

Sixty-Eighth Annual Convention

The Catholic Theological Society of America



Conversion

Hyatt Regency Miami
Miami, Florida
June 6–9, 2013

The Seal of the Catholic Theological Society of America

The first and fourth quarters of the shield are tinctured red, the color of the Humanity of the Lord, and the cross is gold, the color of his Divinity. The cross of our salvation is an appropriate charge with which to quarter the arms of the Catholic Theological Society of America. The open book refers, of course, to the Sacred Scriptures.

To represent Tradition, the four Doctors of the Church who support the Cathedra Petri, enclosed in a casing of bronze above the apsidal altar of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, are represented by their symbols in the four quarters of the shield. Two are of the Latin and two of the Eastern Church.

The beehive in the first quarter represents St. Ambrose, on whose lips as a young child a swarm of bees is said to have rested as a portent of his eloquence.

The symbol of the cross with the two rings in the second quarter represents St. Athanasius. Since "Athanasius" is from the Greek meaning "without death" or "immortality," a black field has been chosen to symbolize death and the cross is silver (white) to carry out the meaning of his name. Silver is the color of light and it is accentuated by being placed on a black background. The two circles, or rings, interlaced to symbolize unity in one person, represent the two natures in Christ, substantially joined, which Athanasius defended. They encircle the cross, the symbol of faith and of Jesus Christ, to bring to mind the Athanasian Creed which derives its title from this great Confessor and Doctor of the Church. The form of the cross used is Eastern, commonly known as the Greek cross.

The third quarter indicates St. John Chrysostom, Archbishop of Constantinople. His name means "golden mouthed." It is said that a snow-white dove flew into the church at his ordination. The beak of the dove has been tinctured in gold to symbolize his name. The black field was chosen to artistically balance the second quarter.

The fourth quarter bears the flaming heart with the two arrows to represent St. Augustine. This is the well-known symbol of the Bishop of Hippo.

The cross itself is the background for charges representing two recently declared Doctors of the Church. Passing behind the open book on the vertical arm of the cross is a red arrow. This represents St. Teresa of Avila, who described one of her spiritual experiences through the image of an angel wounding her heart with a dart. This transverberation, partly because of Bernini's depiction, became a common symbol of Teresa and her writings. A red quill pen, on the horizontal arm of the cross, represents St. Catherine of Siena. It calls to mind her writings and her authority. Its red color symbolizes Christ's redeeming us through the shedding of his blood, which is a theme prominent in her writings, as well as the gift of the stigmata which she received.

The chief, or the upper third of the shield, bears a golden sun on a white background. This is the symbol of St. Thomas Aquinas, Doctor of the Church and author of the *Summa Theologiae*. He is the patron of Catholic students, schools and universities. The stars represent Mary, the Mother of God, as "Stella Duce" and "Stella Maris," the guiding light of theological wisdom, and the "extirpator of all heresies."

Above the shield the lamp of learning and wisdom rests on a wreath to symbolize "Reason."

The order of the quarters follows chronologically the dates of birth of the four early Doctors. The first Latin Doctor, Ambrose AD 340, is in the first quarter; the second quarter portrays the symbols for Athanasius AD 296, the first Greek Doctor; in the third quarter Chrysostom AD 346, the second Greek Doctor; and in the last quarter Augustine AD 354, the second Latin Doctor. The Greek Doctors are placed between the Latin Doctors in the first and fourth quarters.

The 68th Annual Convention
of the Catholic Theological Society of America

Pre-Convention Events, Thursday, June 6, 2013

CTSA Board Meeting 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Gardenia A

Registration and Exhibits 1:00 – 4:30 p.m.
and 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Promenade

Pre-Convention Session 3:00 – 5:30 p.m.
Hibiscus A & B

Women's Consultation in Constructive Theology
**“Rethinking Conversion through Gender and Interreligious
Difference/Dialogue”**

Co-Conveners: **Rosemary P. Carbine**, Whittier College
Paulette Skiba, Clarke University
Moderator: **Rosemary P. Carbine**, Whittier College
Presenters: **Karen B. Enriquez**, Xavier University
Jeannine Hill Fletcher, Fordham University
Respondent: **Michele Saracino**, Manhattan College

Ann O'Hara Graff Memorial Award Presentation 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.
*The 2013 Ann O'Hara Graff award will be presented to
Mary C. Boys, Union Theological Seminary*

Community Memorial 5:00 – 5:15 p.m.
*Honoring the life and work of Ada Maria Isasi Diaz
(March 22, 1943 – May 13, 2012)
A gathering to remember, to be comforted, and to continue la lucha.*

Business Meeting 5:15 – 5:30 p.m.

Women's Consultation in Constructive Theology Steering Committee:
Co-Conveners: **Rosemary P. Carbine** and **Paulette Skiba**
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Elisabeth T. Vasko, Duquesne University

Thursday evening, June 6, 2013

Opening and First Plenary Session

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.
Regency Ballroom

Presiding: **Susan A. Ross**
Loyola University Chicago
President, CTSA

Opening Prayer and Remembrance of Deceased Members

Welcome: **Most Reverend Thomas Gerard Wenski**
Archdiocese of Miami

Address: **Peter Casarella**
DePaul University
*"Conversion and Witnessing: Intercultural Renewal
in a World Church"*

Reception

9:00 p.m.
Jasmine & Hibiscus

Donors: **Barry University**

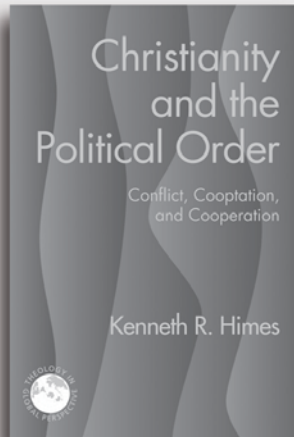
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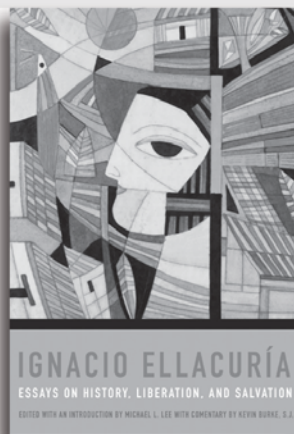
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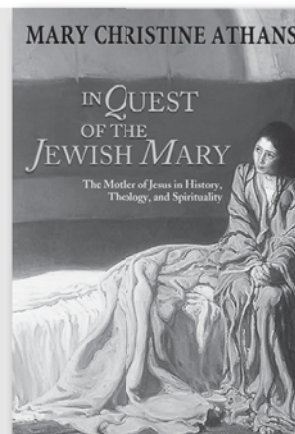
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Friday morning, June 7, 2013

