





Converging Roads – Diocese of Baton Rouge Saturday, August 26, 2023 | The Tracy Center

HEALTH CARE AT THE SERVICE OF HUMAN DIGNITY

7:30 AM	CHECK-IN / REGISTRATION BEGINS (MAIN AUDITORIUM/BALLROOM)
8:00 AM	MASS (CHAPEL) Celebrant: Most Rev. Michael G. Duca
9:15 AM	OPENING REMARKS (MAIN AUDITORIUM/BALLROOM)
9:25 – 10:25 AM	VOCATION OF THE HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL Sister Michaela Serpa, FSE, MA, PharmD, BCPS
10:25 – 10:35 AM	BREAK
10:35 – 11:35 AM	THEOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY AND BEGINNING OF LIFE ISSUES Rafael Flores, MAPL
11:35 – 11:45 AM	BREAK
11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	DIGNITY AND DISABILITY IN MEDICINE Mark Bradford
12:45 – 2:20 PM	HIPPOCRATIC OATH LUNCHEON
1:15 – 2:15 PM	AFFIRMING THE DIGNITY OF WOMEN IN MEDICINE Mary Bruno, FCP; Susan Caldwell, MD, CFCMC; and Sister Michaela Serpa, FSE, MA, PharmD, BCPS
2:15 – 2:20 PM	RECITATION OF THE PROMISE OF THE CATHOLIC HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL
2:20 – 2:40 PM	BREAK
2:20 – 3:05 PM	SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
2:40 – 3:40 PM	SPIRITUAL AND RELIGIOUS CONSIDERATIONS TO THE MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS: AN INTEGRATIVE PERSPECTIVE Anthony Isacco, PhD
3:40 – 3:50 PM	BREAK
3:50 – 4:50 PM	NAVIGATING CHALLENGING PRENATAL DIAGNOSES Tracy Winsor, MPA
4:50 – 5:00 PM	CLOSING REMARKS

WINE AND CHEESE RECEPTION

5:00 - 5:45 PM