

80th Annual Tekakwitha Conference

July 17-21, 2019 Sharonville, Ohio
Sharonville Convention Center
11355 Chester Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45246
Tentative Adult Agenda



Wednesday-Saturday, July 17-20

8:30-8:00 pm – Registration and Vendors/exhibitors

Wednesday – July 17

5:30-7:00 pm Dinner

7:30-8:30 Official Welcome by

- **Most Reverend Joseph Binzer**, Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati
- Local Tribal Leaders or Representatives
- **Robert Barbry II**, Executive Director, Tekakwitha Conference
- **Cathy Vasquez**, Board of Directors Chair/President
- **Gina Shontz & Lisa Franqui**, Planning Committee Co-chairs
- Representative from the City of Sharonville
- **Kariuki Epps**, Cincinnati Convention & Visitors Bureau

8:30 pm Closing Prayer/Blessing

Thursday – July 18

6:00-6:30 am Sunrise services @ Hotel

8:30-9:00 am Morning Prayer/ Announcements

9:00-10:15 am All Nations Grand Entry

10:15-10:30 am Refreshments

10:45-11:45 am Tekakwitha Conference Board of Directors Address the General Assembly

12:00-1:15 pm Lunch

1:30-2:30 pm Cultural Presentation: Jack Blosser, Site Manager, Fort Ancient

“Prehistory vs. History (European Contact) – 1650 AD – 1700 AD”

2:30-2:45 pm Refreshments

2:45-3:45 pm Workshops

A: The Spirituality of Nicholas Black Elk – Rich May

B: The Relevance of Saint Kateri – Rev. Myles Gaffney

C: Inviting Dioceses to Walk the Red Road – Most Rev. Edward Clark

D: Pablo Tac: Indian from the Far Shores of California – Christian Clifford

E: Choir Rehearsal – Marcus Briggs-Cloud & Vincent Redhouse

4:00-5:30 pm Liturgy: Main Celebrant - Most Reverend Nelson J. Perez, Bishop of Cleveland, OH

5:30-7:00 pm Dinner

7:00-8:30 pm Healing Service

Friday – July 19

6:00-6:30 am Sunrise Services

8:30-9:00 am Morning Prayer/ Announcements

9:00-10:00 am Cultural Presentation: Andy Sawyer, Site Manager, Sun Watch

“Sun Watch 1000 AD”

10:00-10:15 am Refreshments

10:15-11:15 am Regional Meetings

12:00-1:15 pm Lunch

1:30-2:30 pm Cultural Presentation: Jack Blosser, Site Manager, Fort Ancient

“Fort Ancient - 100 BC - 500 AD”

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2:30-2:45 pm Refreshments

2:45-3:45 pm Cultural Presentation: Nancy Stranahan, Site Manager, Serpent Mound

“Serpent Mound”

All priests & deacons who are interested in concelebrating or assisting in our conference liturgies, please submit a letter of good standing from your diocese along with your conference

Tentative Adult Agenda - Continued

Friday – July 19

2:45-3:45 pm	Choir Rehearsal - Marcus Briggs-Cloud & Vincent Redhouse
4:00-5:30 pm	Liturgy: Main Celebrant - Most Reverend Charles Chaput, OFM, Cap, Archbishop of Philadelphia, PA
5:30-7:00 pm	Dinner
7:00-9:30 pm	Pow-Wow

Saturday – July 20

6:00-6:30 am	Sunrise Services
8:30-9:00 am	Morning Prayer/ Announcements
9:00-10:00 am	Keynote Address: “Saint Kateri - The Native American Saint Who Leads Us to Holiness” Rev. M. Henry Sands, Executive Director, Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions
10:00-10:15 am	Refreshments
10:15-11:30 am	Keynote Address: “More than the Boat can hold - the Journey from Hopelessness to Hope in Native American/Alaskan Native Communities” Rev. Michael Carson, Assistant Director, USCCB Subcommittee for Native American Affairs
12:00-1:15 pm	Lunch
1:30-2:30 pm	<u>Workshops</u>
	A: History of Indian Federal Law – Rich May
	B: The Story of the Martyrs of La Florida – Dr. Mary Soha
	C: Healing and Reconciliation: Bridging with Love – Hasina Rakotoarisoa SJ & Donna Naughton
	D: The National Dialogue: How to Engage Young People in the Church – Darius Villalobos
	E: Choir Rehearsal – Marcus Briggs-Cloud & Vincent Redhouse
2:30-2:45 pm	Refreshments
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	A: An Introduction to the Life of Joseph Chiwatenhwa – Rev. Myles Gaffney
	B: The Gift of the Kateri Circle – Dr. Mary Soha
	C: Healing and Reconciliation: Bridging with Love – Hasina Rakotoarisoa SJ & Donna Naughton
	D: Gathering & Dialogue of Diocesan Native American Leaders – Rev. Michael Carson
	E: Choir Rehearsal – Marcus Briggs-Cloud & Vincent Redhouse
4:00-5:30 pm	Liturgy and Closing Ceremonies
5:30-7:00 pm	Dinner
7:00-9:00 pm	Entertainment

Tentative Youth Agenda

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10:45-11:45 am Youth Keynote/Activity – Elec Simon
12:00-1:15 pm Lunch
1:30-2:30 pm **Workshops**

A: Vacant (Ages 4-9)

B: Vacant (Ages 10-12)

C: Vacant (Ages 13-17)

2:30-2:45 pm Refreshments
2:45-3:45 pm Liturgy Preparation
4:00-5:30 pm Liturgy
5:30-7:00 pm Dinner
7:00-7:30 pm Keynote on Reconciliation – Elec Simon
7:30-8:30 pm Join Adults for Healing Service

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6:00-6:30 am Sunrise Services
8:30-9:00 am Morning Prayer/ Announcements
9:00 am Board Bus(es) for Cincinnati Zoo Trip
9:45-12:45 pm Cincinnati Zoo
12:45-1:45 pm Lunch @ Zoo
2:00 pm Board Bus(es) for Sharonville Convention Center
3:00-3:45 pm Liturgy Practice
3:45-4:00 pm Prepare for Mass
4:00-5:30 pm Liturgy w/ Youth Serving & Involvement
5:30-7:00 pm Dinner
7:00-9:30 pm Pow-Wow

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C: Jesus-Walking the WAY of Beauty – Eric Mahl (Ages 13-17)

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2:45-3:45 pm Workshops

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B: Vacant (Ages 10-12)

C: The Church is Listening... Let's Talk! – Darius Villalobos (Ages 13-17)

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