

Bishop John Quinn

“Last year’s men’s conference was a great source of grace for those who attended, and my heart was lifted to see so many men growing in holiness and fraternity. I invite all men of the Diocese of Winona to come and gather with us on April 8 as we continue to call forth Men of God.” Bishop Quinn



This year’s event will again be held at Lourdes High School in Rochester, an excellent venue for our conference. Men can expect dynamic talks, great food, and opportunities to participate in the Holy Mass and Eucharistic Adoration.



Prayer to St. Joseph

St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus Christ
And most chaste spouse
Of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
We ask you to intercede for us,
So that God will give success
To the work of our hands,
That the Men’s Conference
Of the Diocese of Winona
May inspire men to strive after holiness
By living faith-filled and generous lives,
Through unity and discipleship
In Jesus Christ
And in imitation of St. Joseph
And other holy saints of God.

Bishop John M. Quinn
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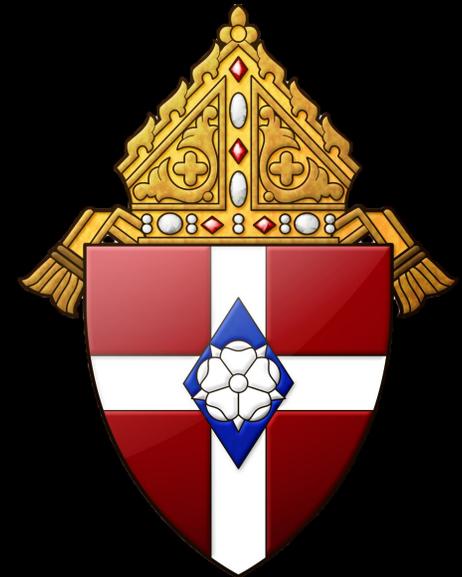


Registration Fee—\$25

Register online at:
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MEN’S CONFERENCE

April 8, 2017

Lourdes High School

Rochester

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Curtis Martin

Curtis' organization, FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students), is one of the fastest-growing ministries in our country. FOCUS is discipleship-driven with a mission to share the faith on college campuses. The Diocese of Winona currently has two FOCUS teams serving Winona State University and Minnesota State Univeristy-Mankato. When FOCUS is on a campus, they form students through bible studies, and raise up leaders to help with discipleship efforts. The result all over the country is campuses with rapidly growing Catholic ministry and identity.



Curtis Martin is the Founder and CEO of the Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS). Curtis holds a Master's degree in Theology and is the author of the best-selling book, "Made for More." Since 2004, Curtis serves as a Consultor to the Pontifical Council of the New Evangelization. Curtis and his wife, Michaelann, live in Westminster, Colorado. They have been blessed with nine children.

Schedule

- 9 a.m. Registration
- 9:45 a.m. Welcome—Bishop John Quinn
Morning Prayer
- 10:15 a.m. Curtis Martin
“Authentic Manhood”
- 11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:15 a.m. Mass with Bishop Quinn
- 12:15 p.m. Testimony
Confessions
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. Curtis Martin
“Men and Evangelization”
- 2:30 p.m. Highlight Men’s groups
- 2:45 p.m. Break
- 3:00 p.m. Adoration
- 3:30 p.m. Benediction
- 3:45 p.m. Wrap-up
- 4:00 p.m. Closing



Vision

The Catholic Men’s Conference seeks to develop and foster a community of men centered on the true man Jesus Christ and to inspire men to follow Him in the path of holiness.

Mission

Mission Statement:
“To inspire men to strive after holiness through unity and discipleship with Jesus Christ and other holy men.

Goals

- To help men develop a more intimate friendship and discipleship with Jesus Christ
- To aid men in developing Christ-centered leadership skills to be able to more effectively lead their families and communities.
- To aid parishes in developing a vibrant men’s group in every parish in the Diocese of Winona
- To increase the presence of men in Church functions
- To increase the quality of life for men and their families
- To increase an openness to vocations in young men

