



Converging Roads – Houston, TX
Saturday, April 11, 2026 | St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

HEALTH AND HUMAN FLOURISHING

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| 7:30 AM | CHECK-IN/REGISTRATION BEGINS |
| 8:00 AM | MASS Celebrant TBA |
| 9:15 AM | OPENING REMARKS Anthony Isacco, PhD |
| 9:25 – 10:25 AM | CONSCIENCE, MORAL COOPERATION, AND HUMAN FLOURISHING Matthew Shea, PhD |
| 10:25 – 10:35 AM | BREAK |
| 10:35 – 11:35 AM | THE PRIMACY OF VIRTUE AND NAVIGATING MORAL COOPERATION IN MEDICINE Matthew Shea, PhD; and more |
| 11:35 – 11:45 AM | BREAK |
| 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM | RESTORATIVE REPRODUCTIVE MEDICINE AND THE FLOURISHING OF THE PERSON Tracey Parnell, MD, MRM, CCFP |
| 12:45 – 2:35 PM | HIPPOCRATIC OATH LUNCHEON |
| 1:30 – 2:30 PM | DR. JEROME LEJEUNE: A MODEL OF INTEGRATING THE SPIRITUAL LIFE Pilar Calva, MD |
| 2:30 – 2:35 PM | RECITATION OF THE PROMISE OF THE CATHOLIC HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL |
| 2:35 – 2:55 PM | BREAK |
| 2:35 – 3:25 PM | SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION |
| 2:55 – 3:55 PM | TECHNOLOGY AND THE MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS Anthony Isacco, PhD |
| 3:55 – 4:05 PM | BREAK |
| 4:05 – 5:05 PM | THE BENEFITS AND ETHICAL CHALLENGES OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN HEALTH CARE Mariele Courtois, PhD |
| 5:05 – 5:15 PM | CLOSING REMARKS |
| 5:15 – 6:00 PM | WINE & CHEESE RECEPTION |