- Von Balthasar Society Breakfast** 7:15 – 8:45 a.m.
Jasmine
- Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara Breakfast** 7:15 – 8:45 a.m.
Open to faculty, current students and graduates of SCU, JST-SCU, the former JSTB and the GTU
Orchid A
- Morning Prayer** 8:30 – 8:45 a.m.
Tuttle Prefunction
- Exhibits Open** 9:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Promenade
- Second Plenary Session** 9:00 – 10:30 a.m.
Regency Ballroom
- Presiding: **John E. Thiel**
Fairfield University
Past President, CTSA
- Address: **Linda Hogan**
Trinity College, Dublin
*“Conversion and the Work of the Ethical Imagination:
A Perspective from Social Ethics”*
- Response: **Tobias Winright**
St. Louis University
- Coffee Break** 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.
Promenade
- Concurrent Sessions** 11:00 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
1. Invited Session **Hibiscus A**
**“Conversion and Catholicity within the Guild of Theologians:
Overcoming Barriers to Dialogue and Communion”**
- Convener: **Dan Finn**, St. John’s University, Collegeville
Moderator: **Dan Finn**, St. John’s University, Collegeville
Presenters: **Christopher Ruddy**, Catholic University of America

“‘I desire to be truly ecclesiastical’: Henri de Lubac on Temptation, Conversion, and the Theologian”
Christine Firer-Hinze, Fordham University
“Creative Contention, Capital Investment, and the Debt of Love (Rom 13:8): Bonding and Bridging Practices and their Significance for U.S. Theologians’ Academic, Ecclesial, and Public Work”

2. Bioethics Topic Session **Orchid A**

Administrative Team:

Mari Rapela Heidt, Charles Camosy, Andrea Vicini, SJ

Convener: **Mari Rapela Heidt**, University of Dayton

Moderator: **Charles Camosy**, Fordham University

Presenter: **Patrick M. Clark**, University of Scranton
“Conversion and Mutual Intelligibility in the Physician-Assisted Suicide Debate”

Presenter: **Meghan Clark**, St. John’s University, NY
“Seeking Solidarity in Global Health: *Helping Babies Breathe* in Sudan”

3. Black, Asian and Asian-American, and Latin@ Theology Consultation Session I **Hibiscus B**
“Moving toward Conversion: Methods, Languages and Practices”

Administrative Team:

Ramón Luzárraga, Cecilia González-Andrieu

Convener: **Ramón Luzárraga**, University of Dayton

Moderator: **Teresa Maya**, Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word

Presenter: **Brett Hoover**, Loyola Marymount University
“Lost and Found at the Cultural Crossroads: Perspectives on New Evangelization Conversion Narratives”

Presenter: **Sophia Park**, Holy Names University
“A Strategy for Finding Space for Conversion: The Struggle of U.S. Women Religious”

Presenter: **Freddy Washington**, Xavier University of New Orleans
“Conversion and Identity: Community as a Major Source of Change”

4. Catholicity and Mission Topic Session **Orchid C**
“Conversion: Contemporary Insights and Imperatives for ‘Missio ad gentes,’ ‘Missio cum gentes’ and ‘Missio inter gentes’”

Administrative Team:

Elochukwu Uzukwu, Margaret Guider, Van Thanh Nguyen

Convenor: **Elochukwu Uzukwu**, Duquesne University
Moderator: **Van Thanh Nguyen**, Catholic Theological Union
Presenter: **Stephen Bevans**, Catholic Theological Union
“Kicking the Hornet’s Nest: Conversion, Church, and Culture”
Presenter: **Marian Maskulak**, St. John’s University, NY
“The Monks of Tibhirine: Mission, Conversion, and
Interreligious Dialogue”
Presenter: **Jonathan Y. Tan**, Australian Catholic University
“Mission among the Peoples: The Future of Christian Mission
in Asia”

5. Selected Session **Gardenia C**
“Conversion from White Complicity to Anti-Racist Spiritual Practices”

Convenor: **Jennifer Reed-Bouley**, College of St. Mary
Moderator: **Karen Teel**, University of San Diego
Presenter: **Alex Mikulich**, Loyola University New Orleans
“Du Boisian ‘Double-consciousness’: A Way Where There is
No Way?”
Presenter: **Laurie Cassidy**, Marywood University
“Conversion: Mindful Awareness and Turning from Social
Evil”
Presenter: **Jennifer Reed-Bouley**
“The Faith and Faithfulness of Black Catholics as Gifts
to the Universal Church”

6. Selected Session **Gardenia A-B**
“Desire for Conversion”

Convenor: **Peter Casarella**, DePaul University
Moderator: **Peter Casarella**, DePaul University
Presenter: **Catherine Chaliier**, Université Paris Ouest Nanterre
“Franz Rosenzweig (1886-1929): To Remain a Jew in a
Christian World”
Presenter: **Maria Clara Luchetti Bingemer**, Pontificia Universidade
Católica do Rio de Janeiro
“The Desire for Conversion in Simone Weil”

7. God/Trinity Topic Session **Tuttle C**
“Trinity and Conversion in Augustine”

Administrative Team:
Aristotle Papanikolaou, Anthony Godzieba, Anthony Keaty
Convenor: **Aristotle Papanikolaou**, Fordham University

Moderator: **Anthony Godzieba**, Villanova University
Presenter: **Andrew Salzman**, Benedictine College
“Conversion to the Trinity: The Shape of Augustine’s Thought”
Presenter: **Anthony Keaty**, Blessed John XXIII Seminary
“The Role of the Conversion from the Outer to Inner Person in Augustine’s Understanding of Procession”

