1. Exploring and Reflecting on the Legacy of 20th-Century Catholic Laywomen: A Roundtable Discussion

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Anthony Room

Chair(s):
Brian J. Clites, Case Western Reserve University

Papers:
“We Are Not Here to Convict but to Convince”: A Catholic Lay Woman’s Witness to Antiracism in 20th-Century Philadelphia
Maureen O'Connell, Discerning Deacons and La Salle University

Laywomen Enacting the Mystical Body
Sandra A. Yocum, University of Dayton

The Catholic Novel: Book Reviews in Katherine Burton’s “Woman to Woman” Columns from 1933–42
Annie Huey, University of Dayton

“Neither Fish, Nor Fowl, Nor Good Red Herring”: Ann Harrigan’s Discernment of a Unique Vocation in US Catholicism at Mid-Century
Nicholas Rademacher, University of Dayton

2. Catholic Communities of Color in the Upper Midwest, 1915–65

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
Matthew J. Cressler, College of Charleston

Papers:
“I Simply Want to Know Who Are My Parishioners”: Racial and Ethnic Change in Flint, Michigan’s Catholic Church during the Interwar Period
Ethan D. Veenhuis Barajas, Michigan State University

A Parish for Social Action: Latino Catholics and Activism in Late 20th-Century Milwaukee
Sergio M. Gonzalez, Marquette University
Ritualizing Resistance: Black and Mexican Performances of the Stations of the Cross in Chicago
Anne M. Martinez, University of Groningen

3. Catholics, Nativists, and Historical Memory in 19th-Century America

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room

Chair(s):
Katie M. Oxx, Saint Joseph’s University

Papers:
“A Reign of Terror … in This Land of Civil and Religious Freedom!” Nativist Violence and the Jacobin Specter Haunting Catholics in Antebellum America
Mitchell Oxford, College of William and Mary

“Martin Luther Was a RIoter Instead of a Reformer”: Anti-Catholic Violence and Appeals to Reformation History in the Antebellum Era
Samuel Levi Young, Baylor University

“Of Old Puritan Stock”: Catholic Claims of Blood and Religious Inheritance amidst Post–Civil War Anti-Catholicism
Ella Hadacek, University of Notre Dame

Comment: Katie M. Oxx, Saint Joseph’s University

ACHA Executive Council Meeting

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Jefferson Room

Presider: Brenna Moore, Fordham University

4. Marian Politics

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Elizabeth Hayes Alvarez, Temple University
Papers:
* A Tale of Two Virgins and the Midcentury Transformation of a San Antonio Shrine
  Adrienne Nock Ambrose, University of the Incarnate Word

* Our Lady of Fatima and the End of Colonial Portugal: Cardinal Mindszenty’s Visit in 1972
  Arpad von Klimo, Catholic University of America

* Contesting the Virgin: Diversity and Continuity among Protestants and Catholic Marian Cultures in Early North America
  Samuel Jennings, Oklahoma State University

5. The French Catholic Revival

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Anthony Room

Chair(s):
Brenna Moore, Fordham University

Papers:
* Esprit and Feminism in Interwar France: A New Perspective of the Catholic Personalist Movement in the 1930s
  Jacob Saliba, Boston College

* Nationalism, Catholicism, and Mysticism: Maurice Barrès’s La Colline Inspirée
  Charles John Talar, University of Saint Thomas

* The Literal and the Living: Signs, Science, and the Question of Modernity in Péguy, Merleau-Ponty, and Haraway
  Jack Hanson, Yale University

6. Interrogating Traditional Sources: Searching for the Lived Experiences of Catholic Laywomen

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
Maria R. Mazzenga, Catholic University of America

Speaker(s):
Donna Truglio Haverty-Stacke, Hunter College, City University New York, and
7. Catholics and Slavery

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room

Chair(s):
Michael Pasquier, Louisiana State University

Papers:
The Elder Family of Maryland: Intergenerational Slaveholding in Early American Catholicism
David J. Endres, Mount St. Mary’s Seminary of the West

Race, Religion, and Slavery in Jedediah Huntington’s “Romance of the Dark Lady”
David Roach, Baylor University

