



**Bill Keimig, D.Min.**  
Keynote Speaker

Dr. Bill Keimig is Assistant Director of the Catechetical Institute at Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio. He served 15 years as DRE at St. Mary's Church in Clinton, Maryland, and as a Master Catechist in the Hearts Aflame and Faith Foundations programs for the Archdiocese of Washington, DC.

Dr. Keimig has spoken frequently at the annual St. John Bosco Conference in Steubenville, and at major venues in over 40 dioceses. For nine years he served as Director of the Association for Catechumenal Ministry (ACM) and edited ACM's series of RCIA texts used in thousands of parishes in the U.S. and around the world.

Dr. Keimig holds a Doctorate in Ministry from the Catholic University of America, as well as a Masters in Theology and Christian Ministry from Franciscan University.

Bill and his wife, Heather, reside in Steubenville with their six children.

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**Hotel Accommodations**

If non-profit, bring Tax Exempt number. The hotels below have blocks of rooms reserved through March 26. Other hotels may be available at your discretion.

**Candlewood Suites - 608-785-1110**

56 Copeland Ave. La Crosse, WI 54603

**Rates: \$99 single room, \$109 double room**

Block of rooms has been reserved until March 26th. Mention Leadership in Christ Conference with Diocese of La Crosse for rate

**Americinn by Wyndham - 608-781-7000**

1835 Rose Street La Crosse, WI 54603

**Rates: \$119.99 single or double room**

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**Stoney Creek - 608-781-3060**

3060 S. Kinney Coulee Road Onalaska, WI 54650

**Rates: \$99 single or double room**

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## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY EVENING:

6:00 pm – Registration

7:00 pm – **That Your Joy May be Complete\***

Jesus promises us fullness of joy if we live radically united with Him. But how does that mesh with life in the world?

8:00 pm – Break

8:15 pm – **Fully Alive, Fully in Love\***

Is it possible to experience the peace, joy and certitude of the saints? What would that look like in day-to-day life?

\*Denotes Presentation by Dr. Bill Keimig

### SATURDAY:

8:30 am – Mass

9:15 am – Continental Breakfast

9:30 am – **Is God's Design for the Family Possible?\***

What are realistic habits families can develop to be transformed according to God's plan for the family?

10:30 am – Break

10:45 am – **The Parish Transformed\***

God created us for communion with Himself and each other. How does this communal aspect relate to transformation and how can it be woven into the fabric of parish life?

11:00 am – **Guidance in Transformation\***

Transformation is not something we achieve on our own. We need guides on a path of humility and accountability.

12:15 pm – Buffet Lunch

**1:00-4:30 pm – Breakout Sessions**



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## SATURDAY AFTERNOON BREAKOUT SESSIONS

When registering, choose one for each time slot:  
1:00 - 2:00 pm / 2:15 - 3:15 pm / 3:30 - 4:30 pm

### Evangelization and Catechesis

1:00 pm - Going Deeper in Prayer – Ann Lankford

2:15 pm - Giving Personal Witness: The Power to Convict – Ann Lankford

3:30 pm - The Initial Proclamation: At the Heart of Everything – Bill Keimig

### Sacred Worship/RCIA:

1:00 pm - Going Deeper in Prayer – Ann Lankford

2:15 pm - Renewing the Parish with RCIA – Bill Keimig

3:30 pm - Liturgical Preparation in the Parish – Chris Carstens

### Marriage and Family Life:

1:00 pm - Beyond Safe Haven Sunday: Are you equipped to address the harms of porn? – Alice Heinzen

2:15 pm - Addressing Gender Issues: What are we dealing with? What can we do? – Alice Heinzen

3:30 pm - Families and Faith: Why is the family so important in the transmission of the Faith? – Alice Heinzen

### Social Ministry:

1:00 pm - Keys to a Vibrant Parish Social Concerns Committee – Chris Ruff

2:15 pm - Profiles of the 3 Most Prevalent Social Ministry Initiatives in our Parishes – Chris Ruff

3:30 pm - Simple and Compassionate: Is there a Place for Evangelization in Charitable Outreach? – Chris Ruff

### Youth and Young Adult Ministry:

1:00 pm - Keys to Relational Ministry with Youth and Young Adults – Bill Keimig

2:15 pm - Understanding the Ever-Changing Youth Culture – Chris Rogers

3:30 pm - Burnout: The Arch-Nemesis of Today's Church Worker – Chris Rogers

**Register Online at: [diolc.org/leadership](http://diolc.org/leadership)**

\$45/person, includes buffet lunch

Registration Deadline - Monday, April 15

(Register by March 26 to secure special hotel rate).