"They Shall Be Called Children of God: Violence, Transformation, and the Sacred"



Fifty-Seventh Annual Convention

in conjunction with
The National Association
of Baptist Professors of Religion
(NABPR)

Iona College New Rochelle, New York

Thursday, June 2nd - Sunday, June 5th, 2011

Thursday, June 2nd	
All Day	Convention Registration and Check-in
Loftus Hall Lobby	
9:30-4:00	Board of Directors Meeting
Faculty Reception Room, Spellman Hall	
4:30-5:30	Women's Caucus
Murphy 204	
5:30-7:00	Dinner
Vitanza Commons, Spellman Hall	

Thursday, June 2nd	
7:30-9:00	Procession of Officers and Members of the Board of Directors Florence Maroney
Christopher J.	Iona College Pipe Band
Murphy	30.00
Auditorium,	Welcome:
Murphy Center	Brian Nickerson.
	Dean, School of Arts and Science
	Iona College
	Elena Procario-Foley
	Chair, Department of Religious Studies
	Iona College
	Local Coordinator
	Plenary Address
	Bradford Hinze
	Fordham University (New York)
	President, College Theology Society
	Moderator
	"Violence Religious and Secular: Questioning the Categories"
	William Cavanaugh
	Senior Research Professor
	Center for World Catholicism and Intercultural Theology
	De Paul University (Illinois)
9:00-11:00	Reception
Arrigoni Center	Sponsored by Fordham University, Bronx, New York
Friday, June 3rd	
7:30-8:45	Breakfast
Vitanza	
Commons,	
Spellman Hall	
9:00-10:30	Sectional Meetings:
Murphy 201	Scripture
1.1	Sue Calef, Creighton University (Nebraska)
	Linda S. Harrington, Briar Cliff University (Iowa)
	Conveners
	"Fraternizing with the Enemy? Lessons in Holy Conspiracy from the Two Mothers
	of Moses"
	Holly Taylor Coolman, Providence College (Rhode Island)
	"The New Moses and the Wisdom of God: A Convergence of Themes in Matthew
	11:25-30"
	Patricia Sharbaugh, Saint Vincent College (Pennsylvania)

Friday, June 3rd	Friday, June 3rd	
Murphy 204 1.2	Contemporary Theologies Jane E. Linahan, St. Bonaventure University (New York) Convener "The Truth Shall Set You Free: Raymund Schwager's Theology of Jesus the Scapegoat"	
	Benjamin J. Brown, Lourdes College (Ohio) "Scapegoating the Secular: The Irony of Mimetic Violence in the Social Theology of John Milbank" Scott MacDougall, Fordham University (New York)	
Murphy 210 1.3	Theology of the Church Matthew Lewis Sutton, St. John's University (New York) Convener "The State of Ecclesiology: Current Research, Future Directions" Paulist Press and Christopher Bellitto, Kean University (New Jersey) Sponsor and Organizer Judith Schaefer, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota (Minnesota) Moderator Bradford Hinze, Fordham University (New York) Mary Doak, University of San Diego (California) Bernard Prusak, Villanova University (Pennsylvania)	
Murphy 211 1.4	Panelists Marriage and Family Daniel Olsen, Saint Xavier University (Illinois) Matthew Sherman, Marymount University (Virginia) Conveners "Violence and the Work of Marriage as the Struggle for Holiness" Robert Brancatelli, Fordham University (New York) "Violence Against Gays and Lesbians: A Radically Needed Transformation " William P. Roberts, University of Dayton	

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Murphy 217 1.5	Religion and Society Erin Brigham, University of San Francisco (California) Christine Fletcher, Benedictine University (Illinois) Co-Conveners Book Discussion: "Finding Salvation in Christ: Essays on Christology and Soteriology in Honor of William P. Loewe" Christopher Denny, St. John's University (New York) Moderator Anne Clifford, Iowa State University (Iowa) Anthony Godzieba, Villanova University (Pennsylvania) William Shea, College of the Holy Cross (Massachusetts) Panelists William P. Loewe, Catholic University (D.C.)	
Murphy 304 1.6	Justice & Peace Tobias Winright, St. Louis University (Missouri) Convener "Sacred Violence and Sacred Peacemaking: The Shining Path Insurgency in Peru, 1980-2000" Matthew Shadle, Loras College (Iowa) "Fr. Alejandro Solalinde and the Violence of Migration" Randall Woodard, St. Leo University (Florida)	
Murphy 328 1.7	Art, Literature, and Religion Jonathan Malesic, King's College (Pennsylvania) Convener Theme: The Art of Political Violence "The Beauty of Abu Ghraib: Art Transforming Violence" Krista Stevens, Fordham University (New York) "Los Desaparecidos (The Disappeared): The North Dakota Museum of Art, Brutal Memory, and the Facilitation of Sacred Place" Ryan Stander, University of North Dakota	

