



The Lord said to Peter
“Strengthen your brothers.”

CONFERENCE FOR THE NEWLY ORDAINED
June 3-6, 2024

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Saint Peter, Peter Paul Rubens, 1610 - 1612



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Welcome to Mount St. Mary's Seminary and School of Theology and our summer program for the continuing formation of priests.

At this time in the Church's continuing reflection on the priestly ministry, there is an ever-growing emphasis on the importance, even the necessity, of continuing formation. I realize you are most likely very aware of this, but that still doesn't make it any easier to carve out the time and be away from other, important work. I want you to know that we value your time as well. Because of this, we sincerely hope that the programming and time spent over these next few days will be beneficial to your reflection on your ministry, allow for some relaxation, and strengthen the bonds of priestly fraternity.

Fraternally, yours in Christ,

Very Reverend Anthony R. Brausch
Rector





CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

MONDAY, JUNE 3

3 - 5 pm	Arrival and Check in
5:30-6 pm	Evening Prayer (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
6-7 pm	Dinner (Welcome and Introductions at Dinner)
7-8 pm	Talk 1: Mission - Title TBD – Fr. Sean Wilson
8:30 pm	Social (Piazza)

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

5:30 am	Coffee and Cereal Available
6:30 - 8 am	Hot Breakfast Available
8:30 am	Concelebrated Mass (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
9:30 - 10:30 am	Talk 2: Man - Our Humanity and the Priesthood – Monsignor Frank Lane
10:30-11 am	Break
11 am - Noon	Talk 3: Theology of the Sacrament of Marriage – Monsignor Frank Lane
Noon	Lunch
5 pm	Holy Hour/Adoration/Benediction (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
6 - 7 pm	Dinner
7 - 8 pm	Talk 4: Marriage Prep – Fr. David Sunberg
8 pm	Social (Piazza)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5

5:30 am	Coffee and Cereal Available
6:30 - 8 am	Hot Breakfast Available
8:30 am	Concelebrated Mass (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
9:30-10:30 am	Talk 5: Canon Law of Marriage – Fr. Andrew Moss
10:30 - 11 am	Break
11 am - Noon	Talk 6: Annulments/Tribunal Part 1 – Fr. Christopher Armstrong (tentative)
Noon	Lunch
5 pm	Holy Hour, Adoration, Benediction (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
6 - 7 pm	Dinner
7 - 8 pm	Talk 7: Annulments/Tribunal Part 2 – Fr. Christopher Armstrong (tentative)
8 pm	Social (Piazza)

THURSDAY, JUNE 6

5:30 am	Coffee and Cereal Available
6 - 8 am	Hot Breakfast Available
8:30 am	Concelebrated Mass (Immaculate Conception Chapel)
9:30 am	Talk 8: How to Keep Couples in the Parish – Fr. Jamie Weber & Mrs. Marta Misleh
10:30 - 11 am	Break
11 am - Noon	Questions, Group Discussion, & Survey
Noon	Lunch and Departure

Please note: All conferences will be in Fenwick Conference Room **F107**

CONFERENCE SPEAKERS



MONSIGNOR FRANK LANE was ordained in 1967 in Innsbruck, Austria for the Diocese of Columbus, Ohio. He holds a variety of degrees including A.B. in American History and Foreign Languages – Ohio Northern University, M.A in European History – The Ohio State University, Ph.D. European History – The Ohio State University in addition to M.Th in Theology – University of Innsbruck. He is widely published, a sought-after lecturer, professor and teacher. He was a pastor at several parishes in Columbus as well as served as a Military Chaplain with the Ohio National Guard and on active duty at Fr. Benning, Georgia with the rank of Major. He was the Spiritual Director at Mount St. Mary's Seminary from 2010-2016 and continues to mentor MA students at the Franciscan Institute at Bonaventure University. In addition, to his mentoring and spiritual direction, he is a retired priest in Columbus and teaches at the Pontifical College Josephinum.



REV. DAVID SUNBERG was born in 1964 and grew up in St. Cecilia and Immaculate Heart of Mary parishes. He graduated from McNicholas High School in 1982 and the Pontifical College Josephinum in 1986 and was ordained a priest on June 6, 1992.

He was assigned as parochial vicar at St. William Church in Price Hill and was commissioned a 1LT in the United States Army in the Chaplain Corps. He entered active duty as a Captain in 1996 and served in Fifth Corps in Wurzburg, Germany and the First Infantry Division in Schweinfurt, Germany. He also served in the peace keeping force in Macedonia during the Bosnian Conflict.

Father Sunberg served as pastor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton in Milford, Ohio and Our Lady of Lourdes in Western Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio. In 2016, he was asked to serve as a Spiritual Director at Mount St. Mary's Seminary and School of Theology and in 2019 he added the Director of Formation for the Permanent Diaconate. Finally, in 2023, he became the Director of Priestly Formation for the Archdiocese and serves on the Priest Personnel Board and Presbyteral Council for the Archdiocese.

