluirá :

1. Planeando nuestra ministerio en una nueva normalidad
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Mrs. Flor de Maria Luna

Flor de María Luna es la Coordinadora de Formación de Catequistas para los Programas de Inglés Básico y Avanzado de la Oficina de Educación Religiosa de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Su experiencia catequística incluye ser directora de educación religiosa durante casi veinte años. Tiene una cátedra en Teología de la Universidad Francisco Marroquín en Guatemala, un Certificado de Ministerio Hispano de la Universidad Mount Saint Mary en Los Ángeles, una Maestría en Ministerio Pastoral del Seminario Saint John en Camarillo, CA. Ha servido en la Oficina de Educación Religiosa – ADLA como Maestra de Catequistas durante veinte años. Actualmente está cursando una Maestría en Artes en Espiritualidad. Coordina y capacita a facilitadores para la formación en inglés: One Mission One Faith; Ella tiene la experiencia pastoral y habilidades en la formación de catequistas.

2-54

La moral de Jesús como guía para la transformación personal.

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Formación litúrgica del pueblo de Dios: la carta apostólica Desiderio Desideravi

Desiderio desideravi, el título del documento del Papa Francisco de 2022 sobre la sagrada liturgia, proviene de la versión latina de Lucas 22:15: "He deseado fervientemente (Desiderio desideravi) comer esta Pascua con vosotros antes de sufrir". El Papa Francisco comienza esta hermosa y relativamente breve reflexión sobre la belleza, la bondad y la verdad de la sagrada liturgia recordándonos el amor y el deseo de la Santísima Trinidad por nosotros.

El Papa Francisco anima a profundizar nuestra comprensión de la Eucaristía para que podamos apreciar plenamente las riquezas de la liturgia.

Fr. Juan Ochoa

Fr. Juan was ordained a priest for the archdiocese of Los Angeles in 2014. He served as associate pastor at St. Emydius Church in Lynwood. He was also associate pastor at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels and Master of Ceremonies to Archbishop Jose Gomez. He is the currently the pastor of Christ the King Church. He is also the Director of the Office for Divine Worship for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. He holds a Masters of Divinity, a Masters of Art in Systematic Theology, and is finishing his licentiate in sacramental theology.

2-56

Espiritualidad del Servidor

En este taller veremos que la espiritualidad del servidor es la espiritualidad de Jesús que no busca ser servido sino servir. Cuál es la diferencia entre un servidor y un discípulo de Jesús. Cuáles son sus características y por medio de reflexiones de citas bíblicas el participante podrá saber dónde esta y en que tiene que trabajar para ser un verdadero servidor.



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¿Pecado original o bendición original? ¡Sanación por el Bien de la Justicia!

El jesuita p. Walter Burkhart, un teólogo bíblico, define la 'Justicia' como 'Fidelidad a las demandas de una relación'. En otras palabras, ¿se trata de sanar las relaciones de sus heridas! Para que la Justicia Social se realice en nuestras comunidades, la sanación interior y la sanación relacional son los puntos de partida. Dado que hoy abundan los traumas generacionales y de desarrollo, este taller nos invita a redescubrir nuestro nacimiento como Amados Hijos e Hijas de un Dios Amoroso. Debido a los traumas heredados de nuestras culturas, entornos y familias de origen, y agravados por los traumas del desarrollo del parto y los entornos dolorosos en nuestros primeros y últimos años, muchos de nosotros perdemos el sentido de pertenencia original. Tendemos a actuar inconscientemente a partir de recuerdos oscuros y reprimidos. Aquí esperamos explorar cómo lidiar con nuestro dolor y el dolor de nuestros pequeños mientras creamos espacios seguros y sagrados en nuestras relaciones familiares y comunitarias para la curación, la transformación a medida que nos convertimos, como afirma San Ireneo, 'La gloria de Dios como el ser humano ¡Persona completamente viva!' Llegamos a ser sanadores heridos.

Fr. Stan Bosch, S.T. Psy. D.