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Murphy GR19 1.8	Women and Religion/Women In Religion Susie Paulik Babka, University of San Diego (California) Janice Thompson, King's College (Pennsylvania) Conveners "Do this in Remembrance: Eucharist as Dangerous Memory in the Context of Violence Against Women" Brianne A. B. Jacobs, Fordham University (New York) "Transforming Women's Eating Practices: Christian Resistance to the Regime of Thinness"	
Murphy GR25 1.9	Elizabeth Antus, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) World Religions John N. Sheveland, Gonzaga University (Washington) Convener "Veena Das: Solidarity with Victims of Communal Violence, Claiming Voice for the Silent, Seeking Insight into the Recovery of Ordinary Life" Gerald T. Carney, Hampden Sydney College (Virginia)	
	"Sabda Pramana, Systemic Violence and Prophetic Resistance: Karl Barth and Anatanand Rambachan in Dialogue" Reid B. Locklin, Saint Michael's College, University of Toronto (Canada), and Martin Marty Center for the Advanced Study of Religion, University of Chicago Divinity School (Illinois)	
Murphy GR30 1.10	Spirituality Anita Houck, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Glenn Young, Rockhurst University (Missouri) Conveners Panel: Transforming Difference: Jewish-Christian Collaborations in Education and Liturgy Elizabeth Edelstein, Museum of Jewish Heritage - A Living Memorial to the Holocaust (New York) Lisa Hess, United Theological Seminary (Ohio) Rabbi Brad Hirschfield, National Jewish Center for Learning and Leadership (New York) Elena Procario-Foley, Iona College (New York) Panelists	

Philosophy of Religion Gerald McCarthy, Assumption College (Massachusetts) Convener" Violence and Transformation in New Communities: An Augustinian Response to the New Atheists" Andrew Salzmann, Boston College (Massachusetts)
"They Shall Be Called Children of God: Violence, Transformation and the Sacred"
Daniel Martino, Seton Hill College (Pennsylvania) National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR) Richard Crane, Messiah College (Pennsylvania) Convener
Theme: Epistemology and Violence "Violence, the Good and Ecstatic Knowing" D. Michael Cox, University of Dayton (Ohio) "'Even When Christ is Not Recognized': Flannery O'Connor and the Mediation of the Sacred" Derek C. Hatch, University of Dayton (Ohio)
Coffee Break Sponsored by the College of New Rochelle (New York)
Sectional Meetings:
Scripture Sue Calef, Creighton University (Nebraska) Linda S. Harrington, Briar Cliff University (Iowa) Conveners "Violence and Transformation in Second Isaiah: Babylonian Precedents for the Suffering Servant" James V. Zeitz, Our Lady of the Lake University (Texas) "'So be it': Gender, Family, and Sacrificial Violence in Gibson's The Passion of the Christ"

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Murphy 204 2.2	Contemporary Theologies Jane E. Linahan, St. Bonaventure University (New York) Convener	
	"In the Service of Redemption: Rereading Frederick Crowe and St. Thomas Aquinas on the Dynamics of Human Loving" Jennifer Constantine-Jackson, Regis College, University of Toronto (Ontario)	
	"Violence, Transformation, and the Sacred: An Experiment with Karl Rahner's Cross-Cultural Solution" Cyril Orji, University of Dayton (Ohio)	
Murphy 210 2.3	Theology of the Church Matthew Lewis Sutton, St. John's University (New York) Convener	
	"The Church Grounded in the Trinity: Some Insights from Thomas F. Torrance" Paul Molnar, St. John's University (New York)	
	"Divine Sovereignty and Human Freedom: The Mystery of Grace in Karl Barth's Theology of Providence" Michael Dempsey, St. John's University (New York)	
	"Adoptive Children of the Father: The Relationship between the Father and the Church (and Not Only)" Radu Bordeianu, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)	
Murphy 211 2.4	Marriage and Family Daniel Olsen, Saint Xavier University (Illinois) Matthew Sherman, Marymount University (Virginia) Co-Conveners	
	"Domestic Violence: Recognition, Roots, Reconciliation, and the US Bishop's Responses" Felicidad Oberholzer, Saint Mary's College (California)	
	"Just Peacemaking and Christian Marriage" <i>Julie Hanlon Rubio, St. Louis University (Missouri)</i>	

