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**TUESDAY, MAY 24**

5:00 PM **Presidential Address**

Moderator: Joseph Lienhard, SJ, Fordham University

Sara Butler, MSBT  
“Sacraments Presuppose Faith’: Current Questions”

6:15 PM **Dinner (on Your Own)**

8:00 PM Moderator: Scott Hahn, Franciscan University of Steubenville

Romanus Cessario, OP, St. John’s Seminary  
“Sacramental Character and the Difference It Makes”

**Reception**

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 25**

9:30 AM Moderator: Joseph Mueller, SJ, Marquette University

Michael Root, Catholic University of America  
“Faith as Cause in the Sacraments: Reformation and Protestant Views in Catholic Perspective”

10:30 AM **Mass (at DHS): Celebrant, Thomas Petri, OP**

11:30 AM Moderator: Thomas Harmon, John Paul the Great Catholic University

Ralph Martin, Sacred Heart Major Seminary  
“Sacramental Fruitfulness and the Power of Pentecost”

12:30 PM **Lunch (Boxed Lunch Served at DHS)**

2:00 PM **Business Meeting**

3:00 PM Moderator: Paul J. Keller, OP, Athenaeum

Esther Nickel, RSM, St. John Vianney Seminary  
“Per Ritus et Preces: Sacramental Theology at the Service of Divine Worship”

4:00 PM **Break**

4:15 PM Moderator: Melanie Barrett, Mundelein Seminary

Lawrence Welch, Kenrick Seminary, with Perry Cahall, Josephinum School of Theology  
“An Examination of the Role of Faith in Matrimonial Consent and the Consequences for the Sacrament of Marriage”

5:15 PM **Break**

5:30 PM Moderator: John Gavin, SJ, Holy Cross College

John Grabowski, Catholic University of America  
“Family in the Ministry of Pope Francis: Reflections from the Synod”

6:30 PM **Dinner (on Your Own)**

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**THURSDAY, MAY 26**

9:00 AM Group A: Faith and the Sacraments  
Chaired by Thomas Weinandy, OFM Cap  
Group B: The Sacrament of Marriage  
Chaired by Margaret Harper McCarthy

10:15 AM **Mass (at DHS): Celebrant, Thomas Weinandy, OFM Cap.**

11:15 AM Moderator: Timothy Bellamah, OP, Dominican House

Bruce Marshall, Southern Methodist University  
“Effects of the Eucharistic Sacrifice”

12:15 PM **END OF MEETING**

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