8. Historical Theology Topic Session 1 **Orchid B**
“**Personal Conversion in the History of Christian Thought**”

Administrative Team:

Helen Ciernick, Shawn Colberg, Daria Spezzano

Convener: **Shawn Colberg**, St. John’s University/College of St. Benedict
Moderator: **Kimberly Baker**, St. Meinrad Seminary
Presenter: **Richard Penaskovic**, Auburn University
“Simone Weil (1909-1943): A Reluctant Convert”
Presenter: **June-Ann Greeley**, Sacred Heart University
“William Congdon and the Passion of Conversion/Conversion by the Passion”

9. Selected Session – Reconciliation and Conversion **Orchid D**
“**Differing Views of Power in Church and Sacraments**”

Convener: **Bruce Morrill**, Vanderbilt University
Moderator: **Bede Bidlack**, Saint Anselm College
Presenter: **Bruce Morrill**, Vanderbilt University
“Sign of Reconciliation and Conversion? Differing Views of Power—Ecclesial, Sacramental, Anthropological—Among Hierarchy and Laity”
Respondent: **Brian Flanagan**, Marymount University
Joseph Mudd, Gonzaga University

10. Theologies Responsive to Islam Interest Group **Tuttle N**
“**Sin and Salvation in Muslim-Christian Theological Conversation**”

Convener: **Daniel A. Madigan, SJ**, Georgetown University
Moderator: **Daniel A. Madigan, SJ**, Georgetown University
Presenter: **Sandra Keating**, Providence College
“‘Take to Thyself our souls in the company of the righteous’: Sin and Salvation in Early Islamic Thought”
Presenter: **Christian S. Krokus**, University of Scranton
“Engaging Classic Islamic Critiques of the Christian Doctrine of Redemption”

Presenter: **Edmund Chia**, Australian Catholic University
“Christian Understandings of Original Sin and Redemption
in a Multi-religious yet Muslim-majority Setting”

11. Selected Session **Tuttle S**
“**Conversation and Conversion in the Public Sphere**”

Convener: **Amanda Osheim**, Loras College
Moderator: **John Edwards**, Villanova University
Presenter: **Stephen Okey**, Boston College
“Conversation Ain’t Beanbag: The Promise and
Peril of Conversion in David Tracy’s Public Theology”
Presenter: **Nichole M. Flores**, Boston College
“Guadalupe in the Public Square: Religious Affections
and Aesthetics in Public Conversation”

Friday afternoon, June 7, 2013

Women’s Consultation on Constructive Theology Luncheon 1:00 – 2:15 p.m.
Japengo

Hearing of the Resolutions Committee 1:15 – 2:15 p.m.
Regency Ballroom

Presiding: **Susan K. Wood, SCL**
Marquette University
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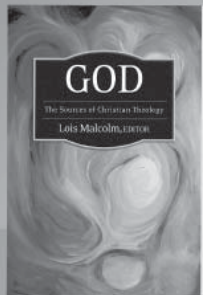
Concurrent Sessions 2:30 – 4:15 p.m.

1. Hans Urs von Balthasar Consultation **Orchid C**
“**Conversion, Language and Dialogue**”

Administrative Team:
Peter Casarella, Nicholas J. Healy, Barbara Sain

Convener: **Barbara Sain**, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul
Moderator: **Mark L. Yenson**, King’s University College at the
University of W. Ontario
Presenter: **Gill K. Goulding**, Regis College, University of Toronto
“Critical Conversion – Dialogue and Gift”
Presenter: **Anne M. Carpenter**, Marquette University
“Converting and Straining Language: Hans Urs von Balthasar
and the Theological Grammar of Holy Saturday”

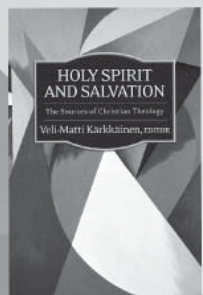
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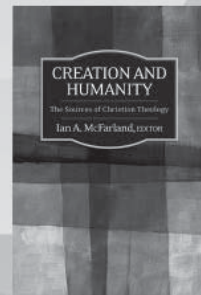
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2. Christianity and Judaism Consultation

Orchid B

Administrative Team:

Elizabeth Groppe, Joy Galarneau, Todd Walatka

Convener: **Elizabeth Groppe**, Xavier University

Moderator: **Joy Galarneau**, Siena College

Presenter: **Bridget O'Brien**, University of Notre Dame
"From Christ's Fulfillment to God's Fidelity: The Church's Conversion?"

Presenter: **Mary Boys**, Union Theological Seminary
"The Catholic Turn toward the Quintessential Other: A Multi-Faceted Conversion"

3. Christ Topic Session

Hibiscus B

Administrative Team:

Kelle Lynch-Baldwin, Colleen Carpenter, Randy Rosenberg

Convener: **Randy Rosenberg**, Fontbonne University

Moderator: **Kelle Lynch-Baldwin**, Catholic Diocese of Fairbanks

Presenter: **Kevin P. Considine**, Loyola University Chicago
"Does Jesus Need our Liberation? An Argument for a Conversion to Emancipate the Risen Christ from Christian Idolatry"

Presenter: **Denis Edwards**, Flinders University
"Incarnation as Basis for Ecological Conversion"

Presenter: **Gloria L. Schaab**, Barry University
"Incarnation as Emergence: A Transformative Vision of God and the Cosmos"

4. Selected Session

Gardenia A-B

"Confinement and Conversion"

Convener: **Andrew Skotnicki**, Manhattan College

Moderator: **Tobias Winright**, St. Louis University

Presenter: **Andrew Skotnicki**, Manhattan College
"Prayer, Conversion, and Rehabilitation"

Presenter: **Kathryn Getek Soltis**, Villanova University
"Conversion and the Society that Imprisons"

Presenter: **William O'Neill**, Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara
"'First be Reconciled' (Mt. 5:24): Conversion and Restorative Justice"

