



Ladies of Charity  
National Assembly  
September 5-7, 2024

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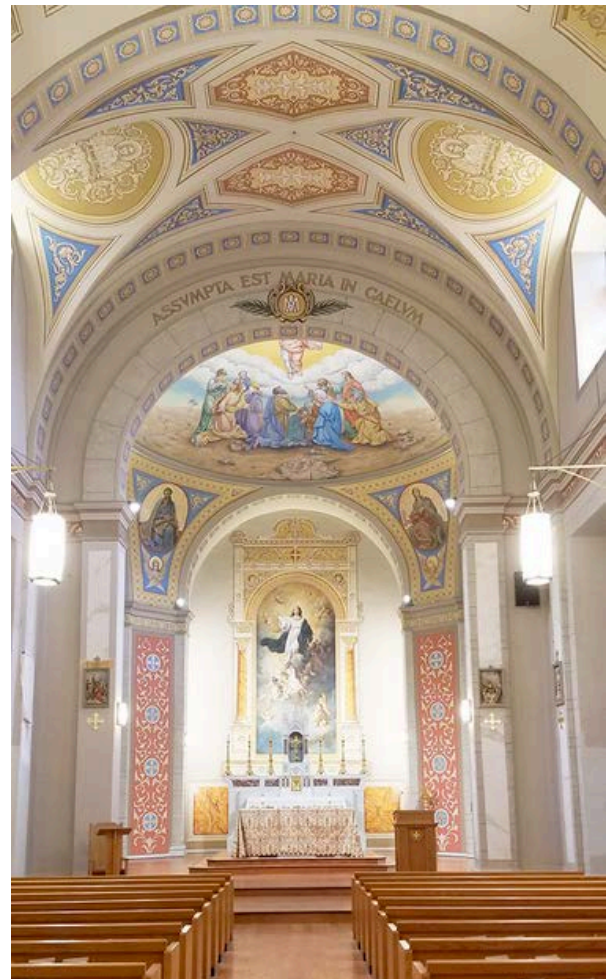
**Assembly Schedule**

*This schedule is subject to changes.*

<b>THURSDAY – September 5, 2024</b>	
7:00a-8:15a	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
6:45a-8:15a	<b>BUFFET BREAKFAST</b>
8:30a	<b>BUSES DEPART</b> for Perryville
10:00a-2:15p	<b>DAY OF REFLECTION:</b> National Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal - Fr. Richard Gielow, CM., Vincentian Spiritual Advisor, LCUSA. Eucharistic Adoration, tour of Shrine and grounds or free time, Mass, and lunch. Buses depart for hotel at 2:30.
4:30p	Arrive back at hotel.
5:30p-7:00p	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
Evening	Dinner on your own
6:00p-8:30p	<b>LCUSA Board Meeting</b>



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FRIDAY – September 6, 2024	
7:00a–7:20a	<b>Rosary</b>
7:00a–8:30a	<b>Registration</b>
7:00a–5:00p	<b>SILENT AUCTION</b> (Skylight Room) Open during assembly hours when no meetings are in session
7:00a–8:15a	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b>
8:30a–9:30a	<b>Opening Mass.</b> Rev. Richard Gielow, C.M. (Presider and Homilist), LCUSA Spiritual Advisor
9:30a–10:00a	<b>Opening Ceremonies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call to Order &amp; Welcome – Holly Walter, LCUSA President</li> <li>• Introduction of local co-chairs, 2024 Assembly</li> <li>• Roll Call - Karen Radu, LCUSA Secretary</li> <li>• Introduction of Board and Past Presidents</li> <li>• National Assembly Rules</li> <li>• Emergency Health Overview - Mary Nell Williams, LCUSA Board Member</li> <li>• Introduction of Timekeeper</li> </ul>
10:00a–10:45a	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS</b> - Mr. Robert Schumer. Introduced by Sr. Carol Schumer, D.C.
10:45a–11:15a	<b>Q &amp; A</b>

FRIDAY – September 6, 2024 (continued)	
11:30a–12:45p	<b>LUNCHEON</b> for Vincentian Spiritual Moderators
11:30a–12:45p	<b>LUNCHEON</b> for all
1:00p–2:15p	<b>REGIONAL ELECTIONS/MEETINGS (ALL ATTEND)</b> Northeastern Mid-Atlantic North Central Southern Western
2:30p–3:15p	<b>LCUSA WORKSHOPS</b> (Session 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evangelize/Revitalize - Fr. Jim Cormack, C.M.</li> <li>• Immigration Simulation - Cathy Griner and St. Justin Martyr members</li> <li>• Prayer/Eucharist - Sr. Mary Ruth Wand, SSND</li> <li>• Kenyan Peanut Project: The Feeding of the 10 Million - Dr. Marty Schmidt, M.D.</li> <li>• Leadership Workshop for LOC association leaders - Peggy Keene</li> </ul>
3:30p–4:15p	<b>LCUSA WORKSHOPS</b> (Session 2) Repeat above sessions



