



Catholics United for the Faith

Affirming Authentic Catholicism in Milwaukee

St. Gregory VII Chapter
October, 2014

Most Rev. Robert Morlino, Bishop of Madison, to receive Popek Award Oct. 19

Most Rev. Robert C. Morlino, Bishop of Madison, Wisconsin, will be the twenty-sixth recipient of the Chapter's *Msgr. Alphonse S. Popek Award*. As we gather to honor and appreciate Bishop Morlino for his leadership of the laity, fidelity to the Magisterium and zeal for the priesthood, we also thank him for his gracious acceptance of this award. He has served the diocese of Madison very well for the past eleven years; we especially appreciate his valuable and generous support of the *St. Paul Catholic Center*, located in the heart of the UW-Madison campus. The Center provides a truly "Catholic Family" for thousands of UW-students. Bishop Morlino can count the members of this Chapter of *Catholics United for the Faith* among his many friends and admirers.

Bishop Morlino was ordained to the priesthood in 1974 for the Maryland Province of the *Society of Jesus*. He received a bachelor's degree from Fordham University, two masters' degrees, from Notre Dame, and from the Weston School of Theology, and a doctorate in Moral Theology from the Gregorian University in Rome, specializing in moral theology and bioethics. In 1981, Fr. Morlino became a priest of the diocese of Kalamazoo, Michigan. Please join us, and bring a friend, as we honor Bishop Morlino and enjoy his presentation,

"Marriage: The Truth and the Consequences"

WHERE: Clarion Hotel and Conference Center

5311 S. Howell Ave. (across from airport)

WHEN: Sunday, October 19

TIME: 5:00 p.m. - Social Hour

6:00 p.m. - Dinner

In This Issue

Page

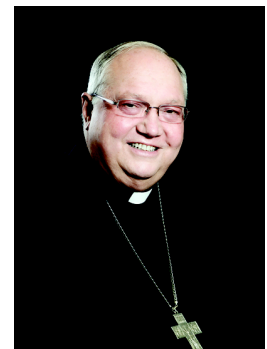
1 Bishop Robert C. Morlino to receive "Msgr. Popek Award" October 19

2 Book of the month: "Angels and Saints"

by Dr. Scott Hahn

2 Contact CUF

3 "Who Killed the American Family" by Phyllis Schlafly



Please mail your reservation for the Msgr. Popek Award Dinner by Monday, Oct. 13

Indicate dinner choice(s) and number: Beef Tenderloin Tips:___ Roasted Chicken:___ Honey Glazed Salmon:___

\$49 per person (\$31 per student)

Amount enclosed: \$_____

\$75 "Angel" donation (includes dinner ticket)

Amount enclosed: \$_____

\$150 "Papal Tiger" donation (includes two dinner tickets)

Amount enclosed: \$_____

() Yes () No: Name listed in program as a "Papal Tiger" or "Angel" donor?

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$_____

Sorry I cannot attend. Enclosed is a donation to help with expenses: \$_____

(Make checks payable to: "St. Gregory VII - CUF")

NAME(s) (please print):_____PHONE:_____

ADDRESS:_____CITY:_____STATE:_____ZIP:_____

MAIL TO: Ann Taucher ~ 6235 Walnut Lane, Unit A12 - Cudahy, WI 53110

For questions, call Al Szews at 414-321-9377

The October, 2014, Prayer Intentions published by Pope Francis

During October, Pope Francis has asked that we pray for two intentions: 1) **Peace**. That the Lord may grant peace to those parts of the world most battered by war and violence, and, 2) **World Mission Day**. That World Mission Day may rekindle in every believer zeal for carrying the Gospel into all the world. For information, please visit: apostleshipofprayer.org

Bishop Thomas Paprocki has ruled that tabernacles must be in central location

According to a June 24, 2014, *Catholic World News* report, **Bishop Paprocki, in the diocese of Springfield, Illinois**, “has directed all pastors to ensure that the tabernacle is placed in the center of the church sanctuary or in ‘a visible, prominent, and noble space.’” The report continues that because “devotion to the Eucharist is central to the faith, the bishop orders that in churches and chapels in which the tabernacle has been moved away from the center of the sanctuary, it should be restored to its central place. ‘Tabernacles that are not in the center of the sanctuary or are otherwise not in a visible, prominent and noble space are to be moved,’ he adds.” The entire Pastoral Letter can be found on the diocesan website.