5. Invited Session **Gardenia C**
“Deconversion and Non-Normative Catholicisms”

Convener: **Tom Beaudoin**, Fordham University
Moderator: **Natalie Kertes Weaver**, Ursuline College
Presenter: **Teresa Delgado**, Iona College
“On Strays and Domesticity: Catholic Sexual Ethics
Outside the Normative House”
Presenter: **Tom Beaudoin**, Fordham University
““Help My Unbelief”: Deconversion in Catholicism Today”
Respondent: **William Dinges**, Catholic University of America

6. Discipleship and Sustainability Interest Group **Tuttle S**
**“Analyzing the Justice Implications of Energy Systems in the Current
Carbon Economy”**

Administrative Team:
Erin Lothes Biviano

Convener: **Erin Lothes Biviano**, College of Saint Elizabeth
Moderator: **Erin Lothes Biviano**, College of Saint Elizabeth
Presenter: **Christiana Z. Peppard**, Fordham University
“Market Myopias in the Energy-Water Nexus and
the Pursuit of the Common Good”
Presenter: **Jame Schaefer**, Marquette University
“Converting from a Carbon Economy: Why Resorting Now to
Nuclear Generated Electricity is Imprudent and Unjust”

7. Globalization Interest Group **Orchid D**

Administrative Team:
Gemma Tulud Cruz

Convener: **Gemma Tulud Cruz**, Australian Catholic University
Moderator: **Jan Jans**, Tilburg University, The Netherlands
Presenter: **Margaret Pfeil**, University of Notre Dame
“An Ethical Consideration of the Global Arms Trade”
Presenter: **Lisa Sowle Cahill**, Boston College
“Peacebuilding and Hope”
Presenter: **Elochukwu Uzukwu** and **Gerald Boodoo**, Duquesne
University
“Globalization, Politics and Religion in Postcolonial Africa”

8. Selected Session **Orchid A**
The Transformative Role of Theology in Church and Society: North American Perspectives”

Convener: **Anne E. Patrick**, Carleton College
Moderator: **Anne E. Patrick**, Carleton College
Presenter: **Steven Pope**, Boston College
“Theology in the Context of the Abuse of Power”
Presenter: **Nancy Pineda-Madrid**, Boston College School of Theology and Ministry
“Theologizing to Transgress – A Response to the Rising Tide of Femicide in the Americas”

9. Receiving Vatican II Interest Group **Hibiscus A**

Conveners: **Robert Imbelli**, Boston College
James Keating, Providence College
Moderator: **Christopher Ruddy**, Catholic University of America
Presenter: **Joseph Komonchak**, Catholic University of America
“The Event of Vatican II”
Respondent: **Massimo Faggioli**, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul

10. Spirituality Topic Session **Tuttle C**
“Spirituality and Conversion”

Administrative Team:
Marian Maskulak, Thomas McElligott, Patrick Kelly, SJ
Convener: **Marian Maskulak**, St. John’s University, NY
Moderator: **Thomas McElligott**, St. Mary’s College of California, Moraga
Presenter: **Min-Ah Cho**, St. Catherine University
““Longing Keeps the Wounds Open and Undressed”: Rethinking Lonergan’s Notion of Conversion through Hadewijch of Antwerp’s Mystical Poetry”
Presenter: **Kathleen Dolphin**, St. Mary’s College, Notre Dame
“Imitating Christ: Ongoing Conversion”
Presenter: **Simon J. Hendry**, University of Detroit Mercy
““Ruined for Life”: A Spirituality of Conversion—Donald Gelpi’s Conversion Scheme Applied to the Experience of the Jesuit Volunteer Corps”

11. Theological Hermeneutics and Critical Theories Interest Group **Tuttle N**

Convener: **Bradford Hinze**, Fordham University
Moderator: **Anthony Godzieba**, Villanova University

Presenter: **Sandra Schneiders**, Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara University
“Biblical Hermeneutics Since 1950”

Presenter: **Francis Schüssler Fiorenza**, Harvard Divinity School
“Hermeneutics at the Crossroads: Between Mountain Peaks and a Crumpled Handkerchief”

Presenter: **Robert Schreiter**, Catholic Theological Union
“Emerging Forms of Intercultural Hermeneutics”

Friday evening, June 7, 2013

CTSA Business Meeting

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Regency Ballroom

Presiding: **Susan A. Ross**
Loyola University Chicago
President, CTSA

Parliamentarian: **Timothy O’Connell**
Loyola University Chicago

Evening Events:

President’s Reception for New/Newer Members

6:15 – 7:45 p.m.

Orchid A & B

Liturgical Press Reception

6:15 – 7:45 p.m.

Orchid C

Saturday morning, June 8, 2013

Breakfast Meeting: Karl Rahner Society

7:15 – 8:45 a.m.

Jasmine

Morning Prayer

8:30 – 8:45 a.m.

Tuttle Prefunction

Exhibits Open

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Promenade

Third Plenary Session

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.

Regency Ballroom

Presiding: **Richard R. Gaillardetz**
Boston College
President-Elect, CTSA

Address: **Ormond Rush**
Australian Catholic University
*“Ecclesial Conversion after Vatican II: Forever Becoming
a Church That Reveals ‘the Genuine Face of God’”*

Response: **Natalia Imperatori-Lee**
Manhattan College

Coffee Break 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.
Promenade

Concurrent Sessions 11:00 a.m. – 12:45 a.m.