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FRIDAY – September 6, 2024 (continued)	
4:30p–5:30p	<b>GATHERING OF VINCENTIAN SPIRITUAL MODERATORS</b> and all those interested. Facilitators: Sr. Grace Hertzog, SC, and Sr. Ann Claire Rhoads, DC, LCUSA Vincentian Spiritual Moderators.
5:30p–6:30p	<b>JUNIOR LADIES’ MODERATORS</b> and all those interested. Information Session. Facilitator: Sharon Terwelp, LCUSA Director North Central region and Chairperson LCUSA Juniors committee
6:30p	<b>Dinner: Specialties of St. Louis &amp; Games Night;</b> cash bar (very informal)

SATURDAY – September 7, 2024	
7:00a–7:20a	<b>Rosary</b>
7:00a–8:30a	<b>Registration</b>
7:00a–1:00p	<b>SILENT AUCTION</b> (Skylight Room) Open during assembly hours when no meetings are in session
7:00a–8:15a	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b>

SATURDAY – September 7, 2024 (continued)	
8:30a–9:00a	<b>PRAYER SERVICE</b> – Sr. Grace Hartzog, SC, and Sr. Ann Claire Rhoads, DC, LCUSA Vincentian Spiritual Moderators
9:00a–9:45a	<b>PLENARY PANEL</b> – “Committed to Human Rights” Marie Kenyon, and Ginny Schrappen; Moderator Fr. Jim Cormack, C.M.
9:45a–10:15a	<b>Q &amp; A</b>
10:15a–10:30a	BREAK
10:30a–11:15a	<b>PLENARY - PANEL DISCUSSION</b> “Committed to LCUSA: Unity and Service Through Spirituality” - What Makes Us Unique? <b>Moderator:</b> MaryAnn Dantuono, J.D., Past LCUSA President
11:15a–11:45a	<b>Q &amp; A</b>
12:00p	<b>SILENT AUCTION CLOSSES</b>
12:00p - 12:40p	<b>National LCUSA Presidents’ Luncheon</b>





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SATURDAY – September 7, 2024 (continued)	
12:00p – 2:30p	<p><b>LUNCHEON AND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP BUSINESS MEETING</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LCUSA President’s Report - Holly Walter</li> <li>• LCUSA Treasurer’s Report - Claudia Van</li> <li>• LCUSA Officer Elections</li> <li>• AIC Report - Suzanne Johnson, AIC Executive Board</li> <li>• Announcement of grants awarded – Irene Siedlarczyk, LCUSA President-elect</li> <li>• Madagascar collection - Holly Walter</li> <li>• Presentation of 2025 Assembly by Archdiocese of Washington, D.C.</li> <li>• Assembly Resolutions - Margaret Hanson, LCUSA Board Parliamentarian</li> <li>• Commissioning of Vincentian Spiritual Moderators</li> <li>• Final Blessing given by VSM</li> </ul>
3:30p	<b>Buses Depart</b> for St. Vincent de Paul Church
4:30p – 6:00p	<b>CLOSING MASS</b> – St. Vincent de Paul Church LCUSA Officer Installation
6:30p – 7:30p	<b>RECEPTION</b> – Cash Bar
7:30p – 10:00p	<b>Banquet</b> and remarks by Fr. Perry Henry, C.M. Thank-you and Farewell

SUNDAY – September 8, 2024	
All depart	
8:00a-10:00a	<b>LCUSA Board Meeting</b> (Current and New Members)

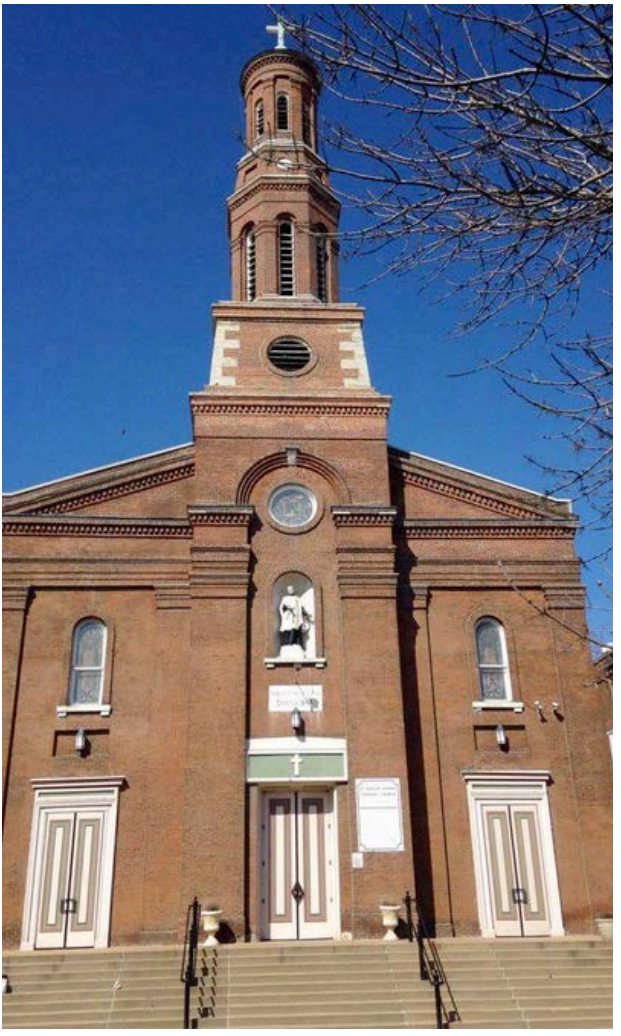


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