After the Italian Risorgimento: The Antislavery Struggle and the Presence of Catholic–Italian Missionaries in Somalia
Sara Ercolani, University of Pisa

8. Disciplining the Church across Time and Space

Thursday, January 5, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Catherine Osborne, Fordham University

Papers:
Gender and Privative Violence in the Fourth-Century Canons of Elvira
Tara Baldrick-Morrone, Wake Forest University

Rome and Racism: The Learning Legacy of Propaganda Fide
Paul Monson, Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology

Toward a Global History of the Abuse Crisis in the Catholic Church: A Comparison between the Institutional Responses in the United States, Australia, France, and Germany, 2002–22
Massimo Faggioli, Villanova University
Comment: Catherine Osborne, Fordham University

9. Church and Politics in the 14th Century

Friday, January 6, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Anthony Room

Chair(s):
Nelson H. Minnich, Catholic University of America

Papers:
The Emperor’s Attempt at a New Ecclesiastical Order: The Installation of John of Jandun as Bishop of Ferrara by Ludwig the Bavarian in 1328
Frank Godthardt, Bundesarchiv (Federal Archives of Germany)

The Council of Vienne on Governing Muslims: C. Cedit (Clem. 5.2.un.)
Thomas M. Izbicki, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

Avignon’s Papal Rule, before and after the Great Western Schism
Joëlle Rollo Koster, University of Rhode Island

10. Catholics and the Enemy

Friday, January 6, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall A

Chair(s):
Kathleen Holscher, University of New Mexico

Papers:
Cochlaeus’s Seven-Headed Luther: Context and Evolution of a Polemical Work
Ralph Keen, University of Illinois at Chicago

American Apologetics: George Dunne SJ’s Crusade against Paul Blanshard
Brooke Tranten, Marquette University

In Daemonibus Veritas: The Theo/Demonology of Malachi Martin
Michael Heyes, Lycoming College
11. Growing up, Graduating, and Going Beyond: Global Perspectives on the Disaffiliation of 20th-Century Catholic Women

Friday, January 6, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall B

Chair(s):
Mary Kate Holman, Benedictine University

Papers:
Marie-Thérèse Lacaze and “the End of Promised Lands”
Mary Kate Holman, Benedictine University

Corita Kent and “a Sort of Growing Up”
Tim Dulle Jr., Saint Louis University

Mary Daly and “Boundary Living”
Meg Stapleton Smith, Fordham University

12. Telling US Catholic History: Archives and Narratives

Friday, January 6, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
Thomas F. Rzeznik, Seton Hall University

Papers:
Scrapbook Historiography: The American Catholic Historical Society of Philadelphia’s Early History, 1884-1904
Patrick J. Hayes, Archives of the Redemptorist Fathers

The 1565 Project: Catholic and Spanish Marginalization in the United States’ Origin Story
Ramon Luzarraga, St. Martin’s University

The Healy Family and the Activism of Albert S. Foley SJ
Alexandria Griffin, New College of Florida

Friday, January 6, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Regency Ballroom C1
13. Material Religion on Catholic eBay: A Roundtable Discussion
Joint with the American Historical Association

Chair(s):
Monica Mercado, Colgate University

Papers:
The Gauci Brothers’ Holy Land and the Value(s) of Ephemera
James Bielo, Miami University Ohio

Mary Margaret Alacoque’s Prayer Card
Katherine A. Dugan, Springfield College

Dirt and Celluloid: On Collecting the Rosary
Alyssa Maldonado-Estrada, Kalamazoo College

Postcards from the Convent
Monica Mercado, Colgate University

Press Photographs as Devotional Images
Susan Reynolds, Emory University

14. Communism and Labor

Friday, January 6, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall A

Chair(s):
Richard E. Gribble CSC, Stonehill College

Papers:
The Cold War and the Curriculum: Anticommunism in US Catholic Schools, 1945–85
Dennis Gunn, Iona University

Pennsylvania’s Labor Priests and Their Catholic Labor Schools
Paul Lubieniecki, Boland Center for the Study of Labor and Religion

