



Edith Stein Project Conference 2024
Co-Authoring Identity: Little Pencils in God's Hand

Friday, February 9

3:00-3:45 p.m.

McKenna Hall

Registration

4:00 p.m.

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Welcoming Remarks

Caroline Rossini, 2023-24 *President, Edith Stein Conference*

4:15 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

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Keynote Speaker 1

Co-Authoring Adoption

Suzy Younger and Leigh Snead, *University of Notre Dame*

5:15 p.m.

Basilica of the

Sacred Heart

Mass

Fr. Karl Romkema, C.S.C.

6:00 p.m.

Salon A, Smith Ballroom

Dinner

7:30-8:30 p.m.

McKenna Hall

Keynote Speaker 2

SAINTS: A FAMILY STORY

John Cavadini, Katie Cavadini, and Anastasia Cassady,
University of Notre Dame

8:45-10:00 p.m.

Law School Chapel

Adoration and Ice Cream Social

Fr. Gabriel Griggs, C.S.C.

Saturday, February 10

9:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m.

McKenna Hall

Keynote Speaker 3

VOCATION TO HEAL

Jennifer Bauer, *St. Mary's College*

10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

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Paper Presentations

PANEL A

“The Hand Behind the Masterpiece: Edith Stein’s Anthropological Insights Applied to Genetic Engineering Ethics” Mariele Courtois

“Pharmaceuticals and Providence: Restoring Creation through Chemical Discovery” Katherine O’Connell

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PANEL B

“The ‘Creaturely Metaphysics’ of Edith Stein and Erich Przywara: A Metaphysical Foundation for Co-Authoring Identity” Fr. Christian Ivandic

“Searching for Something: Taylor and Pieper on Meaning in the Secular Age” Lauren Revay

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

McKenna Hall

Keynote Speaker 4

AN INVITATION TO CHRIST-CENTERED WELLNESS

Jackie Mulligan and Dr. Bridget Vander Woude, *Reform Wellness*

1:00 p.m.-1:45 p.m.

Salon A, Smith Ballroom

Morris Inn

Lunch

2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

McKenna Hall

Paper Presentations

PANEL C

“Co-Authoring Vocation: The Either/Or of Simone Weil and Edith Stein” Annemarie Krall

“Science and the Assurance of Things Hoped For”
Suzanne Bohlson

PANEL D

“Building for the Future: Architectural Beauty in Father Latour’s Cathedral” Mary Freund

“Condemned to Create Ourselves? Finding a Marian Counterpart to the Existentialism of Jean Genet’s *Les Bonnes*” Anne Marie Bollman

3:15 p.m.-4:15 p.m.
McKenna Hall

Keynote Speaker 5
***ONE IN EIGHT BILLION: THE ART OF HUMILITY IN A
PROUD WORLD***

Fr. Pete McCormick, C.S.C., *University of Notre Dame*

5:00 p.m.
*Basilica of the
Sacred Heart*

Mass

6:15 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
*Salon A, Smith Ballroom
Morris Inn*

Closing Banquet