1. Black, Asian and Asian-American, and Latin@ Consultations **Orchid C**
Session II
“That’s How the Light Gets In”
**“Communities as Sources of Conversion(s): Wrestling, Dancing, and
Swinging the Blues”**

Administrative Team:
C. Vanessa White, Shawnee Daniels- Sykes

Convener: **Shawnee Daniels-Sykes**, Mount Mary College
Moderator: **C. Vanessa White**, Catholic Theological Union
Presenter: **Cecilia González-Andrieu**, Loyola Marymount University
“Letting in Light: The Little Stories of Metamodern Aliens”
Presenter: **Gemma Tulud Cruz**, Australian Catholic University
“Interrupting Normal Ways of Thinking: An Asian Perspective
on Creative Cultural Forms of Resistance”
Presenter: **Simon Mary A. Ahiokhai**, Duquesne University
“The Prophetic Character of the Marginalized and Voiceless in
Communities of Faith: The Nigerian Experience”

2. Church and Ecumenism Topic Session **Tuttle C**
“Ecclesial Conversion, Ecclesiological Conversion”

Administrative Team:
Brian P. Flanagan, Cheryl Peterson, Richard Lennan

Convener: **Brian P. Flanagan**, Marymount University
Moderator: **Cheryl Peterson**, Trinity Lutheran Seminary
Presenter: **Richard Lennan**, Boston College School of Theology and
Ministry
“Changing the Church: An Exploration of Methods in
Ecclesiology”



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- Presenter: **Gerard Mannion**, University of San Diego
“Metanoia to Collective Witness: Embracing Ecumenical
Pluralism in Magisteria”
- Presenter: **Amanda Osheim**, Loras College
“The Kenotic Marks of the Church”

3. Comparative Theology Topic Session **Orchid B**

Administrative Team:

Marianne Farina, Rita George-Tvrtković, Thomas Cattoi

- Convener: **Thomas Cattoi**, Santa Clara University
Moderator: **Thomas Cattoi**, Santa Clara University
Presenter: **Catherine Cornille**, Boston College
“Multiple Religious Belonging as ‘Unachieved Conversion’?”
- Presenter: **Reid B. Locklin**, St. Michael’s College, University of Toronto
“Up and Through: Models of Conversion in Contemporary
Advaita Vedānta”
- Presenter: **Trent Pomplun**, Loyola University Maryland
“Ippolito Desideri, SJ (1684-1733) on the Validity of
Buddhist Meditation”

4. Fundamental Theology Topic Session **Hibiscus B**

Administrative Team:

Susie Paulik Babka, Craig Baron, Stephen Okey

- Convener: **Susie Paulik Babka**, University of San Diego
Moderator: **Craig Baron**, St. John’s University, NY
Presenter: **Lieven Boeve**, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
“Joseph Ratzinger’s Conversion to Truth: A Reading Key
for a Theological-Ecclesial Programme”
- Presenter: **Judith Gruber**, Loyola University New Orleans
“Postcolonial Conversions: Displacement as a Locus
Theologicus”
- Presenter: **Julius-Kei Kato**, King’s University College at the University
of Western Ontario
“Conversion in a Postmodern World: From Monoreligiosity to
Interreligiosity”

5. Historical Theology Topic Session II **Gardenia C**
“Patristic, Medieval and Reformation Perspectives on Justification and
Conversion”

- Convener: **Helen Ciernick**, Mount Marty College
Moderator: **Kristin Colberg**, St. John’s University/College of St. Benedict

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"Thomas Aquinas, the Council of Trent, and Prevenient
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Presenter: **Stephen Gaetano**, University of Notre Dame
"Meriting Conversion after Trent: A Dispute between the
Council Theologians Andreas de Vega and Domingo de Soto"
Presenter: **Kimberly Baker**, St. Meinrad Seminary
"A Heart Transformed: Augustine on Christian Conversion"

6. Liturgy/Sacraments Topic Session **Tuttle N**
"Eucharistic Conversion"

Administrative Team:

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Convener: **Rhodora Beaton**, St. Catherine University
Moderator: **Steven Rodenborn**, St. Edward's University
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7. Bernard Lonergan Interest Group **Gardenia A-B**
"Various Applications of Lonergan's Notion of Conversion"

Administrative Team:

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Convener: **John Dadosky**, Regis College, University of Toronto
Moderator: **Cyril Orji**, University of Dayton
Presenter: **M. Shawn Copeland**, Boston College
"A Role for the Notion of Conversion in an African American
Theology"
Presenter: **Mark T. Miller**, University of San Francisco
"Sartre's Nausea and Lonergan's Conversion"
Presenter: **Francis Clooney**, Harvard Divinity School
"Intellectual Conversion as a Necessary Moment in
Interreligious Learning"

8. Moral Theology Topic Session I **Hibiscus A**

Administrative Team:

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Convener: **Nancy Rourke**, Canisius College
Moderator: **William George**, Dominican University

Presenter: **Edward Vacek**, Loyola University New Orleans
“The Affective Basis for Conversion”
Presenter: **Joseph McInerney**, U.S. Naval Academy
“Humility and Conversion in Augustine’s Thought”

9. Spirituality of John Henry Newman Interest Group **Orchid A**

Conveners: **John R. Connolly**, Loyola Marymount University
Brian W. Hughes, University of Saint Mary, KS
Moderator: **Danielle Nussberger**, Marquette University
Presenter: **Theodore James Whapham**, St. Thomas University, Miami
“Trinity, Belief and Imagination in the Spirituality of
John Henry Newman”
Presenter: **Ryan J. Marr**, St. Louis University
“Mary as the Pattern of Faith: Newman’s Mariology and
the Vocation of the Theologian”
Presenter: **Kevin Mongrain**, Ryan Chair of Newman Studies, Duquesne
University, and Executive Director, National Institute of
Newman Studies
“Newman and the Spirituality of the Oratory: Identity
and Institution against Abstraction”

10. Theological Anthropology Topic Session **Orchid D**
“**Abundant Life? Ecology, Subjectivity, and Conversion**”

Administrative Team:
Natalia Imperatori-Lee, Karen Teel, Nancy Pineda-Madrid
Convener: **Natalia Imperatori-Lee**, Manhattan College
Moderator: **Karen Teel**, University of San Diego
Presenter: **Colleen Carpenter**, St. Catherine University
“The Abundant Life: Eating Humanly in a Hungry World”
Presenter: **Michele Saracino**, Manhattan College
“Animals as Subjects?: Creaturely Existence in the
Midst of the Sixth Mass Extinction Spasm”
Respondent: **Elizabeth Johnson**, Fordham University

11. Theology and Science Topic Session **Tuttle S**

Administrative Team:
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Convener: **William R. Stoeger**, Vatican Observatory
Moderator: **Celia Deane-Drummond**, University of Notre Dame