Friday, June 3rd	
Murphy GR25 2.5	Ethics
	Rachel Bundang, Marymount School (New York) Margaret R. Pfeil, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) Jessica Wrobleski, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Conveners
	Theme: Dialogical Approaches to the Abortion Debate
	"Starting with Nonviolence: Building Common Ground in the Abortion Debate" Charles C. Camosy, Fordham University (New York)
	"Discussing Abortion across the Cultural Divide" James T. Bretzke, Boston College School of Theology and Ministry (Massachusetts)
Murphy 217 2.6	Religion and Society Erin Brigham, University of San Francisco (California) Christine Fletcher, Benedictine University (Illinois) Conveners
	Theme: Dialogue with Islam
	"The Park-51 Controversy: Aberration or Portent?" Daniel Rober, Fordham University (New York)
	"Dialogues of Life and Action as Social Recipe Against Religiously Motivated Violence in Northern Nigeria" Marinus C. Iwuchukwu, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)
Murphy 304 2.7	Justice & Peace Tobias Winright, St. Louis University (Missouri) Convener
	"Sustainable Subsistence and Just Peacemaking" Daniel Scheid, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)
	"Virtue, Vulnerability, and Social Transformation" Kevin Ahern, Boston College (Massachusetts)
Murphy 328 2.8	Art, Literature, and Religion Jonathan Malesic, King's College (Pennsylvania) Convener
	Theme: Dialectics of the Sacred and Profane
	"Georges Rouault: Encountering God's Beauty through the Face of the Other" Gael Mooney, Dominican University (Illinois)
	"Violating the Aura: Theological Aesthetics against the Cult of the Original" Catherine Osborne, Fordham University (New York)

Friday, June 3rd	
Murphy GR19 2.9	Women and Religion / Women In Religion Susie Paulik Babka, University of San Diego (California) Janice Thompson, King's College (Pennsylvania) Conveners Violence, the Vatican and Women Religious Phyllis Zagano, Hofstra University (New York) Sorrowful Mothers or Iron Ladies? Liberian Women Peacemakers Subvert the Myth of Maternal Peacefulness Elizabeth O'Donnell Gandolfo, Emory University
Murphy 211 2.10	Mysticism and Politics Laurie Cassidy, Marywood University (Pennsylvania) Alex Mikukich, Loyola University of New Orleans (Louisiana) Conveners "Simone Weil: Transforming Violence into Love" Matthew Halbach, Catholic University of America (DC) Johann Vento, Georgian Court College (New Jersey) Respondent
Murphy GR7 2.11	National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR) Cameron Jorgenson, Campbell University Divinity School (North Carolina) Convener Theme: Just Peacemaking and Social Justice "Butternut Squash as a Sacrament?: The Recent Works of William T. Cavanaugh and Their Meaning for Would-be Peacemakers" Scott W. Bullard, Judson College (Alabama) "Piety and Peacemaking: Challenging Walter Rauschenbusch for the Ecclesial as Social Space." Joshua R. Brown, Campbell University Divinity School (North Carolina) "Riddles of Justice: Grocery Store Looting and Temple Riots" Ethan Smith, University of Dayton (Ohio)
12:30-1:30	Lunch
Vitanza Commons	
1:45-3:15	Sectional Meetings:

