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invites you to

**CELEBRATE THE
FIRST ANNUAL**



*University of Dallas
Ministry Conference*

***Walking Together in Faith
Caminando juntos en la fe***

**September 6-8, 2007
Westin Park Central
Dallas, Texas**

University of Dallas Ministry Conference 2007

The University of Dallas Ministry Conference will be held September 6-8, 2007 at the Westin Park Central, 12720 Merit Drive in Dallas, TX. The conference is sponsored by the University of Dallas School of Ministry/IRPS in association with the Diocese of Dallas who previously sponsored a Ministry Formation Day in late August on an annual basis. The School of Ministry/IRPS has expanded on the efforts of the Catechetical Office to provide a Ministry Conference that will benefit all ministers of the Church. The University of Dallas Ministry Conference offers keynotes and sessions in both English and Spanish. There are opportunities to network with national level exhibitors, local and regional organizations, participate in various publisher showcases and prize drawings in the exhibit hall.

The theme for the 2007 University of Dallas Ministry Conference is:

***Walking Together in Faith
Caminando juntos en la fe***

Goals:

- ♦ To meet the diverse needs of all ministries in the diocese at all levels
- ♦ To meet the diverse needs of lay Catholics in the diocese at all levels
- ♦ To develop respect for the variety of ways that we respond in faith
- ♦ To develop awareness that God continues to speak to us
- ♦ To deepen and develop our relationship with God

Though the University of Dallas Ministry Conference is designed for those in the Diocese of Dallas and surrounding area, an open registration policy will attract regional and national participants, so we encourage early pre-registration.

Special Conference Features

Invite a friend!

Make your plans to attend this year's University of Dallas Ministry Conference.

We offer:

- ♦ **Lunch options Friday and Saturday - \$8 each Menu selections available in confirmation letter**
- ♦ **Banquet - \$35 Menu selections available in confirmation letter**
- ♦ **Friday Night Concert Event**
- ♦ **Friday and Saturday lunchtime Showcases sponsored by our publishers**

Plan to reserve a hotel room to fully enjoy the Friday night events and the full conference.

Stay at the Westin and qualify to win a \$100 prize on Friday or Saturday.

Hotel Information

Westin Park Central, 12720 Merit Drive Dallas TX 75251-1290, Phone: (972) 385-3000, located at Interstate 635 West and Colt Road. Please make your reservations by August 15, 2007. Mention the University of Dallas Ministry Conference to receive the special conference rate of \$99+ tax!

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Schedule

For complete session descriptions and speaker bios please visit the conference web site:
www.UDallasConference.com.

Thursday, September 6, 2007

- 1:30-5:00 PM Clergy Session Rev. Ronald Rolheiser, OMI and Rev. Louis Cameli
Topic: How Has the Role of the Ordained Changed?
- 5:00-7:00 PM Reception For Clergy, Presenters, Sponsors and Exhibitors

Friday, September 7, 2007

- 7:30 - 8:30 AM Registration
Exhibits/Sponsor prizes (drawings - must be present to win)
- 9:30-11:00 AM Keynote/Weaver Rev. Ronald Rolheiser, OMI Collaborative Ministries, Part 1
(Simultaneous Spanish translation available)
- 11:00 - 1:45 PM During this period: Lunch, Exhibits and the following:
- 11:15 - 12:30 PM
101 Rev. Ronald Rolheiser, OMI Collaborative Ministries-Part II
(Simultaneous Spanish translation available)
- 11:15-12:15 PM Session 100:
- 102 Rev. Lawrence Boadt, CSP Catholic Biblical Spirituality for Life in the Parish
103 Rev. Louis Cameli Religious and Spiritual Identity: The Catholic Difference and the Difference it Makes
104 Gary Daigle Shaping Musical Liturgy
105 Pam Neumann One Size Fits Nobody
106 Joanne Paradise The Catechist (Catholic School Teacher) as Priest, Prophet and King
107 Dr. Joseph White Managing Behavioral Needs in the Religious Education Classroom
- 11:30 - 12:15 PM Publisher Showcases
12:45 - 1:30 PM Publisher Showcases (Repeat)
- 1:45-2:45 PM Session 200:
- 201 Steven Ellair Effective Prayer with Children! It's Easier Than you Think! (for K-3)
202 Msgr. Don Fischer Preacher and Assembly: A Match Made in Heaven
203 Tom Gull Parish Census Data: A Gold Mine for Marketing, Recruitment, and Management
204 Rev. Robert Hater Finding God In the Stories of Our Lives
205 Dr. Saundra Kennedy Ministry and Vocation of the Catholic School Teacher
206 Anna Scally Tune In: Use Their Issues, Teach to Their Issues, Touch Their Hearts
207 Mary Elizabeth Sperry Liturgical Literacy in the Parish
208 Joyce Springer Tricks of the Trade- Catechists
- 2:45 - 3:00 PM Break
- 3:00-4:00 PM Session 300:
- 301 Steven Ellair Effective Prayer with Children! It's Easier Than you Think! (for 4-8)
302 Sr. Dolorette Farias, SSND Spiritual Leadership: Changing the Face of the Church
303 Adele Gonzalez Leadership and Diversity: Bringing out the Best in Everyone
304 ValLimar Jansen Liturgical Catechesis in a Multicultural Setting
305 Pam Neumann One Size Fits Nobody
306 Sylvia Orazco-Joseph Empowering Children to Protect Themselves
307 Jo Rotunno Teaching Freedom to Today's Children
308 Anna Scally When You Pray, What Do You Hear?
- 4:00 - 5:00 PM Exhibits - Drawings (must be present to win)
- 6:00 PM Optional Banquet
- 7:00 PM Keynote Steven Ellair Sharing Our Stories of Faith
- 8:00 PM Concert Gary Daigle, Jennifer Broyard Bonam, Richard Cherie, ValLimar Jansen,
Peter Kolar, W. Clifford Petty, Jalonda Robertson and Ginny Temple.