Holy Hour for Vocations is held every second Sunday of the month at the Seminary

“Roses for Our Lady” sponsors a “Holy Hour for Vocations” every second Sunday at St. Francis de Sales Seminary. Plan to attend the upcoming Holy Hour at 2:00 p.m., on October 12, with **Bishop Donald Hying** at the Seminary, 3257 South Lake Drive. The Holy Hour includes exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, prayers and rosary for vocations, sung Divine Mercy chaplet, period of silence, scripture with reflection and Benediction, followed by a social gathering.

Plan to attend Special pro-life Mass Tuesday, Oct. 28, at St. John's in Greenfield

A special **Pro-Life Mass** will be celebrated by **Fr. Jerome Hudziak**, at **St. John the Evangelist Parish**, 8500 West Cold Spring, in Greenfield, on Tuesday, Oct. 28, at 7:00 p.m., with a reception to follow. The Mass is sponsored by St. John's Pro-Life Committee, and the Knights of Columbus (Milwaukee Pere-Marquette Council 524) of Greenfield. **The Mass is open to the public and all are encouraged to attend.** For information, call Kathy at 414-329-0991.

“Catechetical Corner”

Question: What is meant by the Cardinal virtue of Prudence?

Answer: Prudence has been defined as the moral virtue by which we know our true good and choose the right means of achieving it. For example, a prudent person will avoid situations where he or she could be tempted to sin.

Catholics United for the Faith

St. Gregory VII Chapter Officers and Board Members

President: Dr. A.P. Szews
Vice-President: Jerry Schmutte
Secretary: Nancy Kormanik
Treasurer: Ann Taucher

Larry Schmidt
Espe Villasenor
Dirk Wichgers

Spiritual Advisor

Rev. James Kubicki, S.J.

Newsletter Editor

Margo Szews

Phone: 414-321-9377

Email: CUFMIL@wi.rr.com

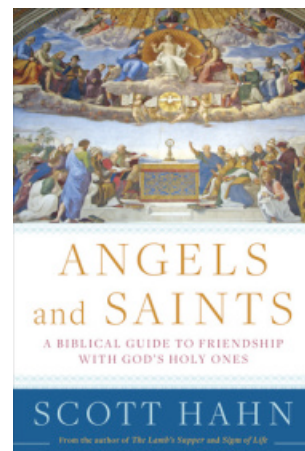
Website: www.cufmilwaukee.org

Book of the Month: “Angels and Saints”

Author: Dr. Scott Hahn

Publisher: “I Image,” Crown Publishing, 2014

“Dr. Hahn tells the stories of several saints (and several angels too) in a way that’s fresh and new. The saints are spiritual giants but with flesh-and-blood reality. They have strong, holy ambitions – and powerful temptations and opposition that must be overcome. Their stories are amazing and yet familiar enough to motivate us to live more beautiful lives. In this telling of their story, the saints are neither otherworldly nor this-worldly. They exemplify the integrated life that every Christian is called to live. Still, their lives are as different from one another as human lives can be. Dr. Hahn shows the heavenly Church in all its kaleidoscopic diversity – from Moses to Mary, Augustine to Therese, and the first century to the last century. Only saints will live in heaven. We need to be more like the saints if we want to live in heaven someday. Dr. Hahn shows us that our heavenly life can begin now.



Contributors of \$12 or more per year to the Chapter receive discounts on books displayed at CUF meetings, and receive the Newsletter by First Class Mail.

“Who Killed the American Family?”

by Phyllis Schlafly

Townhall.com - Where your opinion counts

September 23, 2014

The British press just reported the result of a new study by academics from Oxford and the University of London that children raised in stable marital homes are better behaved than classmates brought up by unmarried parents. Children raised by married parents show lower levels of anti-social attitudes and hyperactivity.

Recent U.S. surveys show that the U.S. taxpayers' money appropriated to “close the gap” between higher-achieving and lower-achieving students has failed to achieve this goal. Contrary to conventional wisdom, poverty is not the principal cause of the gap, but whether or not children grow up in a family with their own mom and pop compared to kids who lack that advantage. When the famous French commentator Alexis de Tocqueville traveled the U.S. in the mid-19th century, he wrote: “There is certainly no country in the world where the tie of marriage is more respected than in America, or where conjugal happiness is more highly or worthily appreciated.” Our society of nuclear families produced a prosperous middle class that was the envy of the world.