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Murphy 204 3.1	Contemporary Theologies Jane E. Linahan, St. Bonaventure University (New York) Convener
	"Violent Transformation or the Transformation of Violence: Teilhard and Moltmann in Conversation" Joseph Conley, Graduate Theological Union (California)
	"The (Im)possible Poetics of John D. Caputo: The Grammar of the Kingdom in a World of Violence" Daniel P. Horan, Siena College (New York)
Murphy 210 3.2	Theology of the Church Matthew Lewis Sutton, St. John's University (New York) Convener
	"From the Crucible of War: The Church as the People of God" Rose Beal, St. Mary's University of Minnesota (Minnesota)
	"Yves Congar, Ecclesiastical Violence, and the Work of Reform" Julia Brumbaugh, Regis University (Colorado)
	"Do All Readings Lead to Rome? John Henry Newman, Karl Rahner, and Francis A. Sullivan as Multidimensional Hermeneutical Interpreters of Vatican Texts" Michael Canaris, Fairfield University (Connecticut)
Murphy GR25 3.3	Ethics Rachel Bundang, Marymount School (New York) Margaret R. Pfeil, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) Jessica Wrobleski, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Conveners
	Theme: Transforming Violence: Restoring Human Dignity and Practicing Compassionate Cooperation
	"Reclaiming the Dignity of the Torturer through Catholic Social Teaching" Ann Crawford Vinski, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)
	"Reconciliation in Northern Ireland" Michael McGravey, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)

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Murphy 217 3.4	Religion and Society Erin Brigham, University of San Francisco (California) Christine Fletcher, Benedictine University (Illinois) Conveners	
	Theme: Religion and Violence in Public Sphere	
	"Prophetic Voices in the Wilderness: The Promises and Dangers of Religious Worldviews in the Midst of Conflict" Andrew W. Getz, Saint Mary's University (Texas)	
	"From Swords to Ploughshares" Donald C. Maldari, University of San Francisco (California)	
Murphy 304 3.5	Justice & Peace Tobias Winright, St. Louis University (Missouri) Convener	
	"Violence and the Sacred: A Girardian Analysis and Christian Response to President Obama's Nobel Peace Prize Speech" Alex Giltner, St. Louis University (Missouri)	
	"Transforming Racial Conflict: Confronting White Denial through Principles of Restorative Justice" Anna Floerke Scheid, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)	
Murphy 328 3.6	Art, Literature, and Religion Jonathan Malesic, King's College (Pennsylvania) Convener	
	Theme: Violence of Biblical Proportions: Eastwood and Esther	
	"Forgiven: The Transformation of Violence in the Films of Clint Eastwood" Kevin J. Haley, University of Notre Dame (Indiana)	
	"Irony, Alienation, and Esther" Kathryn Reinhard, Fordham University (New York)	
Murphy 201 3.7	History of Christian Life and Thought Brian M. Doyle, Marymount University (Virginia) Johann M. Vento, Georgian Court University (New Jersey) Conveners	
	"Terror in 4th-century Egypt: Arian Demonism or Christian Victory?" Lois Gandt, Sacred Heart University (Connecticut)	
	"The Embrace of Poverty: Clare of Assisi's Unconventional Response to a World of Violence"	
	John V. Kruse, Neumann University (Pennsylvania)	

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Murphy 211 3.8	Consultation: Evangelical Catholic and Catholic Evangelicals Christopher McMahon, Saint Vincent College (Pennsylvania) Mark Medley, Baptist Seminary of Kentucky Conveners Panel: "Crossing Over? Evangelical and Roman Catholic Perspectives" Curtis Freeman, Duke University (North Carolina) Aurelie Hagstrom, Providence College (Rhode Island) Beth Newman, Baptist Theological Seminary, Richmond (Virginia) Terrence Tilley, Fordham University (New York)	
	Panelists	
Murphy GR31 3.9	American Catholic Life and Thought Sharon Perkins, Independent Scholar (Texas) Nicholas Rademacher, Cabrini College (Pennsylvania) Conveners	
	"An Apocalyptic Sectarianism': American Catholic Radicalism and the Theology Behind the Sectarian Charge" Benjamin Peters, Saint Joseph College (Connecticut)	
	"Sacred Seeds: Jesuit Martyrs in American Catholic Historiography" Paul G. Monson, Marquette University (Wisconsin)	
Murphy GR30 3.10	Spirituality Anita Houck, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Glenn Young, Rockhurst University (Missouri) Conveners	
	Theme: Contemplation and Action	
	"The 'Wide-Armed Ocean' of Peace: Nonviolent Resistance and Spirituality in Thomas Merton and Dorothy Soelle" Ian Curran, Emory University (Georgia)	
	"Lamenting Our Losses: Violence against Creation and Liturgical Prayer" Tim Hessel-Robinson, Brite Divinity School (Texas)	
	"Transformative Contemplation: Teaching Prayer in the Shadow of the 'Violent Sacred'" William A. Clark, College of the Holy Cross (Massachusetts)	

