



# Encuentro

THE CHILD AND THE LAMB

Friday, April 26 - Sunday 28, 2024  
Mexican American Catholic College  
3115 W. Ashby Place, San Antonio, TX

## FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2024.

1:00PM - CHECK-IN

2:30PM - OPENING

### 3:00PM - PLENARY ONE

**Naming and Examining the Culture of our Generation: The Gifts of Challenges of Working with Our Youth Today.**

ENGLISH (TRANSLATION AVAILABLE)

**Fr. Matthew DeLeon.** Pastor of Sacred Heart. Uvalde, TX.

### 4:00PM - WORKSHOP 1

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### 5:00PM - HOLY MASS

6:00PM - DINNER

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**8:00AM - BREAKFAST**

**9:00AM - PLENARY TWO**

**Praying with Children – the Encounter with Christ.**

SIMULTANEOUS ENGLISH & SPANISH

**Mary Mirrione.** National Director

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. English

**Lourdes Santiago.** Spanish Language Coordinator

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. Spanish

**10:15AM - WORKSHOP 2**

**Practical Guidelines for Nurturing the Child's Relationship with God**

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**12:00PM - LUNCH**

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## **1:15PM - PLENARY THREE**

### **A Child Shall Lead Them**

SIMULTANEOUS ENGLISH & SPANISH  
**Charleen Katra.** Executive Director  
National Catholic Partnership on  
Disability. English

**Esther Garcia.** Director of  
Outreach and Diocesan Relations  
National Catholic Partnership on  
Disability. Spanish

## **2:15PM - WORKSHOP 3**

### **Include us! Children with Disabilities and their Families.**

SIMULTANEOUS ENGLISH & SPANISH  
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## **3:15PM - PLENARY FOUR**

**Nurturing Children's Spiritual Attention: Ideas about Liturgy and Reading from Augustine of Hippo**

ENGLISH (TRANSLATION AVAILABLE)

**Joseph Grabau, Ph.D. STD.**

Associate Professor of Philosophy and Theology. Mexican American Catholic College

## **4:15PM - WORKSHOP 4**

**a) Unless you Become Like Children (*Mt 18:3*)**

SPANISH

**María Beltrán.** Adjunct Professor of Theology and Sacred Scripture. Ann and Joe O. Neuhoff Institute for Ministry and Evangelization at the University of Dallas.

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**4:15PM - WORKSHOP 4**

**b) Children's Liturgy of the Word:  
Shaping Children's Spirituality**

ENGLISH

**Dcn. Daniel Quaderer.** Consultant  
for Children's Initiatives  
Mexican American Catholic  
College

**5:15PM - TABLE DISCUSSION**

**6:30PM - DINNER**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024.**

**8:00AM - BREAKFAST**

**9:00AM - PLENARY FIVE**

**How to evangelize and catechize  
young lives**

ENGLISH (TRANSLATION AVAILABLE)

**Fr. Will Combs BBD.** Pastor of St.  
Mary Magdalene School.

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024.**

**10:00AM - SET UP WORKING  
GROUPS FOR BIMONTHLY MEETINGS**

**11:00AM - HOLY MASS WITH  
CHILDREN**

**12:00PM - DISMISSAL**

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