Much has been written about the decline in the percentage of Americans who live in a traditional nuclear family. The scholar Charles Murray has pointed out that the shocking rate of illegitimate births (now 41 percent) is the most serious social and fiscal problem America faces because it is the factor that drives everything else. It has caused the dramatic rise in government spending. The nuclear family doesn't need government busybodies to tell them how to raise

their children or spend their money, but when mothers have no husband or father of their children to provide for them, they turn to Big Brother Government. Who is responsible for killing the American family? My new book published by WorldNetDaily this month answers that fundamental question, and you may be surprised at the answer. The perpetrators of this murder are not just the gays who have gotten so much publicity. Like the fam-

“...children raised in stable marital homes are better behaved than classmates brought up by unmarried parents.”

ous Agatha Christie mystery “Murder on the Orient Express,” the solution was everybody on the train had a motive for killing the victim. Many groups had a motive for wanting to abolish the American nuclear family. The feminists' rallying cry from the start was “liberation,” and they meant liberation from husband, family, and care for children because, they said, taking care of small children is a demeaning occupation for an educated woman.

In the 1970s, it became popular to say that the “village” should raise the child. The liberal establishment defines “village” to include all sorts of government busybodies such as public school officials, hired consultants, psychologists, custody evaluators, women's studies courses and, especially, family court judges. The *New York Times* reported that judges routinely decide where the children of divorced parents may attend school and even attend church, whether

they may be homeschooled, what medical care they may receive, and even whether they play soccer or take piano lessons. The system of having family court judges make decisions about the raising of children has become so universal that, according to the U.S. Census Bureau, Family Court judges now control the private living arrangements of 46 million Americans and have the power to transfer \$40 billion between households.

The rule that decisions should be made in the best interest of a child came to us from English law and clearly meant that the biological parents of a child were authorized to make decisions in the best interest of their own children. Nobody ever made any convincing scientific argument against that policy. But now “best interest” is decided by judges. In a court decision this year, a federal appeals court even ruled that the best interest of children requires approval of same-sex marriage. The best interest rule is totally subjective. Whether the decision is big such as where to go [to] church or school, or small such as whether to play baseball or soccer, there is no objective way to say which is best. Judges call on so-called experts to advise them, but there is no scientific evidence to back up the advice that the so-called experts are well paid to give. There is nothing scientific about their advice; you would be better off listening to your grandparents.

Political strategists advise candidates to stick to fiscal issues and not talk about social issues, but taxpayers' money is spent on 78 types of taxpayer handouts to deal with social problems, including 12 food programs, 12 social services, 12 educational assistance, 11 housing assistance, nine vocational training, three energy and utility assistance, school lunch and even breakfast and three child-care programs. Nothing but marriage can cut these costs.

Phyllis Schlafly is the founder of *Eagle Forum*. Visit: www.eagleforum.org

THE FALL-WINTER-SPRING SCHEDULE:

- October 19 **MSGR. POPEK AWARD DINNER----**Recipient: **Bishop Robert C. Morlino**
- November 16 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**
- December 14 **MSGR. POPEK BIRTHDAY/CHRISTMAS DINNER**
- January 18 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**
- February 15 **AFTERNOON OF RECOLLECTION, by Fr. James Kubicki, S.J. (at Sacred Heart Church)**
- March 15 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**
- April 19 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**
- May 17 **TO BE ANNOUNCED**



Catholics **U**nited for the **F**aith

To Support, Defend and Advance the Efforts of the Teaching Church

If you do not want to receive this e-Newsletter, please type

“Unsubscribe”

at CUFMIL@wi.rr.com and we will remove your name from our list.

Meeting November 16
Speaker to be announced

Come and bring a friend to honor
Bishop Robert C. Morlino,
Recipient of the Twenty-sixth Annual
“Msgr. Alphonse S. Popek Award,”
and enjoy his presentation,
“**Marriage: The Truth and the
Consequences**”

Sunday, October 19
Clarion Hotel and Conference Center
5311 South Howell Avenue