We Welcome Volunteers

Each year the Catholic Men’s Conference improves by using the talents of those volunteers who want to help out. We can always use the help of many more men. This includes the young. “Many hands make light work!”

These are some responsibilities where we can use your help:

- Recruiting fellow parishioners to come to the Conference
- Bringing young men from Parish Youth Groups & Colleges
- Reaching out to parish communities yet to come
- Attracting Exhibitors
- Getting Advertising
- Early Morning Volunteers on Conference Day
- Welcome & Hospitality throughout the Conference Day

If you can help in any of these ways please contact any of the following committee members at their email addresses:

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FOR TICKETS:
Send your check to Catholic Men’s Conference, 49 Elm Street, Worcester, MA 01609

For information, call Joan DeMasi at: 508-929-4345

Purchase online, thru PayPal, at: www.firstmensconf.org

PARKING:
Assumption College Parking Areas

DIRECTIONS:
Travel to: 500 Salisbury Street, Worcester, MA 01609;
www.assumption.edu
see directions on home page

WHERE:
Assumption College Plourde Center

WHEN:
Saturday, March 28, 2020

TICKET PRICES:
$30 for students
$45 for adults through Wed., March 11 at midnight
$60 for adults on March 12, and following, & at the door

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If you are looking for:

• practical answers for today’s challenges . . .
• new ways to grow in your Catholic faith . . .
• a connection with over a thousand men, young and old . . .
• opportunities for local spiritual programs . . .
• and especially . . . if you desire a deeper union with Christ

Come!

• Hear and meet our great national speakers!
• Rediscover and renew your faith!
• Offer your confession!
• Celebrate the Eucharist with Bishop McManus!

Why?

• You’ll strengthen your Catholic identity
• You’ll meet others who want to make a difference

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Conference Schedule

7:30 am Registration begins
8:00 am Rosary (2nd Floor, Hagan Center)
8:30 am Music begins
8:45 am Welcome & Prayer
9:00 am Scott Hahn
10:30 am Bishop Robert Reed
11:30 am Confessions & Lunch
12:00 pm Luis Soto (in Spanish) (in Textis Building)
1:30 pm Luis Soto
2:30 pm Scott Hahn
4:00 pm Conference Mass
Sincerely yours in Christ,  
+ Michael J. McManus  
Bishop of Worcester

DR. SCOTT HAHN
The Road to Emmaus: The Path to Lifelong Conversion

The Power of the Sacraments

One of the most sought after speakers in the country Dr. Hahn will offer two talks at the conference. Having entered the Catholic Church in 1986, he is chair of Biblical Theology and the New Evangelization at Franciscan University of Steubenville. His talks have been effective in helping thousands of Protestants and fallen away Catholics to (re)embrace the Catholic faith. He is also the bestselling author of numerous books. Some of his newest are The First Society, The Second Cup, Romans: A Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture, The Creed, Evangelizing Catholics, Angels and Saints, and Joy to the World.

BISHOP ROBERT REED
O God, Just Give Me One More Chance

No matter how strong we are, we fail, but I am never a failure! The door to mercy is always open to me. Am I strong enough, courageous enough, humble enough to enter? Bishop Reed is an Auxiliary Bishop of Boston. He is President of The CatholicTV Network. He regularly celebrates the network’s Masses, hosts the game show WOW! The CatholicTV Challenge, and regularly co-hosts CatholicTV’s signature talk series This is the Day. He is the author of Renewed: Ten Ways to Rediscover the Saints, Embrace Your Gifts and Revive Your Catholic Faith and companion television series RENEWED.

LUIS SOTO
Our Lady of Guadalupe, Queen of the Americas

Many people have heard of Our Lady of Guadalupe, but few people know her story. In this talk, speaker and catechist Luis Soto (who himself was born and raised in Mexico) shares the little-known history and life-changing importance of Mary’s appearance to a peasant man named Juan Diego, and the miraculous image she left behind. Loved by millions (including St. John Paul II), Our Lady of Guadalupe is a patron and example of those living in North America.

RYAN TREMBLAY
Soloist & Guitarist

When Ryan Tremblay starts singing, or picks up a guitar, or gets anywhere near a set of drums, people stop and listen. Through music he shares his love for Jesus Christ, for the Church, and for the beauty of creation. He followed his heart by learning how to sing and play guitar and write for his own voice. “My Life with You is a musical collection is a collaboration with Todd Urbanos. His songs reflect a depth that’s come from years of working together. “Our music is one part witness and one part invitation to anyone who wants to listen. We leave space in our lives for God’s grace to flood over us.”

ELIZABETH TREMBLAY
Vocalist

Elizabeth Tremblay (Panillo) grew up singing in church with her mother, who was the Music Director at their home parish. Her love for music grew as she started serving as a cantor/soloist for various churches and throughout Southern New England. She continues to sing in churches alongside her husband, Ryan, a Christian singer/songwriter. Liz has performed with various groups/artists including JuanyJoe (Boston area acoustic rock duo), Sure Thing (Rhode Island Southern MA Top 40 wedding/dance band), Mike Tanaka and Friends (Rhode Island Jazz ensemble), and Mango Trois (Rhode Island jazz trio). She is currently co-writing & recording an album of original music.

BISHOP ROBERT J. MCMANUS
Conference Mass & Homily

One of the features of the Conference each year is the opportunity to gather for the Eucharist with the Chief Shepherd of the Diocese, Bishop McManus. He has served on various episcopal committees, and the Conference of Catholic Bishops: Education, Healthcare and Pro-Life. The bishop joins us for the 16th consecutive year. Our Mass features St. John’s text where Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead and says, “Unite him and let him go free.”

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