

CSCO CONFERENCE 2025

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May 13-15, 2025

Mt. Carmel Spiritual Centre, 7020 Stanley Ave, Niagara Falls, ON



Tuesday, May 13, 2025

- 12:00-1:00 Pre - Registration Opens at Mt. Carmel Spiritual Centre
1:30 Opening Session
Welcome
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Keynote #1 *"Listening Like Mary"*
5:00 Dinner
6:30 Registration re-opens
Social Time (outside weather permitting)

Wednesday, May 14, 2025

- 7:30 am Sunrise Prayer - Chaplet of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
8:00 am Breakfast
9:00am Opening Liturgy
9:15 am Keynote # 2 *"Understanding like Mary"*
10:30 am Break
10:50 am Workshop Session A
11:50 am Break
12:00 pm Lunch
1:00 pm Workshop Session B
3:00 pm Break
4:30 pm Holy Mass
5:30 pm Cocktails & Keynote #3 *"Act like Mary"*
6:00 pm Dinner and Banquet
7:30 pm Social

Thursday, May 15, 2025

- 7:30 am Sunrise Prayer - Scriptural Rosary
8:00 am Breakfast
9:00am Closing Liturgy
9:15 am CSCO Annual General Meeting
12:00 pm Bagged Lunch & Departure

CONFERENCE PACKAGES

All Rates increase by \$75 and are non refundable after April 1st, 2025.

Private accommodations on site are limited and available by request only.

Please email Conference registrar, Josie Rocca (josie.rocca@ncdsb.com), to request a private room.

An additional fee of \$50 will be charged for private accommodations

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

If you have difficulties with the online form, please contact Josie Rocca or Krista Olivieri for assistance.
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- OPTION 1** \$500 - CSCO Member - Full Conference - meals & accommodations included
- OPTION 2** \$350 - CSCO Member - Commuter - meals only
- OPTION 3** \$550 - Non CSCO Member - Full Conference - meals & accommodations included
- OPTION 4** \$400 - Non CSCO Member - Commuter - meals only



KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Josephine Lombardi

Dr. Lombardi is an award-winning author, educator, and documentary film maker who has worked as a parish minister, university campus minister, high school chaplaincy leader, teacher educator through O.E.C.T.A., professor of Religious Education, Brock University, retreat facilitator, faith formation consultant, and program coordinator in the Diocese of Hamilton.

Presently, she is the Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs and an Associate Professor of Pastoral and Systematic Theology at St. Augustine's Seminary in Scarborough, Ontario, where she served as Director of Lay Spiritual Formation for eleven years.

In 2024, Dr. Lombardi released her latest book, "Marian Approaches to Synodality" and we are excited to welcome her as our keynote speaker for our 2025 CSCO Conference!

WORKSHOPS

We are finalizing the details on some awesome and interactive workshops! Workshop selections will be made available to all conference registrants in April.