Padre Stan Bosch, ST, Psy. D. ha trabajado con la pandilla de Los Ángeles que involucra a jóvenes y adultos durante más de 30 años. Su trabajo con jóvenes del centro de la ciudad apareció en el documental de National Geographic "Inside LA Gang Wars", así como en Los Angeles Times de agosto de 2009: "Hablemos de eso y The LA Archdiocesan Tidings:" ¡Creando comunidades de cuidado! Padre Stan tiene un doctorado en psicología con énfasis en Terapia Matrimonial y Familiar de la Escuela de Psicología Profesional de Chicago. Es psicoterapeuta, Director de Salud Mental para la intervención de pandillas con Soledad Enrichment Action (SEA) y el Proyecto de Desarrollo Juvenil y Reducción de Pandillas de la Ciudad de Los Ángeles (GRYD). También mantiene una práctica privada en psicoterapia en el sur de Los Ángeles y se especializa en psicoterapia grupal e individual psicodinámica que trata el trauma/abuso temprano, la depresión, las adicciones y los problemas relacionados con las pandillas. Es pastor de la Iglesia Católica de St. Raphael en el sur de Los Ángeles. Es bilingüe en inglés y español.



3-51

¡Que Alegría Cuando me Dijeron!

En este taller reflexionaremos sobre el lugar de la Eucaristía en nuestras clases de catecismo y en nuestras vidas. Mi meta es que, al terminar esta conferencia, los participantes salgan con el conocimiento y convicción de cuán importante es la Eucaristía, para que ustedes puedan transmitir esta emoción y motivación a todas las familias especialmente a aquellas con hijos en preparación sacramental.

David Lara

David Lara nació en Guanajuato, México.

Antes de trabajar en la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles, David trabajó por más de veinte años en tres parroquias en las áreas de Pastoral Juvenil y Educación Religiosa. David estudió en la Universidad Estatal de Northridge (CSUN), en la Universidad Católica de Loyola (LMU) y en el Seminario de San Juan, donde hizo estudios parciales para una maestría en Estudios Pastorales. David es un Maestro Catequista certificado con los lineamientos de la Conferencia Episcopal de los Obispos Católicos de Los Estados Unidos.

Desde el 2005 David trabaja en la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles como Coordinador Regional en el Departamento de Educación Religiosa. Está casado con Mariaelena desde 1994.



3-52

Ministerio de la Juventud - ¡Se necesita TODA la comunidad de fe

Todos los jóvenes están en un camino de fe. ¿Cómo puede la comunidad de fe ayudar a un joven en su camino hacia el discipulado? Durante este taller, revisaremos los objetivos y componentes para una pastoral juvenil integral y, nos sumergiremos en procesos que nos ayuden a evaluar dónde se encuentra nuestra comunidad parroquial y qué oportunidades podemos ofrecer. ¡Ayudemos a los jóvenes a ser protagonistas en el mundo y a responder a la llamada de Dios de estar hechos para algo más grande!

Dayrin E. Perez Coordinadora Principal del Ministerio Juvenil

Dayrin Pérez se embarcó en un viaje en octubre de 2019 como Coordinadora del Ministerio Juvenil de la Oficina de Educación Religiosa de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Ha servido en la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles durante más de 15 años como Directora del Ministerio Juvenil, Coordinadora de Confirmación y Directora del Ministerio Familiar. Su amor por difundir el evangelio ha sido su inspiración para servir como oradora y líder de retiros para parroquias y organizaciones nacionales como NFCYM. Dayrin ha estado casada con su esposo Gabriel durante 16 años, tiene 3 hijos enérgicos, ama el café, cualquier cosa de Disney y vive aventuras con su familia.



Jenny, Coordinadora de Pastoral Juvenil

Jenny Jackson ha estado trabajando como Coordinadora de Eventos del Ministerio Juvenil (RECongress Youth Day y City of Saints Teen Conference) para la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. En su cargo actual, como Coordinadora de Pastoral Juvenil, brindará apoyo a los Ministros Juveniles y Coordinadores de Confirmación de la Región de San Pedro y la Región de Nuestra Señora de los Ángeles. Antes de trabajar en la Arquidiócesis, estuvo en St. Vincent de Paul en Los Ángeles como Coordinadora de Confirmación y Liturgia. Le apasiona construir relaciones y ayudar a otros a sentirse empoderados para responder al llamado de Dios en sus vidas.

