



The Roman Catholic Diocese of Dallas  
**Hispanic Congress of the Americas  
 for Respect Life and Evangelization**

August 16 - 18, 2013

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Ft. Worth

*What Do We Have to Do to Do the Work of God?*

**Master of Ceremonies: Omar Aguilar**

Date	Time	Activity	Speaker/Celebrant & Room	Topic
<b>Friday, Aug. 16<sup>th</sup></b>	5:00pm-6:30pm	Dinner: Clergy, Speakers, Volunteers (Folkloric Dances)	Collinwood I	
	7:00pm-8:15pm	<b>Mass*</b>	<b>Bishop Mark J. Seitz – Collinwood I</b>	
	8:15pm-8:30pm	Break		
	8:30pm-8:45pm	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Bishop Kevin J. Farrell – Collinwood I</b>	
	8:45pm-9:30pm	Dance/Concert	St. Monica Folkloric Dancers/Los Viejitos Cadetes de Linares Music Group – Collinwood I	
	9:30pm	Closing	Omar Aguilar – Collinwood I	
<b>Saturday, Aug. 17<sup>th</sup></b>	7:30am-9:00am	Registration & Exhibits	North Entrance	
	<b>9:00am-10:15am</b>	<b>Opening Mass*</b>	<b>Cardinal Seán Patrick O'Malley, OFM Cap</b> Collinwood I	
	10:15am-10:30am	Break		
	10:30am-10:45am	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Bishop Kevin J. Farrell – Collinwood I</b>	
		<b>FIRST GENERAL SESSION</b>		
	<b>10:45am-12:00pm</b>	<b>Keynote*</b>	<b>Bishop Jaime Soto – Collinwood I</b>	<b>The Church's Mission on Immigration</b>
	12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch on your own		
	1:00pm-2:00pm	First Session Breakouts I		
		1) English	Alejandro Aguilera-Titus – Sunnyslope	The New Evangelization
		2) Spanish	Pia Septien – Fairview	The Dignity of Women in Sacred Scripture
		3) Spanish	Deacon Gary Treviño – Spring Glade	From the Womb to the Tomb
	4) Youth track (bilingual)	Astrid Bennett Gutierrez – Collinwood II	Saving The Lives of Your Peers	
2:00pm-2:15pm	Break			

<b>Saturday, Aug. 17<sup>th</sup></b>	2:15pm-3:00pm	First Session Breakouts II		
		1) Spanish	Father Wilmer de Jesús Daza – Collinwood II	Marriage in Faith
		2) English	Dr. Pilar Calva Mercado – Sunnyslope	Understanding <i>Humanae Vitae</i>
		3) Spanish	Josefina Camou – Fairview	Responsible Parenthood
		4) Youth track (bilingual)	Marcela Vaquera – Spring Glade	Abandon Yourself to Jesus
	3:00pm-3:15pm	Break		
		<b>SECOND GENERAL SESSION</b>		
	<b>3:15pm-4:00pm</b>	<b>Keynote*</b>	<b>Alejandro Bermúdez – Collinwood I</b>	<b>What Do Catholics Believe?</b>
	4:00pm-4:15pm	Break		
	4:15pm-5:00pm	Second Session Breakouts		
		1) English	Marlon de la Torre – Sunnyslope	Seven Effective Steps to Evangelize the Family
		2) Spanish	María del Pilar Vasquez Calva – Collinwood II	The Ideology of the Genre
		3) Spanish	Adolfo Castañeda – Fairview	Reasons to Defend Human Life
		4) Youth track (bilingual)	Father Agustino Torres, CFR – Spring Glade	Mary As Your Mother
	5:00pm-6:00pm	Dinner on your own		
	6:30pm-7:15pm	Concert	Ministerio Shaddai – Collinwood I	
	7:30pm-9:00pm	Concert	Father Jesús Belmontes/Alas Ministry Collinwood I	
	9:00pm	Closing	Omar Aguilar – Collinwood I	
<b>Sunday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>THIRD GENERAL SESSION</b>		
	8:00am-9:00am	Exhibits	West Hallway	
	<b>9:00am-9:45am</b>	<b>Keynote*</b>	<b>Archbishop Gustavo García-Siller, M.Sp.S.</b> Collinwood I	<b>Understanding the HHS Mandate</b>
	9:45am-10:00am	Break		
	10:00am-11:00am	Third Session Breakouts		
		1) Spanish	Ramona Treviño – Sunnyslope	Testimony of an Ex-Manager of a Planned Parenthood
		2) Spanish	Dr. Pilar Calva Mercado – Collinwood II	Understanding <i>Humanae Vitae</i>
		3) English	Eileen Kuhlmann – Spring Glade	The Rachel Ministries: Post-Abortion Healing for the Hurting
		4) Youth track (bilingual)	Deacon Gary Treviño – Fairview	God as Our Father
	11:00am-11:15am	Break		
		<b>FOURTH GENERAL SESSION</b>		
	<b>11:15am-12:00pm</b>	<b>Keynote*</b>	<b>Bishop Mark J. Seitz – Collinwood I</b>	<b>Faithful Citizenship</b>
	12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch on your own		

**12:00pm-2:00pm A preview of the movie: “The Blood and the Rose” (in Spanish with English subtitles) – \$10.00 charge – Windhaven**

<b>Sunday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup></b>	1:00pm-2:00pm	Fourth Session Breakouts		
		1) Spanish	Luz Menjivar – Sunnyslope	Project Rachel: Post-Abortion Healing in the Heart of the Church
		2) English	Ramona Treviño – Spring Glade	Testimony of an Ex-Manager of a Planned Parenthood
		3) Spanish	Jorge Serrano-Limón, Esq. – Collinwood II	Rescuing Lives From Abortion
		4) Youth track (bilingual)	Los Guerreros de Dios /Deacon Gary Treviño Fairview	Skits
	2:00pm-2:15pm	Break		
	<b>2:15pm-3:30pm</b>	<b>Closing Mass*</b>	<b>Cardinal Daniel DiNardo – Collinwood I</b>	Mariachi Reyes de Dallas
	<b>3:30pm-4:00pm</b>	<b>Acknowledgements*</b>	<b>Aurora Q. Tinajero – Collinwood I</b>	
	<b>4:00pm-4:30pm</b>	<b>Closing Remarks*</b>	<b>Bishop Mark J. Seitz – Collinwood I</b>	

❖ 4:30pm-5:30pm Congress Leadership Meeting – Windhaven ❖

**\*Headsets for English translation will be available for Mass Homilies and All General Session Keynotes\***

***Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available from 10:15am-9pm Saturday and 9am-1pm Sunday in Shady Grove***

**FREE CHILDCARE AVAILABLE DURING ALL SESSIONS – Northbrook I, II and III !**

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