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OCTOBER 23-25 | INDIANAPOLIS, IN

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP

THURSDAY DURING THE DAY

Member: \$199

Non-member \$250

After July 31: \$220/\$275

After October 1: \$240/\$299

PRE-CONGRESS RETREAT

THURSDAY DURING THE DAY

Member: \$169

Non-Member: \$219

After July 31: \$185/\$235

After October 1: Not available

CONGRESS

THURSDAY EVENING, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Member: \$549

Non-member: \$699

After July 31: \$599/\$650

After October 1: \$650/\$800

CONGRESS HOTEL

The 2025 Congress will take place at the **Marriott Indianapolis East**. The group rate of \$125 per night (plus taxes) is available 3 days pre/post event (based on availability).

Register by July 31 or October 1
to receive a **DISCOUNTED** rate!



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PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS | OCTOBER 23



Resilience: The “Secret Sauce” of Health and Holiness
Sister Mary Pat Garvin, RSM, PhD



Synodality: Now What for Consecrated Religious?
Father James Chukwuma Okoye, CSSp, LSS

PRE-CONGRESS RETREAT | OCTOBER 23



Autumn Renewal in Oldenburg | Spirituality of Presence: Christ’s Hope & Light
Sister Olga Wittekind, OSF, PhD

PLENARY SESSIONS | OCTOBER 24 & 25



Giving Witness: Living the Prophetic Nature of Religious Life
Father Peter Hill, CSsR



Reseeding Hope through Global Sisterhood and Brotherhood
Sister Susan Francois, CSJP and
Sister Julie Mousseau, RSCJ, PhD

SEMINAR SESSIONS | OCTOBER 24



Agents of Charism: Forming and Equipping Religious
Brother Robert Schieler, FSC, EdD, and
Sarah Laitinen, MA



Intercongregational Collaborative Novitiate: Learnings and Best Practices
Sister Nancy Gerth, SCN, MED



Lifelong Learning for Aging Sisters and Brothers: Expanding Access and Engagement
Patrick Maddux, MAE



Navigating Tough Terrain with Hope and Perseverance: Religious Worker and Immigration Law Updates
Miguel A. Naranjo



The Commitment to Justice, Equity, and Inclusivity in Religious Life Today
Sister Pat Dual, OP, and
Sister Gail Trippett, CSJ

“We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us, and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart, and a far-sighted vision.” – Pope Francis