3-53

Confirmación: Conecta la fe con la vida de los Jóvenes

La preparación para recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación debe incluir experiencias de reflexión en la fe y oportunidades de servicio. Estas experiencias proporcionan un marco para que los jóvenes se encuentren con Dios en sus vidas y en las vidas de quienes viven en los márgenes y despierten su conciencia sobre las injusticias que enfrenta el mundo de hoy. También les ayuda a reflexionar sobre cómo la Iglesia está respondiendo en amor y descubran el significado del discipulado; y llevar a cabo acciones enraizadas en la misión de Dios.



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La Imagen de la Virgen de Guadalupe, un nuevo Pentecostés

Esta conferencia presenta los contextos de como el evento y la imagen de la Guadalupana les habla a gentes de diferentes tiempos y épocas, abrazando a todos con un mensaje del amor de Dios, un nuevo Pentecostés.

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3-55

Catolicos LGBTQ: Ministerio Inclusivo comenzando en la Parroquia

Hay una necesidad de ministerio que no está siendo satisfecha. Cada vez más catequistas, lectores, personal parroquial y otros ministros y voluntarios católicos se ven divididos entre su amor por un ser querido que es LGBTQ+ y su amor por la Iglesia. ¿Cómo podemos servir mejor a esta parte del Cuerpo de Cristo? ¿Cuáles son algunos principios de Doctrina y Cuidado Pastoral que a menudo ignoramos? ¿Cómo podemos hacer que nuestros ministerios sean más inclusivos y de bienvenida?

Yunuen Trujillo

Yunuen Trujillo es un ministro laico católico, un organizador comunitario basado en la fe y un abogado de inmigración. Como ministra laica, es una de las principales figuras del ministerio católico LGBT inclusivo en los Estados Unidos. Como organizadora comunitaria, ha trabajado con L.A. Voice PICO, una organización religiosa multirracial que trabaja para crear una sociedad que refleje la dignidad de todas las personas. Es Coordinadora de Formación Religiosa (español) con el Ministerio Católico con Personas Lesbianas y Gays de la Arquidiócesis de Los Ángeles. Es autora del libro "Católicos LGBT: Una guía para un ministerio inclusivo", (Paulist Press)

3-57

El arte de acompañar en la Era digital

Nuestras comunidades parroquiales están compuestas esencialmente por personas voluntarias que se organizan en equipos y colaboran en conjunto. Cada una de ellas aporta experiencias y habilidades únicas para cumplir con la misión de la Iglesia. Cada una de ellas es una tierra sagrada. ¿Cómo podemos asumir la invitación del Papa Francisco para poner en práctica el arte de acompañar la tierra sagrada de nuestros equipos en la Era digital?



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Su anhelo es contribuir a la espiritualidad desde nuevos métodos y lenguajes para vivir, describir y proponer la experiencia religiosa a través de las experiencias contextuales de las comunidades migrantes. Yolanda Chavez recibió su Maestría en Divinidades del Seminario Teológico de Fuller en Pasadena, CA, donde actualmente hace sus estudios doctorales en ministerio.



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La Creatividad y los Santos

Recorreremos como los santos diseñaron una catequesis motivadora, atractiva y trascendente por medio de la creatividad logrando así transmitir a Dios de una manera dinámica, cercana y amena.

