



## Catholic Physicians Guild of Dallas March Newsletter



### April Meeting - Further Examination of Conscience: Moral Parameters of Cooperation in Evil

Last month, we discussed conscientious objection in medicine and a recent article written on the topic. This coming April 3 (at 7 PM in the Family Life Center at St. Monica's Catholic Church), we will further delve into this topic, discussing the related topic of cooperation in evil: when is it morally acceptable and what are the relevant criteria. Catherine Nolan, PhD, Philosopher at University of Dallas and William Stigall, MD, Pediatric Cardiac Intensivist and Medical Ethicist, will join us to facilitate discussion. Dinner will be served. Please refer to the articles that will be referenced, which can be found on our website [here](#).



### Join the Catholic Physicians Guild at the Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner

On April 21st, the Catholic Pro-Life Committee will celebrate the Silver Anniversary of the Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner. The dinner will take place at the Renaissance Dallas Addison (formerly the Hotel Intercontinental Dallas) and will feature a keynote address from actor Kevin Sorbo (*Hercules, God's Not Dead*). As per Bishop Burns:

*"I invite you to join me on April 21st, as we celebrate this landmark for LIFE in our diocese at the Silver Anniversary Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner. Let us rejoice in the lives saved and changed in the last 25 years, and look forward with hopeful anticipation to a future when all life is celebrated as sacred."*

If you would like to join the Catholic Physicians Guild of Dallas at a table, please email [cathmeddallas@gmail.org](mailto:cathmeddallas@gmail.org). We will reserve a table for guests who would like to join. Further details of the night can be found at the Catholic Pro-Life Committee [website](#).



## Friendly Reminder! Bishop Burns to meet CPGD on June 5

As mentioned in our last newsletter, Bishop Burns will attend our meeting this June at 6 PM (notice the time change). Please save the date that you might join us. Further details of the night will be forthcoming.



WHERE HEALTH CARE ETHICS AND MEDICINE CONVERGE

SEXUALITY & FERTILITY IN MEDICINE



An alternative to the Bishop's Pro Life Dinner in Dallas will be the Converging Roads Conference on April 21st in Houston. The Conference is titled "Sexuality and Fertility in Medicine." Talks will include:

- **Wellness As Respect for Persons: Developing Sensitivity to the Family Health of Practitioners and Patients**  
Ashley K. Fernandes, M.D., Ph.D.
- **Providing Medical and HIV Care for Men Who Have Sex with Men: Medical Perspectives of an Infectious Disease Physician and Deacon**  
Timothy P. Flanigan, Deacon and M.D.
- **Gender Dysphoria in Children: Science, Ideology, and Ethics**  
Paul W. Hruz, M.D., Ph.D.
- **Can Hormonal Contraceptives be Used for Medical Reasons?**  
Patrick Yeung Jr., M.D.

Other great talks will be a part of this conference. For more information, see the Converging Roads website [here](#).

*Above all, I urge the members of the Church to take up the Lenten journey with enthusiasm, sustained by almsgiving, fasting and prayer. If, at times, the flame of charity seems to die in our own hearts, know that this is never the case in the heart of God! He constantly gives us a chance to begin loving anew - Pope Francis, Message of the Holy Father Francis for Lent 2018*



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