“Moscow Mary” Goes behind the Curtain: Dorothy Day Visits Poland and the Soviet Union, 1971
Neal H. Pease, University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee
15. Forming US Catholic Identities

Friday, January 6, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall B

Chair(s):  
Margaret M. McGuinness, La Salle University

Papers:  
*Historicizing the Formation of a Catholic Feminist Identity: Elizabeth Carroll RSM, 1958–85*  
Jillian Plummer, Sacred Heart University

*Bishop John F. Noll, Our Sunday Visitor, and the Promotion of Conservative Catholicism in the United States, 1912–56*  
Joseph M. White, Catholic Historical Review

*Muscular Catholics: The Catholic League, Sports, and Education in Philadelphia, 1920–45*  
Ryan Halloran, Temple University

16. The Catholic Church in the Holocaust Era: First Findings from the Vatican Archives

Friday, January 6, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Joint with the Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies

Chair(s):  
Rebecca Carter-Chand, Jack, Joseph, and Morton Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Papers:  
*The Vatican Archives and the Holocaust in Eastern Europe*  
Ion Popa, University of Manchester

*In Search of an Escape: Attempts at Emigration by Converted Jews during the Holocaust*  
Daniela R. P. Weiner, Stanford University
The Rome Lectures: Father Marie-Benoît and the Path to Jewish–Christian Rapprochement
Suzanne Brown-Fleming, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Comment: Adam Gregerman, Institute for Jewish–Catholic Relations, Saint Joseph's University

ACHA Presidential Luncheon
Friday, January 6, 2023: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Presider: Charles Strauss, American Catholic Historical Association and Mount St. Mary’s University

Address:
Rethinking Catholic Intellectual History
Brenna Moore, Fordham University

17. Presidential Roundtable: Why Catholic History? Why Now?
Friday, January 6, 2023: 2:00 PM-3:15 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall A

Chair(s):
Brenna Moore, Fordham University

Speaker(s):
Maureen O'Connell, Discerning Deacons and La Salle University
James Padilioni, Swarthmore College
Stephen R. Schloesser SJ, Loyola University Chicago

18. Historicizing the Parish
Friday, January 6, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall A

Chair(s):
Catherine Osborne, Fordham University

Papers:
A Family and Parish Affair: Catholic Slaveholding Women and the Growth of the Mid-
Atlantic Church, 1765–1865
Elsa Mendoza, Middlebury College

The Parochial Paradox: The Parish Neighborhood as Anchor and Bunker in Mid-20th-Century Detroit
Christine Hwang, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

“Would You Demand a Refund?” Understanding the “Crisis” of Parish Closure Clergy Sexual Abuse in Philadelphia
Madeline Gambino, Princeton University

Comment: Catherine Osborne, Fordham University


Friday, January 6, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall B

Chair(s):
Patrick McGrath, University of Hong Kong

Papers:
Angel Gabriel at Brooklyn Ferry
James T. Fisher, Fordham University

Port of Shadows and Light: New York City’s “Art House” Cinema, Postwar Film, and Alternative Routes of Catholicism in the United States
Anthony Burke Smith, University of Dayton

Ports of Entry: Dislocation and Allegiance in Fiscal-Crisis Catholic New York
Eileen Markey, Lehman College, City University of New York

Comment: Patrick McGrath, University of Hong Kong

20. Lay Catholic Women Reinterpreting Transatlantic Catholicism in 19th- and 20th-Century Latin America

Friday, January 6, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
Mary J. Henold, Roanoke College
Papers:
Defining Puerto Rican Catholic Womanhood in the US Caribbean, 1921–46
Maria Cecilia Ulrickson, Catholic University of America

A Window to the World: Transatlantic Catholicism and the Redefinition of the
Argentinean Catholic Woman in the 1920s Magazine
Noel Sofía Maurette, University of Maryland, College Park

Catholic Women and the Formation of a Public Sphere in 19th-Century Chile
Sol Serrano Pérez, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Comment: Silvia M. Arrom, Brandeis University

ACHA Business Meeting

Friday, January 6, 2023: 5:00 PM-6:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall A