- Presenter: **Robert Masson**, Marquette University
 “A Universe from Nothing? How Cognitive Linguistics Can Clarify the Difference between Scientific and Theological Questions”
- Presenter: **Brian Robinette**, Boston College
 “Mind All the Way Down? Towards a Theology of Biological Facts”

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- Theological Studies* Editorial Consultation Luncheon 12:50 – 2:15 p.m.
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- Concurrent Sessions** 2:30 – 4:15 p.m.
1. Thomas Aquinas Interest Group **Orchid A**

Conveners: **Holly Taylor Coolman**, Providence College
Michon Matthiesen, Providence College

Moderator: **Cyrus Olsen**, Scranton University

Presenter: **Frederick Bauerschmidt**, Loyola University Maryland
 “Conversion, Coercion and Persuasion in Thomas Aquinas”

Presenter: **Daria Spezzano**, Providence College
 “‘The Best Kind of Servitude’: Thomas Aquinas on the Grace of Conversion”

Respondent: **Paul Griffiths**, Duke University
 2. Mary in Contemporary and Global Perspective Interest Group **Tuttle C**
“Mary and Culture”

Conveners: **Wendy Wright**, Creighton University
Dorian Llywelyn, Loyola Marymount University

Moderator: **Nancy Pineda-Madrid**, Boston College School of Theology and Ministry

Presenter: **François Rossier**, University of Dayton
 “The Role of Mary in Latin American Cultures Made Tangible in Marian Shrines”

Presenter: **John Fitzgerald**, St. John’s University, NY
 “A Sign of the Divine? Cultural Interpretations of the Marian Phenomena at Fátima”

Presenter: **Patricia Panganiban-Lambino**, Ateneo de Manila University
 “Mary, Catechisms, and Culture”

3. Black, Asian and Asian-American, and Latin@ Consultations **Orchid C**
Session III

“That’s How the Light Gets In”

“God’s Call to Conspire for Freedom: The New Birth of Catholicity”

Administrative Team:

Sophia Park, SNJM

Convener: **Sophia Park, SNJM**, Holy Names University

Moderator: **Christina Astorga**, Fordham University

Presenter: **Ramón Luzárraga**, University of Dayton

“Breathing Together: Conspiracy as a Means to Pluralism”

Presenter: **Linh Hoang**, Siena College

“Dwelling in Place: Asian American Enhancing a New Catholicity”

Presenter: **Kwame Assenyoh**, Graduate Theological Union

“Politics of Conversion: A Diaspora Perspective on Being ‘Black and Catholic’ in the U.S.A. and its Transformative Prospects for Catholicism in the 21st Century”

4. Catholic Social Thought Topic Session **Tuttle S**
“Structures of Sin and Personal Conversion”

Administrative Team:

Tobias Winright, Laurie Johnston, Thomas Massaro

Convener: **Tobias Winright**, Saint Louis University

Moderator: **Tobias Winright**, Saint Louis University

Presenter: **David Cloutier**, Mount St. Mary’s University, Emmitsburg

“Structures of Sin and Personal Conversion: Clarifications from Aquinas”

Presenter: **Joy Galarneau**, Siena College

“Pedagogy and Praxis of Conversion: A Theological Appraisal of Bystander Intervention Training Programs in Light of Catholic Social Thought”

5. Selected Session - Comparative Spirituality **Tuttle N**
“An Interchange between Followers of Jesus and Buddha”

Conveners: **Roger Haight**, Union Theological Seminary

Paul Knitter, Union Theological Seminary

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Presenter: **Paul Knitter**, Union Theological Seminary

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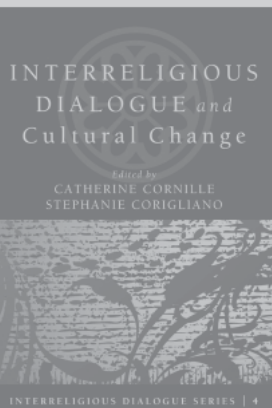
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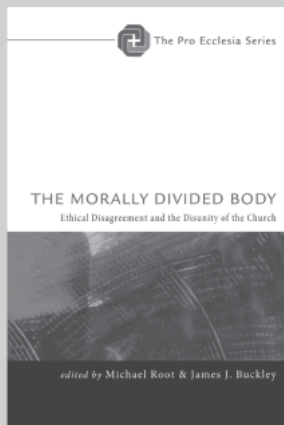
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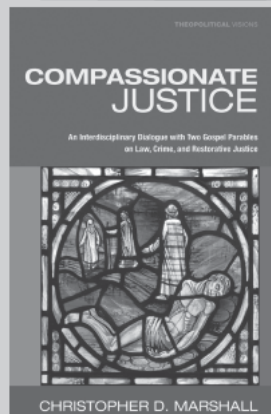
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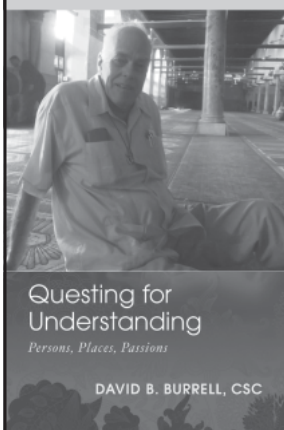
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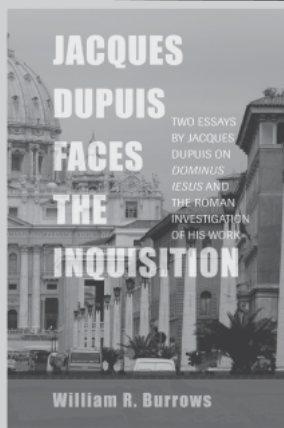


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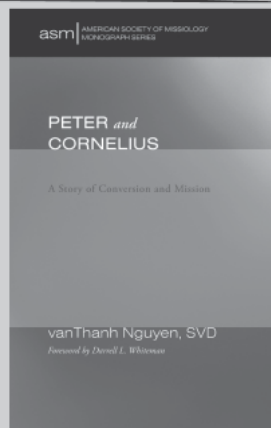