Friday, June 3rd	
Murphy GR19 3.11	Consultation on Race, Diversity, and Pedagogy The New Pedagogies (Technical or Experiential) and the Spirituality of Learning Joint Session Michael Lee, Loyola Marymount University (California) Jennifer Reed-Bouley, College of Saint Mary (Nebraska) David C. Robinson, Loyola Institute for Spirituality (California) Gerald Vigna, Alvernia University (Pennsylvania) Conveners Roundtable on Wabash/CTS Teaching Workshop on Cultural Diversity in the Classroom: Take-Aways and Future Directions Moderator: Michael Lee "We are Strangers and Aliens: Implementing the Wabash Teaching Workshop in Two Courses" Maria Teresa Morgan, Saint John Vianney College Seminary (Florida) "The Housekeeper and Her Daughter" Mary Ann Zimmer, Marywood University (Pennsylvania)
3:15-3:45 Murphy Lobby of Murphy Auditorium and RM 127	Coffee Break Sponsored by Manhattan College (New York)
3:45-5:15 Christopher J. Murphy Auditorium	Plenary Address: Anita Houck Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Vice-President, College Theology Society Moderator "God Among the Ruins: Companion and Co-Sufferer" M. Shawn Copeland Associate Professor of Systematic Theology Boston College (Massachusetts) James T. Logan Associate Professor of Religion Director, African and African American Studies Earlham College (Indiana)
5:30-6:00 Arrigoni Center	Ecumenical Prayer Service
6:00-7:00 Vitanza Commons	Dinner
	Free Evening

Saturday, June 4 th	
7:30-8:45	Breakfast
Vitanza Commons	
9:00-10:30	Sectional Meetings:
Murphy 201 4.1	Scripture Sue Calef, Creighton University (Nebraska) Linda S. Harrington, Briar Cliff University (Iowa) Conveners
	"The Sword that Divides: The Differing Political Programs of John the Baptist and Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew" Shane J. Wood, University of Edinburgh (Scotland)
	"'And a Little Child Shall Lead Them': The Transformative Power of Children in the Bible" Carol Dempsey, University of Portland (Oregon)
Murphy 210 4.2	Theology of the Church Matthew Lewis Sutton, St. John's University (New York) Convener "Saints and Mystics: Shifting the Ecclesiological Outlook from 'Within the Church'
	to 'the Church Within'" Michael J. Martocchio, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania) "The Body and the War: Mystical Body Theology in the Early Twentieth Century Europe" Tim Gabrielli, University of Dayton (Ohio)
Murphy 328 4.3	Art, Literature, and Religion Jonathan Malesic, King's College (Pennsylvania) Convener
	Theme: Theologizing Literature "The Lesser Saints: Hans Urs von Balthasar's Theology of Poets" Anne M. Carpenter, Marquette University (Wisconsin)
Murphy GR25 4.4	World Religions John N. Sheveland, Gonzaga University (Washington) Convener
	"Trinitarian Catholicity: A Paradigm for Enduring Interreligious Dialogue/Encounter" SimonMary A. Aihiokhai, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania)
	"A Way Forward: Interfaith Friendship, Violence, and Transformation" Nathanial C. Holmes, Jr., Florida Memorial University (Florida)

Saturday, June 4th	
Murphy 204 4.5	Psychology and Religion Andrew McCarthy, Anna Maria College (Massachusetts) Denise Starkey, College of Saint Scholastica (Minnesota) Conveners "Sacrifice, Scapegoats, and Bullying: Rethinking the Role of Passivity and Violence in Christian Atonement Theology" Elisabeth T. Vasko, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania) "The Healing Wisdom of Judith Butler and Dzogchen: Informing Meditation Instruction with Critical Psychoanalytic Gender Theory" Jennifer Wade, Boston College (Massachusetts) "Trauma, Language, and Prayer: Contemplation as a Resource for Healing" Julia Feder, University of Notre Dame (Indiana)
Murphy 211 4.6	History of Christian Life and Thought Brian M. Doyle, Marymount University (Virginia) Johann M. Vento, Georgian Court University (New Jersey) Conveners "'newe trained souldiours in God's field:' The Transformation of the Beliefs of the Norwich Heresy Suspects by John Foxe in Acts and Monuments" Jennifer Illig, Fordham University (New York) "African Slaves and Catholic Liberators: Why Bad Things go Unnoticed by Good People" James Gaffney, University of Saint Thomas (Minnesota)
Murphy 217 4.7	American Catholic Life and Thought Sharon Perkins, Independent Scholar (Texas) Nicholas Rademacher, Cabrini College (Pennsylvania) Conveners "Yellow by Choice: Asian American Catholics and Racism" Linh Hoang, Siena College (New York) "A Catholic Christian Praxis: Border Violence Transformed by the Universal Eschatological Vision of Johann Baptist Metz" Michael G. Lee, Loyola Marymount University (California)

