

**Converging Roads – Archdiocese of St. Louis
Saturday, October 12, 2019 | Saint Louis University**

CATHOLIC MEDICINE IN A SECULAR SOCIETY

8:00 AM	CHECK-IN/REGISTRATION BEGINS
9:00 AM	OPENING REMARKS
9:10 – 10:10 AM	THE HIPPOCRATIC OATH: COUNTERING A SECULARIST BIOETHICS Thomas Cavanaugh, Ph.D.
10:15 – 11:15 AM	SECULARISM AS A THREAT TO THE COMMON GOOD AND CONSCIENCE IN HEALTHCARE Richard Doerflinger, M.A.
11:15 – 11:30 AM	BREAK
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	REMAINING CATHOLIC IN A SECULAR SOCIETY Natalie Rodden, M.D.
12:30 – 2:00 PM	HIPPOCRATIC OATH LUNCHEON
1:00 – 2:00 PM	THE MEDICAL COMMUNITY'S ROLE IN COUNTERING THE PUSH FOR ASSISTED SUICIDE AND EUTHANASIA William L. Toffler, M.D.
2:00 – 2:20 PM	BREAK
2:20 – 3:20 PM	GENDER DYSPHORIA IN CHILDREN AND ADULTS: SCIENCE, IDEOLOGY, AND ETHICS Paul Hruz, M.D., Ph.D.
3:25 – 4:25 PM	STERILIZATION & CONTRACEPTION WHEN FUTURE PREGNANCY PRESENTS SERIOUS RISKS Elliott Bedford, M.A., Ph.D.
4:25 – 4:40 PM	BREAK
4:40 – 5:40 PM	CATHOLIC HEALTH CARE: HOPE IN AN UNCERTAIN FUTURE Erica Laethem, Be.L., Ph.D. (cand.)
5:40 – 6:30 PM	WINE & CHEESE RECEPTION