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A Conference on the Catholic Family

Provisional Programme - talks and speakers:

Wednesday 22nd August 2018 - 9.30 am - 5.30 pm

9.30 - 9.45	Anthony Murphy	Opening prayer and introduction
9.45 - 10.30	Cardinal Raymond Burke	Restoring a Pro Family Culture - Video address
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break	
11.00 - 11.45	John Lacken	Casti Connubi: God's Plan for Family and Marriage
11.45 - 12.30	Fr. Thomas Weinandy OFM	Family as the Domestic Church: Pray – Teach - Govern
12.30 - 2.00	Luncheon	
2.00 - 2.45	John-Henry Westen	How to speak to the truth in love to same sex attracted Catholics
2.45 - 3.15	Dr. Gerard van den Aardweg	Preventing homosexuality in the Family
3.15 - 3.45	Coffee Break	
3.45 - 4.30	Dr. Thomas Ward	The war on freedom, Humane Vitae and the Family
4.30 - 5.30	Panel Discussion: an opportunity to ask the speakers questions on the challenges facing the Family and the Church.	

Thursday 23rd August 2018 - 9.30 am - 5.30 pm

9.30 - 10.15	John Smeaton	How bishops in Ireland undermined a true Catholic conscience on abortion
10.15 - 11.00	Professor Stephane Mercier	Catholic Action: working for the social Kingship of Christ
11.00 - 11.30	Coffee Break	
11.30 - 12.15	Edward Pentin	Have Synods Become Vehicles for Legitimising Heterodoxy?
12.15 - 1.00	Bishop Athanasius Schneider	The situation in the Church and the Secrets of Fatima – Video
1.00 - 2.15	Luncheon	
2.15 - 3.00	Speaker to be announced	Islam and the threat to Christian Europe
3.00 - 3.30	Coffee Break	
3.30 - 4.15	Dr. Jose Antonio Ureta	How new Catholic movements are restoring the Faith across Europe
4.15 - 5.00	Dr. Robert Royal	A Divided Church: from crisis to opportunity
5.00 - 5.30	Anthony Murphy	Closing comments

The conference will also feature a portable display of Eucharistic Miracles from the Vatican International Exhibition. This display can be visited during the breaks and will be available to book for parishes and groups. The conference will close with a Gala Dinner where participants can socialise with the speakers and enjoy an evening of opera music.

Conference programme is subject to change.

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