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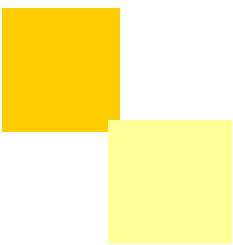


**Saturday, June 26, 2010**

Eastern Michigan University Convocation Center



# The Goal is Evangelization



... the Church needs genuine witnesses for the new evangelization: men and women whose lives have been transformed by meeting with Jesus, men and women who are capable of communicating this experience to others. The Church needs saints. All are called to holiness, and holy people alone can renew humanity."

Pope John Paul II  
August 2004

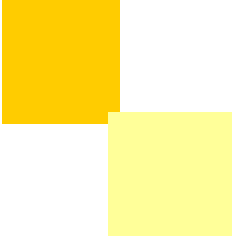


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# Christ- Hope in a hopeless world

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- **Theme:** Doing all things in Christ! Tapping into Real Power in a Power Hungry World
  - **Date:** Saturday, June 26, 2010
  - **Tickets:** Adult \$40 Student \$25
  - **Location:** Eastern Michigan University Convocation Center
  - **Speakers:**



Curtis Martin



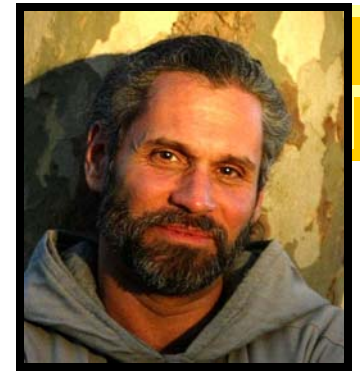
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# Curtis Martin

Curtis Martin is the President and Founder of FOCUS, the Fellowship of Catholic University Students, one of the fastest growing programs in the Catholic Church. Archbishop Charles Chaput of Denver stated, "No one does a more dynamic job of reaching college students for Christ than FOCUS." He is an award winning speaker who uses humor, stories, and his own life experiences to communicate how faith in God is lived out in everyday life.

Curtis Martin holds a Masters degree in Theology and is co-host of the ground-breaking show *Crossing the Goal*, on EWTN. He is a co-author of *Boys to Men: The Transforming Power of Virtue* and *Family Matters: A Scripture Study on Marriage and Family* as well as a contributing author of *Catholic for a Reason, Vols. I, II, III and IV*. He was awarded the inaugural *Excellence in Evangelization* award by *Envoy* magazine. In 2004 Curtis and his wife Michaelann were awarded the *Benemerenti* Medal by Pope John Paul II for their outstanding service to the Church. He serves as an adjunct professor at the Augustine Institute in Denver, Colorado.

Curtis and his beautiful wife Michaelann live in Greeley, Colorado with their eight extraordinary children.

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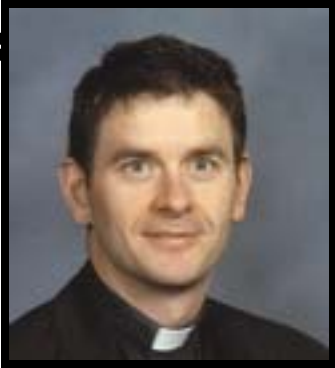
Matthew Kelly was born in Sydney, Australia, where he began his lay ministry in 1993. Since that time he has travelled in more than fifty countries and spoken to over three million people. He has written twelve books which have appeared on the *New York Times*, *Wall Street Journal*, and *USA Today* bestseller lists and been published in twenty-five languages. The majority of his work today is here in the United States speaking to students from primary school through college, lay adults, priests and seminarians. He also leads numerous retreats every year, both in the United States and abroad.

Kelly's core message, regardless of whether he is addressing CEO's, high school students, priests, or parish communities, invites listeners to become the-best-version-of-themselves. Kelly convincingly communicates this message as God's desire for each of us. And he insists it is also the desire of parents for their children, husbands and wives for each other, CEOs for their companies and employees, pastors for their parishes, and managers and lay ministers for those they lead and instruct.

This message of becoming the-best-version-of-yourself, inspired by Vatican II's universal call to holiness, allows Kelly to present the genius of Catholicism through his seminars and writings in a way that is disarmingly simple and yet, deeply profound.

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## Fr. John Riccardo

Fr. John Riccardo, a priest for Archdiocese of Detroit was ordained in 1996. He previously served as Director of the Cardinal Maida Institute, located in the St. John Center for Youth and Family in Plymouth, Michigan. He also previously served as the Associate Pastor of Divine Child Parish in Dearborn and Pastor of St. Anastasia church in Troy.

Fr. John is the Youngest of five children and was born and raised in Birmingham, Michigan. He is a graduate of Shrine High school and holds a degree in English/Communication from University of Michigan. He also holds degrees from Sacred Heart Seminary, Detroit; The Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome Italy; Pope John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family.

Fr. John is currently Pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth. He is the host of "Christ is the Answer," which can be heard on Ave Maria Radio.

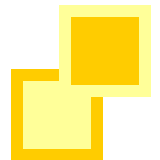
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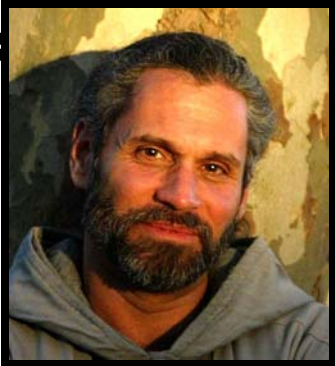
## Bishop Earle Boyea

Born April 10, 1951, the first of ten children to Earl and Helen Boyea, Sr., in Pontiac, Michigan. Raised in Waterford and attended Our Lady of the Lakes Parish in Waterford and the parish school from third through eighth grades. Attended Sacred Heart Seminary High School and College, 1965-1973; the North American College and the Gregorian University in Rome, 1973-1977, 1979-80. Ordained a priest on May 20, 1978. Named a prelate of honor to His Holiness, Jan. 18, 2000, named auxiliary bishop of Detroit and titular bishop of Siccenna, July 22, 2002, and ordained a bishop on Sept. 13, 2002. Appointed fifth bishop of Lansing, Feb. 27, 2008, to be installed April 29, 2008.



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## Fr. Stan Fortuna

From his earliest days growing up in New York, Father Stan Fortuna has lived a life of passion and purpose. When he was in the 2nd grade, his father gave him a Christmas present that was to define his destiny – a red Gibson electric guitar. It was quickly discovered that Fr. Stan had an ear for music and a knack for musical expression and composition. This talent was obvious especially when he started playing the bass.

It was early adulthood that Fr. Stan began hearing his true calling in life. He is one of the eight original members of the Community of Franciscan Friars of the Renewal and a Roman Catholic priest. He has been involved with community development and the implementation of various social programs in his neighborhood of the South Bronx for over two decades when the religious order was established by John Cardinal O'Connor in 1987. That same year, Fr. Stan founded his non-profit company, Francesco Productions mixing music and message with proceeds going to help poor and impoverished families in the area. Although Fr. Stan lives in the South Bronx where he serves needy families, he is internationally known for his music as well as for his powerful preaching.



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# Arena setting



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- Center Stage (9,500)
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  - End Stage (7,500; sold at 270 degrees)
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    - A picturesque atrium area
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