Saturday, June 4 th	
Murphy 304 4.8	Theology, Ecology, and Natural Science Daniel Scheid, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania) Greg Zuschlag, Oblate School of Theology (Texas) Conveners "Global Warming leads to Global Warfare: The Theologian and the Planetary Emergency" Richard W. Miller, Creighton University (Nebraska) "Treating Nature Nonviolently: Linking Peacemaking and Environment in Catholic Social Teaching" J. Milburn Thompson, Bellarmine University (Kentucky)
Murphy GR30 4.9	Spirituality Anita Houck, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Glenn Young, Rockhurst University (Missouri) Conveners Theme: Contemporary Conversations with Classic Texts "The 'Winnowed' and 'Gathered' Community: Reading John 11:45-53 in Light of Mimetic Theory" Daniel London, Graduate Theological Union (California) "To Care for Oneself: Spirituality, Asceticism, and Subjectivity in Gregory of Nyssa and Michel Foucault" Rick Elgendy, University of Chicago Divinity School (Illinois) "Relearning Vulnerability in a World of Violence: Lessons from Eckhart"
Murphy GR19 4.10	The New Pedagogies (Technical or Experiential) and the Spirituality of Learning David C. Robinson, Loyola Institute for Spirituality (California) Gerald Vigna, Alvernia University (Pennsylvania) Conveners Theme: Teaching War and Peace: Lessons from the Trenches Patrick Lynch, Canisius College (New York) Moderator "Engaging Students in the Battle: Political Advocacy, Debates, and Case Studies in War and Peace Studies" Mark Allman, Merrimack College (Massachusetts) "Teaching Ministers in a Time of War: The Public and Prophetic Traditions of Promoting Peace" Angela Senander, Washington Theological Union (Washington, D.C.) "Teaching Just War: Lessons from an NEH Enduring Questions Pilot Course Grant" Christopher Bellitto, Kean University (New Jersey)

Saturday, June 4th	
Murphy GR31 4.11	Philosophy of Religion Gerald McCarthy, Assumption College (Massachusetts) Convener Panel Discussion: How My Mind Has Changed. John Apczynski, St. Bonaventure's University (New York) Moderator William Shea, College of the Holy Cross (Massachusetts) Daniel Sheridan, St. Joseph's College (Maine) Julie Rubio, St. Louis University (Missouri) Panelists Peter Huff, Centenary College (Louisiana) Respondent
Murphy GR7 4.12	National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR) Mark Medley, Baptist Seminary of Kentucky (Kentucky) Convener Theme: History and Theology "The 'Church Question': Then and Now" Andrew Black, University of Dayton (Ohio) "Christian Victor(s): The Apostolic Role of Roman Emperors in the Fourth Century" Scott Rushing, Baylor University (Texas) "Writing Modernity and Writing Orthodoxy: A Look at Historiography and Genre through the Ancient Christian Commentary on Scripture" Matt Archer, University of Dayton (Ohio)
10:30-11:00 Murphy Auditorium Lobby and RM 127 11:00-12:30 Christopher J. Murphy Auditorium	Coffee Break Sponsored by Mount Saint Vincent's College (New York) Plenary Address: Brian Flanagan Marymount University (Virginia) Treasurer, College Theology Society Moderator "Theology as Gospel Mimesis: Lessons from a Conflict Zone." Todd Whitmore
	Associate Professor of Theology Fellow, Joan B. Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies University of Notre Dame (Indiana)