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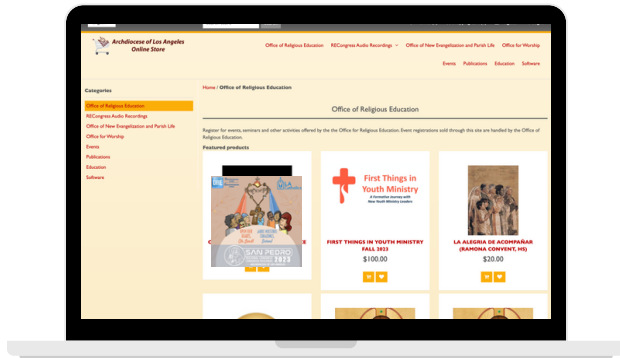


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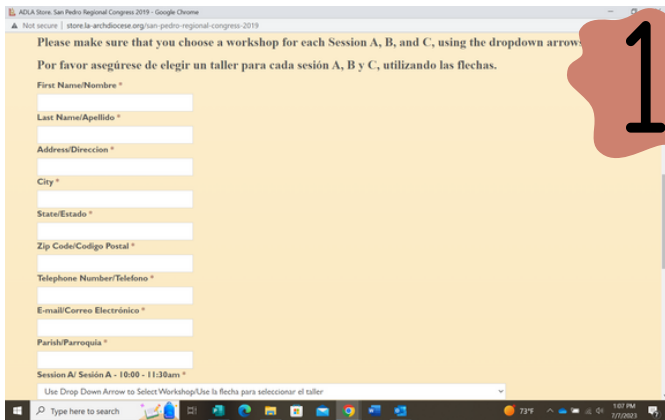
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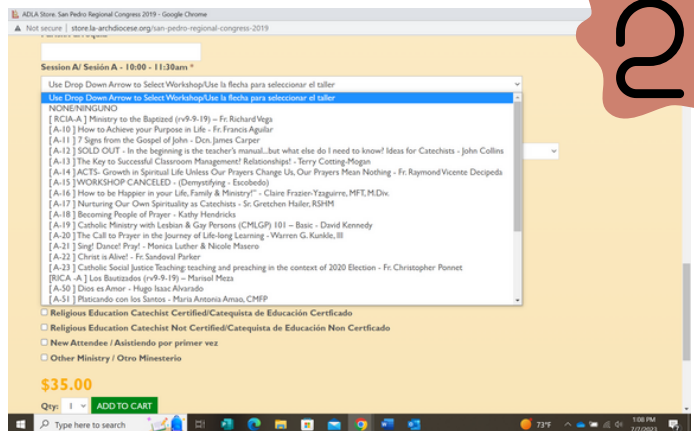
If you need assistance in registering, please contact **Maria Teresa Duran** at **562- 630-6272** or by email: mtduran@sppr.org



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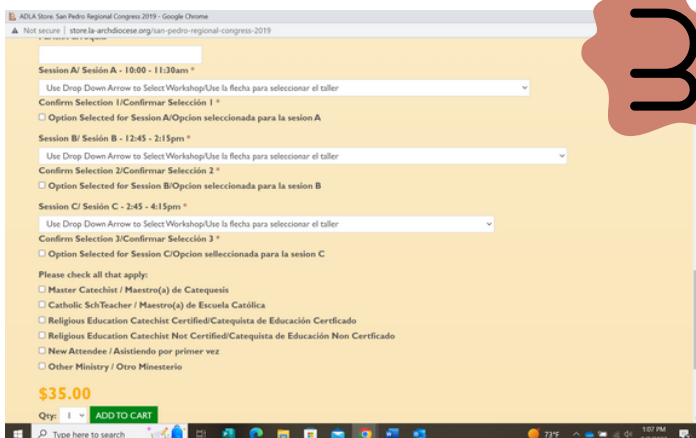
1. Fill in the boxes with the personal information of the person registering.

2. Please select your workshop using the dropdown to make your selection and highlight it.



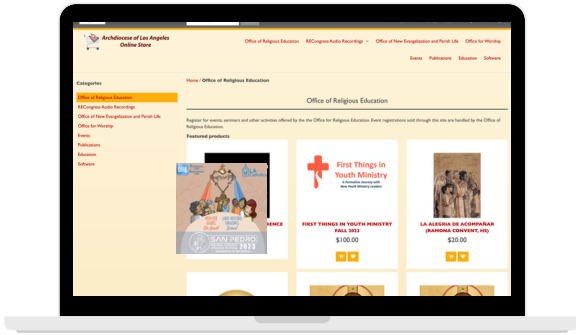
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3. Verify your selection of workshops before going to the cart to checkout.



