

Defending the Faith Simple Website Schedule – with talk titles

July 28-30th 2023

Hope and Holiness

“May the eyes of [your] hearts be enlightened, that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call.” -Ephesians 1:18

Friday, July 28th

Noon – 8:00 pm	Registration and Housing Check In
1:30 pm	Doors Open
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	EARLY BIRD SESSION <i>(Open to Applied Biblical Studies and Defending the Faith participants)</i> Keynote: “Confusion in the Kingdom: Answering Liberal Catholicism” - Trent Horn Keynote: “The Art of Becoming: God Disciples a Nation!” - Jeff Cavins
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Travelers’ Mass
4:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Dinner
5:45 pm	Doors Open
6:45 pm – 7:00 pm	Gathering Music
7:00 pm – 10:00 pm	EVENING SESSION Keynote: “Saved and Sanctified in Hope” - Fr. Jeff Kirby Keynote: “The Primacy of Prayer: Hope for the Spiritual Battles We Face Today” - Dr. Edward Sri
10:00 pm – 11:15 pm	Social
10:00 pm – 11:45 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, July 29th

6:30-8:00 am	Sacrament of Reconciliation (CTK)
6:30am – 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:00 am – Noon	Registration Open
7:00 am	Doors Open
7:40 am – 8:00 am	Rosary
8:00 am – 8:15am	Gathering Music
8:15 am – Noon	MORNING SESSION Keynote: “Blessed Are You: The Beatitudes as a Roadmap to Holiness” - Dcn. Harold Burke-Sivers Keynote: “A Tale of Two Generations: Big Apologetics in 1988 vs. 2023” Patrick Madrid Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: Fr. Jeff Kirby
Noon – 2:00 pm	Lunch

Noon – 2:00 pm	Prayer Ministry Available
1:00 pm – 1:45 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
1:30 pm	Doors Open
2:00 pm – 3:15 pm	WORKSHOPS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “So Great a Cloud of Witnesses: On the Biblical Reality for the Communion of Saints” -Michael Gormley • “Answering LGBT Revisionist Theory” -Trent Horn • “The Price: Retail Therapy vs A Glorious Inheritance!” -Jeff Cavins • “What is a Man? Fatherhood and Family in an Age of Feminism” -Noelle Mering
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	Break
3:30 – 5:30 pm	Young Adult Social and talk “Modern Mentalities: I’m Spiritual but not Religious” - Michael Gormley *Pre-registration is required; open to ages 18-30
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	WORKSHOPS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Finding Hope and Holiness in the Culture of Woke” -Dcn. Harold Burke-Sivers • “Staying Awake in an Age of Ideology” -Noelle Mering • “The Worst is Yet to Come: Christian Hope in an Increasingly Hostile World” - Clement Harrold • "Stump the Apologist" -Patrick Madrid
4:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Dinner
5:00 pm – 6:45 pm	Prayer Ministry Available
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:45 pm	Doors Open
6:45 pm – 7:00 pm	Gathering Music
7:00 pm – 10:00 pm	EVENING SESSION Praise and Worship Keynote: “Journey to Holiness; Further up and further in” - Dr. Scott Hahn Eucharistic Holy Hour- Fr. Nathan Malavolti, TOR *Prayer Ministry will be available during the Holy Hour
10:00 pm – 11:00 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
10:00 pm – 11:15 pm	Social

Sunday, July 30th

6:30-8:00 am	Sacrament of Reconciliation
6:30 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast

7:15 am	Doors Open
7:55am – 8:15 am	Rosary
8:15am – 8:30 am	Gathering Music
8:30 am – Noon	MORNING SESSION Keynote: “From Fire, by Water: My Journey to the Catholic Faith” - Sohrab Ahmari Keynote: “Changing the World--Mary our Model for Evangelization” - Kimberly Hahn Holy Sacrifice of the Mass – Fr. Jonathan St. Andre
Noon – 2:00 pm	Lunch
Until 2:00 pm	Residence Hall Check Out