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12:30-1:30 Vitanza Commons	Lunch
12:30-1:30	Conveners' Lunch Meeting
Faculty Reception Room, Spellman Hall	
2:00-3:20 Christopher J. Murphy Auditorium	Special Plenary Session Margaret R. Pfeil, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) Tobias Winright, Saint Louis University (Missouri) Moderators "Alive Man Walking: One Person's Story of Exoneration from Death Row" Shujaa Graham, Witness to Innocence Project (Pennsylvania)
3:15-4:15 Murphy 319	National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR) Region-at-Large Presidential Address "Atonement and Ecclesial Practices of Reconciliation" Richard Crane, Messiah College (Pennsylvania)
3:20-3:40	Coffee Break
Murphy Auditorium Lobby and RM 127	
3:40-4:30	CTS Business Meeting
Christopher J. Murphy Auditorium	
4:15-4:45 Murphy 319	National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR) Region-at-Large Business Meeting
5:00-6:00	Celebration of the Eucharist
Arrigoni Center	
6:15-7:15 Hegarty Room, Hynes Center	Social Sponsored by Fairfield University Connecticut) Annual Awards Presentation
7:15-9:15 Mulcahy Gym, Hynes Center	Banquet CTS Presidential Award

Saturday, June 4 th	
9:30 pm On	CTS Celebration
Loftus Hall, Second Floor Lounge	
Sunday June 5th	
7:30-8:45	Breakfast
Vitanza Commons	
9:00-10:30	Sectional Meetings:
Murphy GR25 5.1	Award Winning Graduate Student Essay
Murphy 201 5.2	Scripture National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion Joint Session Sue Calef, Creighton University (Nebraska) Richard Crane, Messiah College (Pennsylvania) Linda S. Harrington, Briar Cliff University (Iowa) Conveners Book Panel: The Historical Jesus: Five Views (Robert Price, John Dominic Crossan, Luke Timothy Johnson, James D. G. Dunn, Darrell L. Bock) Regina A. Boisclair, Alaska Pacific University (Alaska) David Gentry-Akin, St. Mary's College of California Derek Hogan, Campbell University Divinity School (North Carolina) Cameron Jorgenson, Campbell University Divinity School (North Carolina)
Murphy 328 5.3	Art, Literature, and Religion Jonathan Malesic, King's College (Pennsylvania) Convener Theme: Visual Theology, Ancient and Contemporary "Irenaeus' Adversus Haereses and Athanasius' De Incarnatione as Interpretive Tools for Perceiving the Human and Divine Suffering in Damien Hirst's Show New Religion, 2007" Jonathan J. Yegge, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Belgium) "Contemporary Encounter with the Icon's Invitation" Mary-Paula Cancienne, Georgian Court University (New Jersey)

Sunday June 5th	Sunday June 5th	
Murphy 211 5.4	History of Christian Life and Thought Brian M. Doyle, Marymount University (Virginia) Johann M. Vento, Georgian Court University (New Jersey) Conveners "The Chip on One's Shoulder: Anti-Catholic Rhetoric and the Career of Patrick J. Hayes, Archbishop of New York (1910-1935)" Patrick Hayes, Redemptorist Archives of the Baltimore Province	
Murphy 217 5.5	American Catholic Life and Thought Sharon Perkins, Independent Scholar (Texas) Nicholas Rademacher, Cabrini College (Pennsylvania) Conveners "The Virtue of Penance and the Justice of God" Maria Morrow, University of Dayton (Ohio) "The Latin Mass in Contemporary American Catholicism: Transformative or Tribal?" Nathaniel Marx, University of Notre Dame (Indiana)	
Murphy 304 5.6	Theology, Ecology, and Natural Science Daniel Scheid, Duquesne University (Pennsylvania) Greg Zuschlag, Oblate School of Theology (Texas) Conveners "The World Bank, the Tower of Babel, and Pentecost: Letting the Voices of the Earth Speak" Daniel P. Castillo, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) "God in the Naturzusammenhang: The Ecological Promise of Schleiermacher's Doctrine of Creation" Monica Schaap Pierce, Fordham University (New York)	
Murphy 204 5.7	Symbol, Ritual, and Sacrament Andrew W. Getz, St. Mary's University (Texas) James T. Cross, Saint Leo University (Florida) Conveners "The Analytic Power of Collins's Ritual Interaction Chain" Pierre Hegy, Adelphi University (New York) "Eucharistic Sacrifice: Sacred Violence or Transformative Event?" Joseph C. Mudd, Gonzaga University (Washington)	