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Moderator: **Ernesto Valiente**, Boston College School of Theology and Ministry

Presenter: **Joseph Drexler-Dreis**, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
“Nat Turner’s Rebellion: Conversion outside Given Structures of Salvation”

Presenter: **Todd Walatka**, University of Notre Dame
“Eschatology Reframed: Kathryn Tanner’s Turn to History and Away from the Future”

7. Invited Session

Hibiscus A

“Ecclesial Conversion: Path to Christian Unity”

Convener: **Catherine E. Clifford**, Saint Paul University, Ottawa

Moderator: **Paul F. Lakeland**, Fairfield University

Presenter: **Paul D. Murray**, Durham University
“Growing into the Fullness of Christ: Receptive Ecumenism as an Instrument of Ecclesial Conversion”

Presenter: **Catherine E. Clifford**, Saint Paul University, Ottawa
“Pray this Way: Common Prayer and the Conversion of the Churches”

Respondent: **Kristin Colberg**, St. John’s University/College of St. Benedict

8. Selected Session

Gardenia C

“Benedictine Way of Life and Conversion”

Convener: **Kathryn Lilla Cox**, St. John’s University/College of St. Benedict

Moderator: **Julia Brumbaugh**, Regis University

Presenter: **Thomas J. Bushlack**, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul
“‘Lectio Divina,’ ‘Intentio Cordis,’ and Fidelity to the Gospel: A Benedictine-Scriptural Blueprint for Moral Formation and Conversion”

Presenter: **Kathryn Lilla Cox**, St. John’s University/College of St. Benedict
“Putting on the Mind of Christ: Conversion of Thoughts”

Presenter: **Jason King**, St. Vincent College
“Benedictine Obedience, Authority and Conversatio morum”

9. Moral Theology Topic Session II

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Convener: **Christina Astorga**, Fordham University

Moderator: **Amy Pauley**, St. Paul University, Ottawa

Presenter: **Todd A. Salzman**, Creighton University
“Conversion and the Sexual Person”

Presenters: **Kari-Shane Davis Zimmerman**, St. John’s University/
College of St. Benedict
Kent Lasnoski, Quincy University
“Conversion of Heart and Home: Expanding the Marital
Vocation to be Fruitful and Multiply”

10. Practical Theology Topic Session

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**“Reading Sacred Texts and Reading Ourselves:
Narrative and Comparative Reading as Practices of Conversion”**

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Convener: **Bryan Froehle**, St. Thomas University, Miami

Moderator: **Brett Hoover**, Loyola Marymount University

Presenter: **Nathaniel Samuel**, Boston College School of Theology and
Ministry
“Re-storying our Lives: A Narrative Approach to Conversion”

Presenter: **Karen B. Enriquez**, Xavier University
“The Practice of Comparative Reading and
the Transformation of the Theologian”

Respondent: **Thomas Groome**, Boston College School of Theology and
Ministry

11. Karl Rahner Consultation

Gardenia A-B

Administrative Team:

Heidi Russell, Paulette Skiba, Melvin Michalski,
Peter Fritz, Richard Penaskovic

Convener: **Peter Fritz**, College of the Holy Cross

Moderator: **Richard Penaskovic**, Auburn University

Presenter: **Nancy Dallavalle**, Fairfield University
“Conversion on Gender Issues for Catholic Theology?
Resources in Rahner”

Presenter: **Mark F. Fischer**, St. John's Seminary, Camarillo
"Rahner's Transcendental Christology and Conversion to
God"
Presenter: **Annemarie S. Kidder**, Central School of Theology
"Karl Rahner's 'Last Will'"

Saturday evening, June 8, 2013

Eucharist 5:30 p.m.
**Shrine of La Ermita de Nuestra
Senora de la Caridad del Cobre**

Reception 6:45 p.m.
Promenade

John Courtney Murray Award Banquet 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday morning, June 9, 2013

Conveners' Breakfast 7:15 – 8:45 a.m.
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New coordinators (or their delegates) of Topic Sessions, Interest Groups, and Consultations will meet with Richard Gaillardetz, CTSA President-Elect, Susan K. Wood, SCL, CTSA Vice-President, and Kent Lasnoski, Editor of Proceedings, for evaluation and preliminary planning for the 2014 convention.

Morning Prayer 8:30 – 8:45 a.m.
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Fourth Plenary Session: Presidential Address 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.
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Marquette University
Vice-President, CTSA

Address: **Susan A. Ross**
Loyola University Chicago
President, CTSA
"Conversion, the New Evangelization, and the Call of Vatican II"

Appointment of the New President 10:00 a.m.
Regency Ballroom

Breakfast Reception/Coffee

10:15 a.m.
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Meeting and Luncheon: CTSA Board of Directors