Presider: Charles Strauss, American Catholic Historical Association and Mount St. Mary’s University

21. Dry Bones: Catholic Horror

Friday, January 6, 2023: 7:00 PM-10:00 PM
Ruba Club, 416 Green Street
Co-Sponsor(s): American Society of Church History

Papers:
Hail Satan Tonight!
Brandon L. Bayne, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Midnight Mass
Anthea D. Butler, University of Pennsylvania

The Gonzaga Exorcism
Emily Suzanne Clark, Gonzaga University

Gateway Horror
Matthew J. Cressler, College of Charleston

Sad Vampires Are Hot
Jack Lee Downey, University of Rochester
Hagio/graphic Martyrdom
Mary Corley Dunn, Saint Louis University

Disgust and the Cult of the Saints
Kathleen Holscher, University of New Mexico

Blood and the Emptied Land
Jennifer S. Hughes, University of California, Riverside

The Silent Infinite and the Absence of God
Daisy Vargas, University of Arizona

22. Disability and the Catholic Imagination

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
Brenna Moore, Fordham University

Papers:
Dorothy Day’s Eugenic Imagination
James T. Fisher, Fordham University

Disability, Race, and the Life of Julia Greeley
Alexia Williams, University of Illinois at Urbana–Champaign

Exceptional Material
Andrew Walker-Cornetta, Georgia State University

Hagiographic Prosthetics
Mary Corley Dunn, Saint Louis University

Comment: Brenna Moore, Fordham University

23. Catholics and the Second World War

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room

Chair(s):
Sean Philip Brennan, University of Scranton
Papers:

Jews’ Requests for Help during World War II: The Archive of Pietro Tacchi Venturi SJ
Raffaella Perin, Catholic University of Sacred Heart
Sergio Palagiano, Archivum Romanum Societatis Iesu

“The Survival of Christian Civilization”: The Role of English Roman Catholics in the Second World War, 1939–41
Joshua Thomas Madrid, University College London

American Jesuits and the Postwar Revival of the Thomistic Natural Law: Recurring Themes in the Thought of William J. Kenealy and John C. Ford
Dennis J. Wieboldt III, Boston College


Saturday, January 7, 2023: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Massimo Faggioli, Villanova University

Speaker(s):
Mary Kate Holman, Benedictine University
Jillian Plummer, Sacred Heart University
Phyllis Zagano, Hofstra University

25. Church and Society in Iberia and Latin America

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Adams Room

Chair(s):
Brandon L. Bayne, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Papers:
Catholic Exiles Abroad: The Irish Presence in the Early Modern English and Spanish Worlds
Steven Joseph Casement, Penn State University
Recasting Throne and Altar in 19th-Century Iberia: A View from England  
Joseph J. Puchner, Princeton University  

Student Remembrances: Progressive Catholic Activism and the Student Movement in the First Half of the 20th Century in Latin America  
Sandra Londono-Ardila, Florida International University  

26. **Archivists and Historians: Documenting and Telling the Story of Diversity at Saint John’s University**  
Saturday, January 7, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C  

Chair(s):  
Susie J. Pak, Saint John’s University  

Papers:  
*Who Was Saint John’s? A Historical Audit on Diversity*  
Susie J. Pak, Saint John’s University  

*Diversity, Archives, and Professional Ethics*  
Alyse Hennig, Saint John’s University  

*Archives, Catholic Histories, and Researcher Relations*  
Joseph Coen, Diocese of Brooklyn  

27. **Language, Church, Nation: The Politics of Multilingual Catholicism in the United States**  
Saturday, January 7, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room  

Chair(s):  
Michael Pfeifer, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, and Graduate Center, City University of New York  

Papers:  
*The Sentinelle Affair: An Episode in the Nationalization of American Catholicism, 1922–29*  
Maxwell Pingeon, University of Virginia
Claretian Missionaries, Linguistic Adaptability, and the Building of a National Latino Ministry
Deborah Kanter, Albion College

Linguistic Imperialism(?) in the Alaskan Missions
Jack Lee Downey, University of Rochester

Comment: Michael Pfeifer, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, and Graduate Center, City University of New York

