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Evangelization Congress 2015

The Joy of Encountering Christ: LOVE IS OUR MISSION

Keynote Address by Father Allan Figueroa Deck, S.J.

This daylong Evangelization Congress, as we begin to prepare for the **the World Meeting of Families 2015 in Philadelphia**, will assist clergy, deacons, men and women in consecrated life, and lay men and women involved in evangelization and catechetical ministry through a concentrated effort to explore how we can concretely address the following:

- Offer multiple opportunities for people to encounter Christ
- Increase Mass attendance: full, active, conscious participation
- Increase daily prayer among all Catholics
- Attract and support inactive Catholics
- Invite and welcome “seekers”
- Enhance participation in parish life/religious education at all levels of faith formation

The keynote address by Father Deck and workshops by Father Joseph Gibino, Father Michael Perry, Elizabeth Mathew, Andres and Kathia Arango (Spanish Workshop), Eileen Love (ENDOW), and others will assist in developing the theme **The Family Encounters Christ Everyday**.

Following this Congress, we will be asked to return to our parishes ready and willing to become even greater evangelizers through our missionary endeavors.

Jesuit Father Allan Figueroa Deck is currently the Charles S. Casassa Chair of Catholic Social Values and Professor of Theological Studies at Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles. He served as the first executive director of the Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops in Washington, D.C. Father Deck is a nationally recognized writer and speaker on Hispanic Catholicism, faith and culture, intercultural competence, spirituality and Catholic Social Teaching.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 2015

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CENTER

7200 DOUGLSTON PARKWAY, DOUGLSTON, NEW YORK 11362

8:00 AM REGISTRATION AND COFFEE

9:15 AM OPENING PRAYER AND KEYNOTE ADDRESS

11:30 AM MASS OF THE NEW EVANGELIZATION—BISHOP PAUL SANCHEZ

PRIESTS ARE INVITED TO CON-CELEBRATE. DEACONS ARE INVITED TO VEST. PLEASE NOTIFY MR. MUSCO AT tmusco@diobrook.org

12:30 PM WORKSHOPS AND LUNCH

3:30 PM CONCLUSION

LIVING AND LEADING BY FAITH CREDIT APPLIES—SEVEN HOURS