

# Diocese of Joliet

## Adult Faith Formation Association

### 2010-11 Meetings



**All meetings are at St. Charles Pastoral Center, 101 W Airport Road, Romeoville, IL, (815-838-8100)**  
**Meetings normally begin with optional reflective prayer at 11:30 a.m., unless otherwise indicated.**  
**Sessions run 12:45- 3 p.m. Noon lunch is available for \$6.00 by advance RSVP only.**



#### **September 30 - Fall Kick-Off Meeting**

Join with your parish adult faith formation colleagues and diocesan team, Paul, Joyce and Tom, as we get the year underway! We'll have snacks, refreshments and lots of engaging conversation on timely topics. Bring your thoughts, hopes and concerns about adult formation ministry for us to "kick" around. There will be time for focused discussion of the Year of the Eucharist and a look at a variety of new resources for adults that you will want to know about.



#### **October 28, 2010: Richard Drabik**

##### **"Technology for Adult Faith Formation and Parish Ministry"**

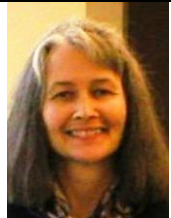
Richard is Administrator, University of Dayton VLCFF and Vice President of National Association of Media Professionals (NACMP). He will discuss and demonstrate the use of online learning for adults, technology for parish ministry and answer questions from parish leaders. Bring your questions about how to use technology to enhance your ministry – the last half of the presentation will be shaped by your needs.



#### **December 2, 2010: Fr. Richard Fragomeni**

##### **"Liturgical Spirituality: An Afternoon of Reflection"**

Father Fragomeni is a presbyter of the Diocese of Albany, New York, a nationally known speaker and expert on liturgical catechesis and author of *Come to the Feast* and co-author with Br. Michael McGrath, O.C.F.S., of *Blessed Art Thou Mother, Lady, Mystic, Queen*. He will invite us this Advent to gain a deeper sense of appreciation for the beauty, meaning and implication of liturgy within Catholic life.



#### **January 27, 2011: Carol Kloss, M.A.**

##### **"Scripture Studies in the Parish"**

Carol, the instructor for Biblical Institute of the Diocese of Joliet, will present various types of Scripture study programs appropriate for Catholic audiences today and will offer her considered critique. Carol will lead us in peer conversation about what is important in developing effective parish Scripture ministries. Be ready to be surprised and possibly challenged!



#### **February 24, 2011: Eileen M. Daily PhD**

##### **"Spirituality and Christian Art"**

Professor Daily, who earned her PhD from Boston College, is the graduate program director for the MA in Religious Education at Loyola Institute of Pastoral Ministry, Chicago. One of her interests is Christian art as an experiential source and path for faith formation. She will lead us in a reflection on how Christian art connects us to spirituality. This will be a retreat-like experience, but certainly also a demonstration on how to employ art in prayer and meditation.



#### **March 31, 2011: To Be Announced**



#### **June 9, 2011: John Roberto (Starts at 9:00 am – open to all parish leaders)**

##### **"Faith Formation 2020"**

John Roberto is founder of Generations of Faith and current Managing Editor of *Lifelong Faith*. He will explore the social, cultural, religious, demographic, economic, and technological forces influencing faith formation over the next decade and offer practical strategies and resources for developing programs in churches that address the spiritual and religious needs of people today. He will demonstrate how to use innovation design processes to create new initiatives in faith formation. An event *not* to be missed!