Father is a Knight of Columbus, a Knight of the Order of the Holy Sepulcher and Prior for the Cincinnati-Dayton Chapter. He also sits on the Board for the William Henry Harrison Memorial in North Bend, Ohio and volunteers at the tomb.



REV. SEAN WILSON was raised in Vandalia, OH which is a suburb of Dayton. After a year studying Mechanical Engineering at the University of Dayton, he entered the seminary for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. After seven years of formation, he was ordained in May of 2016. Upon ordination he served as the parochial vicar of four parishes in the far north of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati: St. Joseph, Wapakoneta, Immaculate Conception, Botkins, St. John, Fryburg, and St. Lawrence, Rhine. On July 1, 2018 he began as the pastor of the same four parishes.

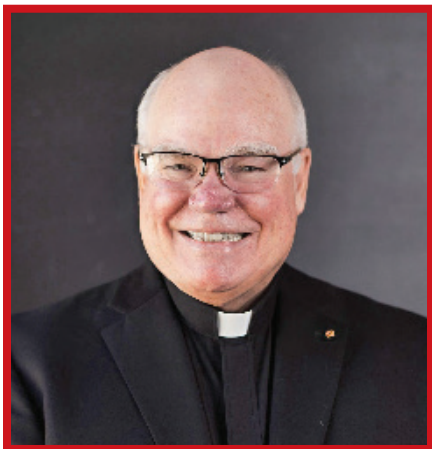
REV. ANDREW MOSS was ordained in 2010 and is a priest of the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton, England. He serves as an instructor of canon law and as a Seminary formator at Mount St. Mary's Seminar & School of Theology (MTSM). His teaching includes courses in various aspects of canon law.

Fr. Moss earned a licentiate in canon law from St. Paul University and a baccalaureate in sacred theology from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome. In addition, he holds a licentiate in jazz studies from the Guildhall School of Music, London, and a Bachelor of Arts in music from York University, England.

Prior to joining MTSM, Fr. Moss served the Church in a variety of assignments including that of pastor, vice chancellor and marriage tribunal judge.



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REV. CHRISTOPHER ARMSTRONG, ordained in 1980, is currently a Spiritual Director for the Mount Saint Mary Seminary, Cincinnati, Ohio. Previously he served as judicial vicar for the Archdiocese of Military Services (2014 – 2020). He has been pastor of St. Louis Parish (1999 – 2003) and St. Antoninus Parish (2003 – 2014) in addition to serving as parochial vicar at a number of parishes including, Holy Angels, Sidney, St Michael, Fr. Loramie, St. Louis and St. William, Cincinnati. He was also a religion teacher at Lehman Catholic High School. Finally, Fr. Armstrong had a number of administrative assignments including Administrative Assistant to Archbishop Pilarczyk, Vice Chancellor, Executive Secretary of the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council (1992-1994), Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati (1996-2003) Censor Librorum and a Second Instance Judge for the Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati as well as teaching Canon Law at the Seminary when needed.

Fr. Armstrong graduated from St. Gregory College Seminary in 1976 and completed his theological studies at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome with an STB in Theology and a STL in Spirituality (1976-1981). He also has a license and doctorate in Canon Law from The Catholic University of America and a doctorate in Theology from the International Marian Research Institute.



REV. JAMIE WEBER was born in Indianapolis and raised in Cincinnati from the age of 2 on. Fr. Weber grew up on the westside — in St. Antoninus parish, specifically — and attended, both, the parish school and Summit Country Day grade school. He is a graduate of Elder High School (Class of '83) and received his BS in Business from Mt. St. Joseph University. He was accepted at age 32 to Mt. St. Mary's Seminary of the West here in Cincinnati. He graduated from the seminary and was ordained a priest in 2004. Fr. Jamie was appointed as parochial vicar at St. Margaret of York Parish. He served the parish for four years before being appointed pastor of St. Cecilia Parish in 2008 where he remains today.



MARTA MISLEH is the Director of Pastoral Affairs at St. Cecilia Parish in Oakley, Cincinnati, Ohio. She is a Cincinnati native and has been a parishioner of St. Cecilia for more than seventeen years. She has a degree in Elementary Education from the University of Cincinnati. She is married to Larry Misleh and they have five sons, five daughter-in-laws and eight grandchildren. She manages Fr. Jamie Weber's schedule of appointments and handles correspondence, planning, and communication for all parish events. Her family is very involved in the parish. Her five boys were all altar servers at St. Cecilia. Marta and her husband were festival chairs for three years and have continued to be a part of the annual festival.



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