28. **Sainthood and the Body**

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Catherine O'Donnell, Arizona State University

Papers:
*Heaven on Earth: The Celebratory Ceremonies to Commemorate the Beatification of Blessed Sebastián de Aparicio in Puebla, New Spain (1791)*
Alfonso Adolfo Gomez-Rossi, University de las Americas Puebla

*Which Wounds Will Be Redeemed? The Role of Disability, Suffering, and the Resurrection in Teresa of Avila’s Spirituality*
Elise M. Abshire, University of Dayton

*The Relic of St. Yaz: Carl Yastrzemski’s Undershirt, the Red Sox Faithful, and War-Injured Vietnamese Children*
Theresa Keeley, University of Louisville

29. **John Gilmary Shea Prize Book Panel**

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):
John C. Seitz, Fordham University

30. **American Catholics, Sex Abuse, the Body, and Modern Sexualities**
Saturday, January 7, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room

Chair(s):
Rebecca L. Davis, University of Delaware

Papers:
Richard Sipe and the Study of Modern Catholic Sexuality
Peter Cajka, University of Notre Dame

Gender and Sexuality among Clergy Abuse Survivors: Confusion, Ambiguity, and Distress
Brian J. Clites, Case Western Reserve University

Camping Trips, Sex Ed, and Catholic Evangelization: The Reverberations of John Paul II’s “Theology of the Body”
Katherine A. Dugan, Springfield College

James P. McCartin, Fordham University

Comment: Rebecca L. Davis, University of Delaware

31. Orders and Jurisdictions

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 1:30 PM-3:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Kyle B. Roberts, American Philosophical Society

Papers:
An Institution for Reconciliation: The Foundation of the Apostolic Board of the Spanish Monarchy, 1560–1600
Héctor Linares, Penn State University

Two Earthquakes: The Knights of Malta and Disaster Relief in 1783 and 1908
Dennis Castillo, Saint Mary’s Seminary and University

A Conversion of Conviction: The Journey of Fr. Lewis (Paul James Francis) Wattson SA
Richard E. Gribble CSC, Stonehill College
32. **Missionary Fervor**

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Congress Hall C

Chair(s):  
Theresa Keeley, University of Louisville

Papers:  
Elisabeth Davis, University of Connecticut at Storrs

The Minneapolis League of Catholic Women: Engaging in the Larger World  
Jennifer Wojciechowski, Luther Seminary

A Mission of Their Own: Catholic Laity and Transnational Missions in Peru and Brazil, 1955–70  
Taylor Fulkerson, Cristo Rey Jesuit High School

33. **Reproductive Health, Power, and American Catholicism**

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM  
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Howe Room

Chair(s):  
Monica Mercado, Colgate University

Papers:  
Abortion, Eugenics, and Civilization: Catholic Antiabortion Arguments during the Great Depression  
Kate Hoeting, Catholics for Choice

Theologizing the Pill: Christianity, Women’s Magazines, and Birth Control, 1960–72  
Margaret Hamm, independent scholar

A New Era of Sex Education: Moving Toward a More Inclusive Model of Sex Education, Reproductive Health, and Consent  
Melissa Cedillo, independent scholar

Comment: Monica Mercado, Colgate University

34. **Anti-Catholic Politics**
Saturday, January 7, 2023: 3:30 PM-5:00 PM
Loews Philadelphia Hotel, Lescaze Room

Chair(s):
Katie M. Oxx, Saint Joseph's University

Papers:
Papists, Treason, Plot: Parliamentarian Anti-Catholic Propaganda and the Politics of Conspiracy during the First English Civil War, 1641–46
Joseph Bienko, Penn State University

The Anti-Catholic Origins of the American Revolution
Grant E. Stanton, University of Pennsylvania

No Irish Need Apply: Anti-Irish Language in Baltimore’s Local Newspapers between 1840–70
Conor Donnan, University of Pennsylvania

ACHA Mass

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM
Old St. Mary’s Church, 252 S. 4th Street

ACHA Social

Saturday, January 7, 2023: 7:00 PM-9:00 PM
American Catholic Historical Society, 263 S. 4th Street