



Four Countries – Four Models of Church Leadership

Fostering effective leadership is one of the most urgent issues facing the Catholic Church. Despite this, reliable models comparing church leadership throughout the world do not exist. Our expert presenters will share their findings on four different leadership models within the Catholic Church to expand our imagination on what is possible and to provide a basis for improving church management practices across the globe.



Friday, October 9 at 11:00 AM EDT

Promoting Co-Responsible Governance in the Church in Australia in Response to the Sexual Abuse Crisis

Massimo Faggioli, PhD is a full professor in the department of Theology and Religious Studies at Villanova University and a member of the team that made recommendations to Australia's bishops to improve the governance and management of their Church.



Friday, October 16 at 11:00 AM EDT

Leading From the Middle in the US Church: Parish Teams and Collaboration

Marti R. Jewell, DMin, is an associate professor *emerita* of the Neuhoff School of Ministry at the University of Dallas, author, and researcher. Her most recent research includes *Open Wide the Doors to Christ: A Study of Catholic Social Innovation for Parish Vitality*.



Friday, October 23 at 11:00 AM EDT

The Leader in the Catholic Church in India – Quo Vadis? Exploring How Culture and Context Shape Leadership Models and Models of Leadership

Leo Fernandez is the CEO and co-founder of TalentEase, an organization working in schools and colleges to create tomorrow's leaders today. He is a former partner and managing director of Accenture/Singapore running outsourcing businesses across the Asia Pacific region.



Friday, October 30 at 11:00 AM EDT

Church Leadership in Belgium: Challenges on the Interplay Between Identity, Communication, and Leadership

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