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Registración en Línea



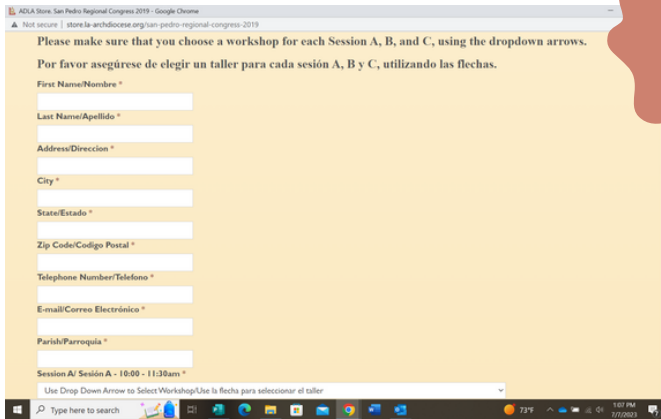
Se prefiere y alienta la inscripción en línea.

Inscríbase en línea en la Oficina de Asuntos Religiosos tienda de ADLA

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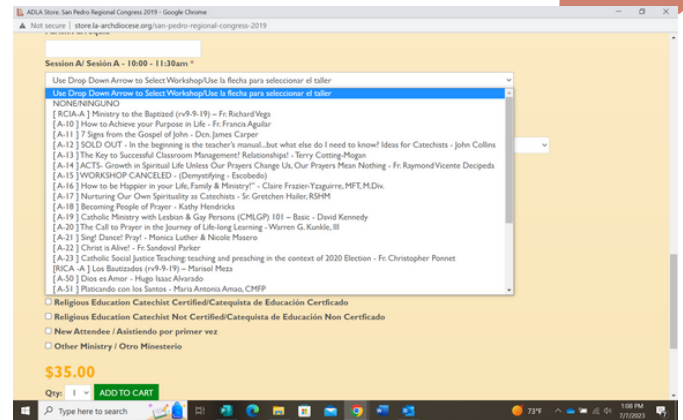


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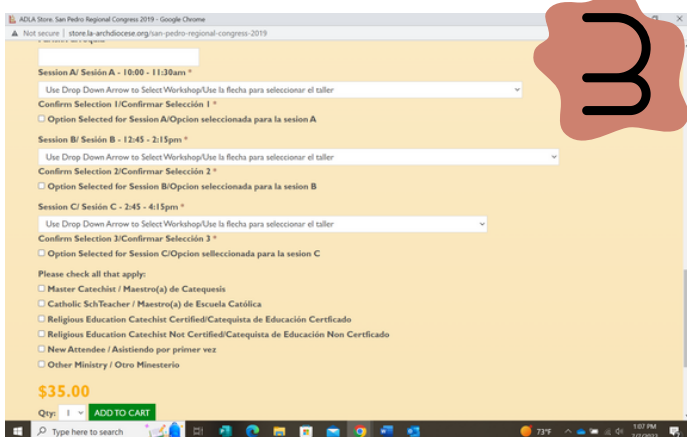
1. Llene las casillas con los datos personales de la persona que se va a registrar.

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2. Seleccione su talleres utilizando el menú y marcando su selección, use la flecha que se encuentra a su derecha.



3. Verifique su selección de talleres antes de ir a la carrito y pagar.



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ON SITE REGISTRATION WILL BE AVAILABLE
WORKSHOPS WILL BE LIMITED
FEE \$35 PER PERSON

Payment Method- ONLY Cash or Check
Credit Cards will not be accepted

ALL NAME BADGES WILL BE PICKED
UP AT CONGRESS ON OCTOBER 7 AT
THE WILL CALL TABLES

LA INSCRIPCIÓN PRESENCIAL ESTARÁ DISPONIBLE LOS
TALLERES SERÁN LIMITADOS
TARIFA \$35 POR PERSONA

Método de pago: SOLO efectivo o cheque
No se aceptarán Tarjetas de Crédito

LOS BOLETOS SE RECOGERÁN EN EL
CONGRESO EL 7 DE OCTUBRE