Sunday June 5th	
Murphy GR30 5.8	Spirituality Anita Houck, Saint Mary's College (Indiana) Glenn Young, Rockhurst University (Missouri) Conveners Theme: Revisiting Classic Themes in Spirituality: Asceticism and Martyrdom "Spiritual Practices that Transform Self, Community, and the Sacred: Interpreting the Witness of Perpetua of Carthage" Jennifer Owens, Graduate Theological Union (California) "Deceit, Desire, and the Desert: René Girard's Mimetic Theory in Conversation with Early Christian Monastic Practice" Brian D. Robinette, Saint Louis University (Missouri) "Martyrdom: The Christian Response to Violence" O. Ernesto Valiente, Boston College School of Theology and Ministry (Massachusetts)
Murphy 210 5.9	Mysticism and Politics Laurie Cassidy, Marywood University (Pennsylvania) Alex Mikukich, Loyola University of New Orleans (Louisiana) Conveners "We Proclaim Whose Death?: The Ambivalence of Eucharistic Solidarity" Bridget O'Brien, University of Notre Dame (Indiana) "Rwanda: Reconciliation after Genocide" Marian Maskulak, Saint John's University (New York)
Murphy GR19 5.10	The New Pedagogies (Technical or Experiential) and the Spirituality of Learning David C. Robinson, Loyola Institute for Spirituality (California) Gerald Vigna, Alvernia University (Pennsylvania) Conveners The Bull in the China Shop: Interstitial and Pervasive Concerns with Peacemaking in a Boutique Course Joseph Dougherty, LaSalle University (Pennsylvania)
Murphy GR31 5.11	Philosophy of Religion Gerald McCarthy, Assumption College (Massachusetts) Convener and Moderator Panel: The Future of Philosophical Theology Anthony Godzieba, Villanova University (Pennsylvania) Maureen O'Connell, Fordham University (New York) Philip Rossi, Marquette University (Wisconsin) Terrence Tilley, Fordham University (New York) Panelists

Sunday June 5th	
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
<u>RM 127</u>	
	Departure
Iona College	Emergency Number: Iona College Public Safety: 914-633-2560
Campus Information	Registration: will take place in lobby of Loftus Hall where conference participants are housed.
	Access to Loftus Hall will be available throughout the day on Tuesday and Wednesday for Wabash Workshop arrivals, CTS Board member arrivals, and other early arrivals. For CTS conference participants, access will be throughout the day.
	The Front Desk in Loftus Hall is staffed 24 hours a day.
	Parking for CTS guests is located in the Murphy Parking Lot labeled "B" on the campus map, directly behind Loftus Hall. No parking pass is needed.
	The Red Dot shuttle serves both LGA and JFK and has regularly scheduled departures from the airports to New Rochelle, and from New Rochelle to the airports, throughout the day. The Red Dot Shuttle is offering a discount of \$7 (off the regular fare of \$52) each way to CTS members. Thus, travel on the Red Dot will cost you \$45 each way, in addition to cab fare from the Radisson Hotel in New Rochelle to Iona College, and gratuities. Your total one way cost, with cab fare and gratuities, will be about \$65, or \$130 round trip. To book a seat on the Red Dot Shuttle, call 800.673.3368. You must use the Discount Code SH-CTS in order to receive the CTS discount. You can get more information about the Red Dot service at http://ridethedot.com/
	No Bottled Water Available. In keeping with good ecological practice, Iona College is a "bottled water free" campus. Water dispensers will be available across campus, but visitors should bring their own durable containers for carrying water.
	Tickets for each meal you have purchased, including the banquet, will be collected by the Dining Hall Staff. Please make sure to keep those tickets with you at all times.
	Golf Cart Rides: For those needing service to and from the residence hall throughout the conference, and for other ambulatory needs, rides on Iona's golf carts are available free of charge. Directions for accessing this service will be announced on opening night.
	Internet: Access to the Iona College wireless internet is provided in Loftus Hall only and is free; a CTS network will be set up for use of personal computers. This service does not require the use of an access code.
	Book Display: The book display is located in Murphy Hall Room 132, located at the top of the stairs on the 1 st Floor, and is open from Friday morning through Saturday afternoon.

	Child care is not available.
Area Shops and Restaurants:	CVS drugstore (small block from campus) Dunkin Donuts (steps away) 24 Hour Diner (steps away) Cannone Pizza (steps away) Mobil Mini-mart (across the street) Avenue Deli (one-half block north) Chinese food place (2 doors away from Dunkin Donuts)
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