



The **JOHN CARDINAL FOLEY CHAIR** of Homiletics & Social Communications

@ Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary



Professional Activities in 2023-2024

PRESENTATIONS:

"Close Encounters of the Digital Kind: Social Media and Spiritual Experience"

presentation for the Bucks County (PA) chapter of [Legatus](#), at Huntingdon Valley Country Club (Huntingdon Valley, PA) on August 10, 2023

"On Synodality: a style, a mentality, a spirituality, a pastoral model"

presentation for "[The Cardinals' Forum](#)" panel discussion at Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary (Wynnewood, PA) on August 29, 2023

" 'Love the Life that God gave you' – The Saintly Story of Fr. Bill Atkinson, O.S.A."

presentation in the "Faith Matters" series at [St. Thomas the Apostle Church](#) (Glen Mills, PA) on September 11, 2023

"The 'Cause' of Sainthood: Phases in the Church's Process of Canonization"

presentation for the [Augustinian Symposium on Fr. Bill Atkinson, OSA](#) at Villanova University (Villanova, PA) on October 3, 2023

"The Eucharist: A Sunday Gift for Our Revival" (Matt. 11:28-30)

keynote address for the first Faith Formation Day in the Diocese of Greensburg at Christ Our Shepherd Center (Greensburg, PA) on October 14, 2023

"The Narrative Craft of Preaching"

workshop for clergy at the first Faith Formation Day in the Diocese of Greensburg at Christ Our Shepherd Center (Greensburg, PA) on October 14, 2023

"St. Francis de Sales & the *Introduction to the Devout Life*"

formation conferences (2) for the Propaedeutic Year program at Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary (Conshohocken, PA) on October 17 & 24, 2023

"Digital Angels"

finalist presentation for the grant competition sponsored by the [Catholic Foundation of Greater Philadelphia](#) (Philadelphia, PA) on October 19, 2023

"Ecstasy for Everyone! Toward a Eucharistic Revival"

series of sermons (3) for the Forty Hours Devotion at [St. Thomas the Apostle Church](#) (Glen Mills, PA) on October 22-24, 2023

"Virtual Presence and Communications"

webinar in the [Center for Church Management](#) at the Villanova University School of Business (Villanova, PA) on November 8, 2023

"The Ecstasy of the Eucharist at Christmas"

spiritual conference for Priests of the Diocese of Wilmington

- at St. Jude the Apostle Church (Lewes, DE) on November 28, 2023
- at St. Joseph on the Brandywine Church (Wilmington, DE) on November 29, 2023

"Ecstasy for Everyone! Toward a Eucharistic Revival"

conferences (2) for the annual Advent Mission at [St. Thomas More Oratory](#) at the University of Delaware on December 4-5, 2023

"Eucharistic Revival ... even for Religious!"

conferences (4) for the OSFS formation program's Winter Salesian Conference (Childs, MD) on January 3-5, 2024

"The Catholic Preaching Institute"

information session during the workshop for permanent deacons of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia at St. Helena Parish (Blue Bell, PA) on February 24, 2024

"The Reality of Being Human: Five Interconnected Truths for Christians in Today's World"

presentation in the Enrichment Series for administrative staff in the Diocese of Allentown, at St. Francis of Assisi Church (Allentown, PA) on March 5, 2024

" 'Love the Life that God gave you' – The Saintly Story of Fr. Bill Atkinson, O.S.A."

presentation in the "Days of Grace" series at St. Katherine of Siena parish (Philadelphia, PA) on March 5, 2024

"Believing in Baseball: The Religious Character of Our National Pastime"

lecture in the Religion & Sports course at Father Judge High School (Philadelphia, PA) on March 20, 2024

"The Catholic Preaching Institute"

information session during the convocation of priests of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia (Hershey, PA) on April 30, 2024

“Behold the Heart of the Eucharist”

series of sermons for the Novena of Devotion to the Sacred Heart at the [Monastery of the Visitation](#) (Toledo, OH) on May 30 through June 7, 2024

“Teaching Preaching as Formation Work”

presentation in the Homiletic Pedagogy Seminar sponsored by the [Marten Program in Homiletics and Liturgics](#) at the University of Notre Dame (South Bend, IN) on June 18, 2024

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