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Saturday, September 8, 2007

7:30 - 8:30 AM Registration
Exhibits/Sponsor prizes (drawings - must be present to win)

8:30 - 9:00 AM Prayer and Welcome

9:15-10:15 AM Session 400

401 Steven Ellair	Some Say Learning Can't be Fun...Wanna Bet?
402 Tom Gull	Parish Census Data: A Gold Mine for Marketing, Recruitment, and Management
403 Rev. Robert Hater	The Catholic Family in Our Changing World
404 Dr. Saundra Kennedy	Catholic Parenting: Faith Development in the Home
405 Dr. Dan Luby	Making Connections: Theological Reflection as a Preaching Methodology
406 David O'Brien	Spirituality of Sustainability--Tree Huggers, Prolifers and the Church of the Poor
407 Anna Scally	Tune In: Use Their Issues, Teach to Their Issues, Touch Their Hearts
408 Mary Elizabeth Sperry	Five Things Every Parish Liturgist Should Know
409 Joyce Springer	Tricks of the Trade-Catechists
410 Dr. Joseph White	Burnout Busters: Stress Management for Ministry

10:15 - 10:45 AM Break -Exhibits -Drawing (must be present to win)

10:45-11:45 AM Keynote Most Rev. Ricardo Ramirez, C.S.B. "On your mark, get set, go and teach!"
Responding to the Call to Ministry in a Multicultural Church

11:45 - 12:15 PM Weaver

12:15 - 1:30 PM Lunch-Exhibits -Drawing (must be present to win)

12:30 - 1:10 PM Publisher Showcases

1:30-2:30 PM Session 500

501 Richard Cheri	It's A Brighter Day - Part I
502 Amy Florian	What is Ritual and Why Should a Catechist Care?
503 Peter Kolar	Intro to Hispanic Liturgy and Music: Lessons in Culture and Celebration
504 Joanne Paradise	Participating in God's Creativity: Practical Ideas for the Religious Education Classroom
505 Fanny Pedraza	Managing Diversity in our Parish Ministries
506 Jo Rotunno	Building Strong Households of Faith
507 Anna Scally	Keys To Happiness...If You Are Happy, Inform Your Face
508 Dr. Addie Walker, SSND	Not yet available
509 Jean Marie Weber	Co-Workers! Let Us Walk Together and Share Our Faith in Brain-Friendly Ways!

2:30 - 2:45 PM Break

2:45-3:45 PM Session 600

601 Rev. Lawrence Boadt, CSP	The Biblical Teaching on Social Justice
602 Richard Cheri	It's A Brighter Day - Part II
603 Rev. Allan Figueroa Deck, SJ	Spirituality Across Cultures. Sphere of Influence
604 Amy Florian	Helping Children Grieve
605 Dr. Dan Luby	The Best of Times, the Worst of Times: Reaching Weddings and Funerals and Other Peak Moments
606 David O'Brien	Best Practices: Making a Preferential Option for the Young Adults
607 Ginny Temple	Slow Down and Listen to the Spirit!
608 Sr. Addie Walker, SSND	Not yet available
609 Jean Marie Weber	Co-Workers! Let Us Walk Together and Share Our Faith in Brain-Friendly Ways!

3:45 - 4:15 PM Exhibits - Drawing (must be present to win)

4:15 - 5:00 PM Closing Prayer Service

Group Registration Information

Groups of 20 or more qualify for a discount group rate for both entire conference rates and individual day rates. You must list a group contact for the discount to apply. If you wish to attend the Friday Night Banquet, tickets are \$35 each.

1. All earlybird group registrations must be postmarked by **August 15, 2007**, to be eligible for the lowest conference pricing of \$55 for the full conference and \$30 for a single day registration.