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
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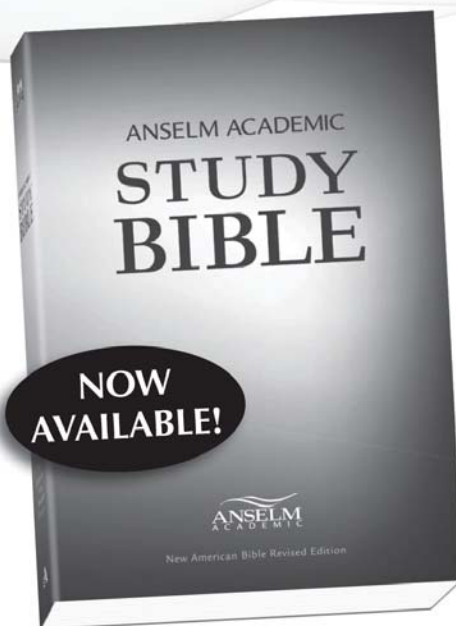
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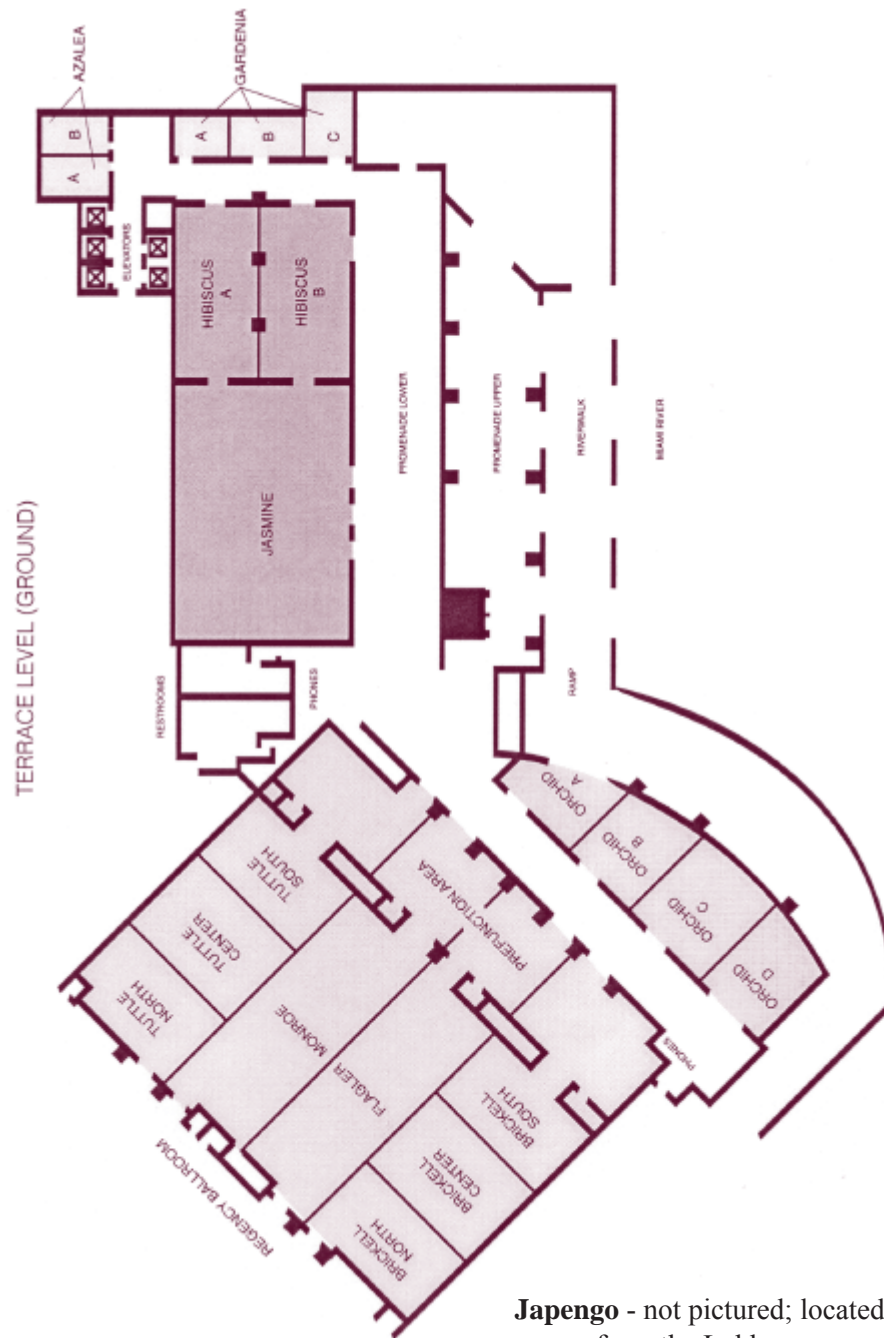
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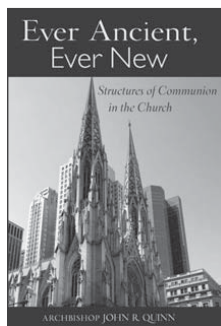
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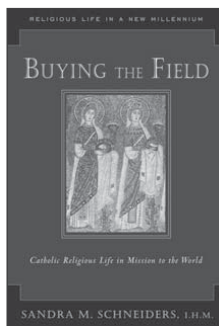
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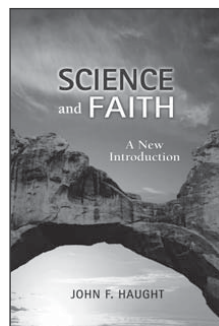
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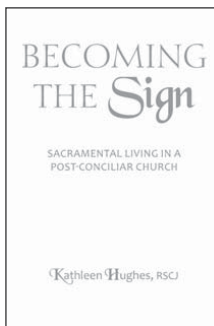
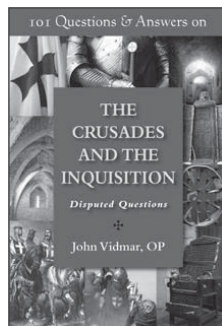


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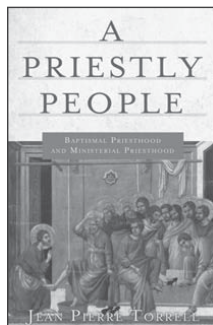


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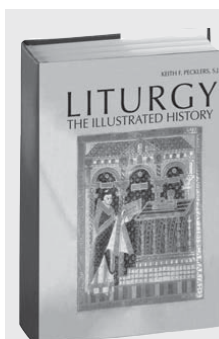
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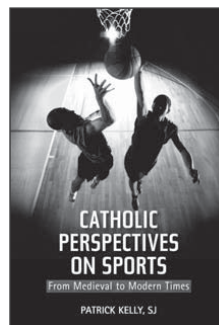
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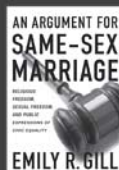


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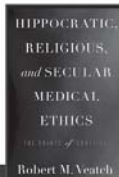
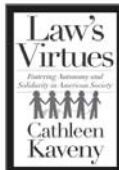
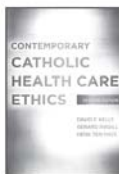
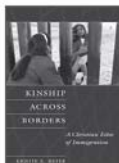
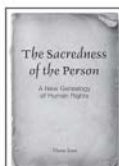


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