

Catholic Women's Conference SATURDAY MARCH 23, 2024

LOCATION: The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station) **REGISTRATION:** 8:00am **TIME:** 9:00am - 4:00pm

For more information call (416) 907 -1042





Keynote Speaker:

KATHLEEN BECKMAN, L.H.S.

Evangelist, Retreat Director, Radio Host, Author

Special Guest Speaker, Tammy Peterson, wife of Dr. Jordan Peterson Opening Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Collins

Kathleen Beckman, L.H.S. | A Family Guide to Spiritual Warfare

Carissa Douglas | Becoming a Co-creator with God - Discover YOUR Mission

Anna Boyagoda | Creating a Space for Prayer

Dorothy Pilarski | Why minister to moms? - How to Start a Catholic Moms Group

Get Inspired, Meet Like-Minded Women, Discover Your Mission!

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION \$65 (before Feb. 14) Register at www.dynamicwomenfaith.com





KATHLEEN BECKMAN, L.H.S. | A Family Guide to Spiritual Warfare

Kathleen will be giving two talks. Our North American culture has grown increasingly hedonistic, materialistic, confusing and secular. Her first is talk: A Family Guide to Spiritual Warfare (based on her book) is intended to instruct, equip and guide women in matters of spiritual warfare. Her second talk – The Powerful Prayers of Women: will draw on the Apostolic Letter – Mulieris Dignitatem (St. John Paul II), Edith Stein's writings and the life of St. Helena, Mother of Constantine; helping women understand the power of their prayers.

Kathleen Beckman is an evangelist, best-selling author (Sophia Press) and Ignatian retreat leader. She has served the Catholic Church for 25 years, often being featured on Catholic TV and radio. Kathleen has shared her conversion story (1994) at Lourdes about the power of forgiveness after the murder of a loved one in over 13 countries. Since 2008 Kathleen has served in the Church's ministry of healing, deliverance, and exorcism. She was on faculty for the Pope Leo XIII institute for six years, and completed the Association of International Exorcists Course at Rome's Pontifical Regina Apostolorum University. Kathleen serves as the diocesan administrator of exorcism and deliverance ministry. In 2013, she co-founded the Foundation of Prayer for Priests, an apostolate of spiritual motherhood and fatherhood for priests. For more information about Kathleen and her work visit www.kathleenbeckman.com.

DR. ANNA BOYAGODA | Creating a Space for Prayer

Her talk, Creating a Space for Prayer, will remind us that no matter what your state in life is—married, childless, single, a widow, consecrated religious or a woman completely immersed in your career—you live in an environment that is your house, your home.... it affects not only your interior life, but the life of your guests, your children and more. How can we use our capacity to create beautiful spaces to build as beautifully in time, building up treasure for ourselves, for others, for God.

Dr. Boyagoda PhD completed her doctoral studies in English at Boston University. She currently serves as a catechist at Corpus Christi Parish and is the Director for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Office for the Archdiocese of Toronto. She is a Level I and II CGS formation facilitator. Dr. Boyagoda is also a member of the Mother's Ministry Advisory Committee (CatholicMomsGroup.com). She lives with her husband Randy and four daughters in the east end of Toronto.

CARISSA DOUGLAS | Becoming a Co-creator with God - Discover YOUR Mission

Carissa's talk Becoming a Co-creator with God: Discover YOUR Mission will help women see that we often fall into the trap of working (and pushing ourselves) as if everything depends on us! This thought-provoking talk will contrast what the world expects of women vs. what God has placed in our hearts. Have you ever considered that God has a plan for your life? Whether you are 22, 42 or 62; single, married or widowed, you as a woman have been blessed with many gifts and a remarkable mission—to become a co-creator with God.

Carissa is the mother of 15 children ages 20 years and under. She is the author and illustrator of the Little Douglings Catholic children's book series and the Dougling Adventures junior fiction novels. She is the Executive Producer of Shalom World Television's Little Douglings: Play and Pray, and a frequent contributor to many Catholic publications and parenting sites. Together with her husband, Patrick, she is passionate about finding new ways to evangelize and to share the richness of the Catholic Faith. For more information about her work visit www.littledouglings.com

DOROTHY PILARSKI | How to Start a Catholic Moms Group

Dorothy is the founder of both the Dynamic Women of Faith conference and CatholicMomsGroup.com. Her team at CMG has helped start Catholic Moms Groups not only in the Archdiocese of Toronto, but the dioceses of Peterborough, Hamilton and Calgary. Groups have also been started in the North Pole, Colorado, California, Minnesota, Mississippi, Ohio, Iowa and internationally in Wales. Dorothy is the host (on YouTube and Spotify) of Midday Moms. You might remember Dorothy from the Catholic Register, Salt + Light TV series, Mothering, Full of Grace, or her stint as radio host on Radio Maria. For more information about Dorothy visit www.dorothypilarski.com

You can register in 2 ways. 1) Register online. 2) Mail your registration (name, address and cheque payable to Dynamic Women Association of Ontario to Dynamic Women Association of Ontario Inc., Attn: Dorothy Pilarski, Willowcreek PO # 40011, Mississauga, Ontario L4Y 0H8.

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