No group registrations will be accepted after the August 15, 2007 postmark deadline.

2. Each member of the group must complete a Group Registration Form.
3. Each group must pay with a single check OR Visa and MasterCard are accepted with your on-line registration at www.UDallasConference.com. There is a service processing charge of 10% above your total fees.
4. Each group will designate a Group Coordinator. The Group Coordinator will be responsible for:
 - A. Collecting all the Group Registration forms from each member of the group and checking for accuracy and completeness. **You will be asked to select Sessions in your confirmation letter so that we can assign proper room sizes.**
 - B. Completing the "For Group Coordinator Only" section on the Group Coordinator's own personal registration form.
 - C. **Sending in all the participant registration forms along with one payment. All group registrations must be received at the same time and in the same envelope. NO additions may be made to a group registration once it has been submitted.**
 - D. Notifying group members of confirmation or any information received from the conference. All correspondence and/or communication regarding the conference will be sent **ONLY** to the Group Coordinator.
 - E. For registrations postmarked by August 15, 2007 conference materials including all name tags will be mailed to the group coordinator for distribution. Confirmation packets will be mailed after August 1, 2007.
 - F. Notifying T.M. Enterprises of any cancellations prior to the conference.

Replacements/Refunds/Cancellations

If a pre-registered participant is not able to attend the conference we recommend that you find a replacement to use the paid registration for the current year. At the conference registration desk, please inform the registration staff that the conference participant who is attending is a replacement for a pre-registered participant who is not able to attend the current conference year.

Cancellation of registration must be done **in writing**. The Group Coordinator is responsible for notifying T.M. Enterprises of any cancellations from the group. If received before 5:00 P.M. (CST) August 30, 2007, you will receive your registration fee less \$15 per person computer service charge. **OR**, you may choose to transfer that registration fee to the 2008 University of Dallas Ministry Conference.

All written requests for fee transfer to the 2008 conference must be received by October 6, 2007. After that date, no transfer will be given. You may email, fax or mail your request to the conference registrar at:

**T.M. Enterprises
8404 Jamesport Drive, Rockford, IL. 61108
F: 815-332-3476
Email: TMEnter2@aol.com www.UDallasConference.com**

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GROUP REGISTRATION FORM

NOTE: Group registrations of 20 or more must be postmarked by August 15, 2007 After that date only single registrations will be accepted and you must register with the Single Registration Form.

Group Coordinator's Name _____

Name of the Group _____

**Complete this form for each group participant.
Please list as you wish your name tag to appear:**

Title-First Name-Last Name-Initials of Religious Order

List your Parish / Office

Below is my **preferred** mailing address
It is for my ___ home ___ parish ___ office

Address _____

City _____

State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Diocese _____

Primary area of ministry _____

Registering For:

- ___ Entire Conference - \$55
- ___ Friday Only - \$30
- ___ Saturday Only - \$30

RSVP for these events:

- ___ Optional Friday Banquet - \$35
- ___ Regular ___ Vegetarian
- ___ Friday Lunch - \$8
- ___ Saturday Lunch - \$8

To plan appropriately, please indicate:

- ___ Yes, I plan to attend the Friday Keynote/Concert
- ___ Yes, I will need to use headset for simultaneous translation - in Spanish - Fri. AM only
- ___ Yes, I need a signer
- ___ Yes, I plan to attend the Saturday Closing Prayer Service

This section is to be completed on the Group Coordinator's Registration Form only:

Once you have received all the registration forms from your group, put them in alphabetical order by last name. Put your registration form on top. Next, fill in the blanks in this section. You need to complete this section only **ONCE**, using your registration form to do so.

Make one check payable to University of Dallas Ministry Conference.

When you have completed this section, put all the forms and your check in **ONE** envelope and return to:

**T.M. Enterprises
8404 Jamesport Drive
Rockford IL 61108**

Number Attending Entire Conference
_____ x \$55 = \$ _____
after 8-15-2007 x \$80 = _____

Number Attending Friday Only
_____ x \$30 = \$ _____
after 8-15-2007 x \$50 = _____

Number Attending Saturday Only
_____ x \$30 = \$ _____
after 8-15-2007 x \$50 = _____

SUBTOTAL \$ _____

Number of Fri. lunches x \$8 \$ _____

Number of Sat. lunches x \$8 \$ _____

Number of Friday Banquet Tickets
_____ x \$35 = \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Policy changes since the brochure printing are highlighted in yellow.

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CLERGY SESSION REGISTRATION

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CLERGY SESSION REGISTRATION
Thursday, September 6, 2007

Name _____

Parish _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

____ I will attend the Clergy Session on Thursday, 1:30 - 5:00 PM

____ I will attend the Evening Reception 5:00 - 7:00 PM
