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## DEADLINES

(Both On-Line and Paper Registration)

September 25, 2017  
"Early Bird" Registration \$30.00

October 2, 2017  
Final Registration \$40.00

Walk-In Registration \$50.00

Women Consecrated Religious Admitted FREE

Due to space limitations, walk-ins cannot be assured of preferred workshop choices.

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Susan Brinkmann, OCDS

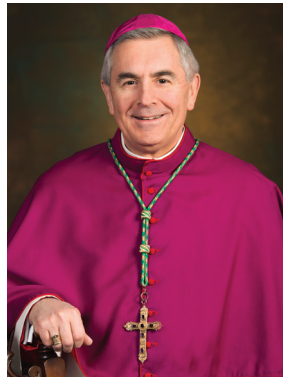


Susan Brinkmann, OCDS, author and award winning journalist is a member of the Third Order of Discalced Carmelites. She is the staff journalist for Women of Grace® and is a frequent guest on EWTN's Women of Grace® television show. She formerly worked as a Correspondent for the Catholic Standard & Times, the newspaper for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. She is the author of several books including: *Lord Teach Us to Pray*, *The Kinsey Corruption*, *The Learn to Discern Compendium: Is It Christian or New Age?*, *We Need to Talk: God Speaks to a Modern Girl*, and *Young Women of Grace Study Program*. Her national journalism awards include the *Bernadine-O'Connor Award for Pro-Life Journalism*, the *Eileen Egan Journalism Award* from Catholic Relief Services, and numerous awards from the Catholic Press Association and the Philadelphia Press Association.

## Principal Mass Celebrant and Homilist

The Most Reverend Ronald W. Gainer, DD, JCL

Eleventh Bishop of Harrisburg



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If you require special accommodations, please contact us by September 22, 2017 so we can make arrangements.



# The Diocese of Harrisburg 2017 Women's Conference



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG

CONFERENCE FOR WOMEN

**OCTOBER 14, 2017**

**8:30AM - 4:00PM - DOORS OPEN AT 7:15AM**

BISHOP M<sup>c</sup>DEVITT HIGH SCHOOL  
1 CRUSADER WAY, HARRISBURG, PA 17111

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

7:15am . . . . . Doors Open/Registration/Exhibits 7:15am – 8:30am . . . . . Continental Breakfast 8:30am – 8:40am . . . . . Welcome and Announcements 8:45am – 9:45am . . . . . Keynote Address - Susan Brinkmann <i>“The Message of Fatima for Today’s Woman”</i>	10:00am – 11:00am . . . Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary and Benediction 11:15am – 12:15pm . . . . . Workshop Session A, Lunch or Confession 12:30pm – 1:30pm . . . . . Workshop Session B, Lunch or Confession 1:45pm – 2:45pm . . . . . Workshop Session C, Lunch or Confession 3:00pm – 4:00pm. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass—Bishop Ronald W. Gainer
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## WORKSHOP PRESENTERS AND TOPICS

*(Please Choose on the Form to the Right)*

- A1 **Discovering Your Feminine Genius through Women of Grace & Young Women of Grace Study Programs** — Ms. Susan Brinkmann, OCDS
- A2 **The Eucharist and our Connection to the Early Church** — Dr. Carol Houghton, STD, JCD
- A3 **Our Lady of Guadalupe: Patroness of the Americas, Patroness of Life—Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Patrona de la Vida** *(In Spanish)* Fr. Luis Rodriguez, VF
- A4 **Finding God’s Love Amidst the Pain and Sorrow of Divorce** — Mrs. Julie Shuyler
- A5 **Mary’s Toolbox of Prayers and Devotions** — Mrs. Eva Gontis
- A6 **True Faith and True Science can Never Contradict** — Mrs. Kristine Hammar
- A7 **The Power of Mercy in the Confessional: There is Absolutely Nothing that Cannot be Forgiven!** — Mrs. Linda Walborn
- A8 **Mercy in the Mess: Raising Faithful Families in a Chaotic Culture** — Mrs. Becky Fair
- A9 **Feed the Soul and Spark the Mind: Great Catholic Books and Media** — Mrs. Bonnie Finnerty
- A10 **Life in the Spirit and Why We Need the Holy Spirit** — Mrs. Darlene Graver
- A11 **When the Answer is “No”: Finding Christ in Infertility** — Mrs. Ann Koshute
- A12 **Our Lady of Fatima’s Call for Prayer and Penance for the Conversion of Sinners** — Mrs. Terri Rosenstein
  
- B1 **A Family of Faith: Byzantine Catholic Spirituality** — Mrs. Angela Sedun
- B2 **“Look at me!” Narcissism and Beyond** — Sister John Sheila Galligan, IHM, STD
- B3 **Our Lady of Guadalupe: Patroness of the Americas, Patroness of Life** *(English)* — Fr. Luis Rodriguez, VF
- B4 **Following the Witnesses: Applying the Example of Marian Saints in Your Own Life** — Mrs. Kate Phenicia
- B5 **How Virtuous Women Make Men Stronger** — Deacon Gerry Robinson
- B6 **Prayer for the Busy Woman** — Mrs. Stacey White
- B7 **The History and Mission of the Council of Catholic Women** — Mrs. Joy Scott
- B8 **Food, Faith, and the Family Meal** — Mrs. Patricia Leone
- B9 **How Women can Help Their Children and Grandchildren Find Their Way Back to the Faith** — Fr. Brian Wayne
- B10 **Finding Joy: Lessons from Mary in the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary** — Mrs. Kelly Cloak, Esq.
- B11 **Body Language: Introduction to Theology of the Body** — Mrs. Ann Koshute
- B12 **The Church is Counter-Cultural: The Truth about Gender, Homosexuality, Contraception, and Direct Sterilization** — Mrs. Candice Warfield
  
- C1 **Catholic in College and Beyond: What does it take?** — Mrs. Angela Sedun
- C2 **The Importance of Trust in the Life of a Christian** — Dr. Carol Houghton, STD, JCD
- C3 **Saint Francis of Assisi** — Mrs. Deb Gelbaugh, Mr. Stephen Hurtak, & Mr. Stephen Wolf
- C4 **The Four Last Things: “O my Jesus..., save us from the fires of Hell and lead all souls to Heaven...”** *(Part of the Fatima Prayer of the Rosary)* — Mrs. Julie Shuyler
- C5 **Top 10 Ways Women can Build up the Men in their Lives** — Mrs. Eva Gontis
- C6 **Catholic Apologetics: “Be Able to Give a Defense of the Faith that is in You...”** — Mrs. Kristine Hammar
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## PAPER REGISTRATION

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### PLEASE SELECT WORKSHOP NUMBERS FROM THE LIST ON THE LEFT

(If you choose 3 workshop sessions, you can obtain a box lunch and eat between sessions in the designated food areas)

Session A (or Lunch): \_\_\_\_\_

Session B (or Lunch): \_\_\_\_\_

Session C (or Lunch): \_\_\_\_\_

Continental Breakfast and a Variety of Box Lunches will  
be Provided Including Vegetarian and Gluten Free  
*(Lunch will be provided Sessions A, B, and C)*

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