

PROGRAM – SATURDAY, 24TH JUNE 2006

- FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF MARY -

3:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and opening of Conference <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sr. Anne Marie Hill – Coordinator of Conference</i></p>
3:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The History of Religious Communities • Early Monasticism to the 8th Century <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sr. André Dullaghan – Mother House, Béziers</i></p>
4:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation of Religious Congregations from 8th – 17th Centuries. <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sr. Pierre Dullaghan – Mother House, Béziers</i></p>
4:30 – 4:50	<i>BREAK</i>
4:50–5:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contemporary Religious Life 18th – 21st Centuries. • Why Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary? <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sr. Bernadette McNamara, Mother House, Béziers</i></p>
5:30–6:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questions / Reflections from whole group to Srs. André, Pierre, Bernadette.
6:00–6:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparation for Liturgy
6:15–7:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Liturgy for Feast of the Sacred Heart of Mary. <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Fr. Tom Michel S.J.</i> <i>(Prepared by Sr. André Dullaghan)</i></p>
7:00–9:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome reception – Buffet supper.

PROGRAM – SUNDAY, 25TH JUNE 2006



9:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Depart by bus to Chartres <i>13th century cathedral</i>
11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass in the Cathedral
12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided Tour by Malcolm Miller
2:15 – 3:45	<i>LUNCH</i>
5:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival in Paris
<i>EVENING FREE</i>	

About the guide – Malcolm Miller read modern languages at Durham University in England, writing his final honors paper on the Cathedral of Our Lady of Chartres. It was the beginning of a life-long passion. "I came back to Chartres to teach in the local school," he said recently. "But I couldn't stay away from the cathedral." Serious illness and a long recuperation in England sealed his fate. "It was the thought of the cathedral that pulled me through," he said. "I knew I had to get back."

Since then he has devoted his life to the cathedral. He claims as his special field medieval iconography. In fact, his field includes, as his listeners soon realize, the full sweep and grandeur of European life and thought in the Middle Ages. A window may

have been donated by Blanche of Castille but if Eleanor of Aquitaine is more interesting, Mr. Miller will talk about her. "We are going to read this window," he tells his group and, for the next 30 minutes he will explain how a huge panoply of stained glass depicts a long biblical story or a subtle theological allegory.

Tourists - whose highest intellectual pilgrimage in the past may have been to Disneyland - remain enthralled, their necks craned toward the glass far above, as they hear for the first time, the story of the rod of Jesse. It does not lessen the effect if Mr. Miller has chosen this window because he knows the sun will move around and light will pour through the glass just as he finishes his narrative.

Excerpt courtesy of the *New York Times*

PROGRAM – MONDAY, 26TH JUNE 2006

Chairs: Concepcion Alvar, Mary Ellen Gozdecki

8:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass at Marymount School <i>Fr. Tom Michel S.J.</i> <i>(Prepared by Sr. André)</i>
9:00–10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General Assembly <i>Welcome Sr. Rosamond</i>
9:15-9:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel 1 – Panel Moderator – Mary Benedict As three National Catholic schools how do you address the challenges of globalization? <i>Colegio Sagrado Coração de Maria, Lisbon: Margarida Murracho</i> <i>Colégio do Sagrado Coração de Maria, Fátima: Serafim Assunção e Costa</i> <i>Colégio de Nossa Senhora do Rosario, Oporto: João Manuel Trigo</i>
10:00-10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel 2 – Panel Moderator – Sr. Maureen Vellon As schools no longer administrated by the RSHM how do you sustain the RSHM mission in your schools? <i>Cantwell Sacred Heart of Mary School, David Chambers Montebello:</i> <i>Marymount School Cuernavaca: Kristine Reichert de Salgado</i> <i>Marymount School Bogotá: Maria Alejandra Sandoval</i> <i>Marymount School Medellín: Ana María Bernal</i>
10:45-11:00	BREAK
11:00–12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating Globally Sustainable Schools for the 21st Century (Presentation & Discussion) <i>Patrick Basset, President of NAIS – National Association of Independent Schools, Washington, D.C.</i>
12:30 – 1:45	LUNCH
1:45–2:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General Assembly
2:00–3:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School groups meeting

3:00–5:00

- High Noon: Twenty Global Problems
J.F. Rischard, Vice President of the World Bank, Paris
Author of High Noon: Twenty Global Problems, Twenty Years to Solve Them

EVENING FREE

PROGRAM – TUESDAY, 27TH JUNE 2006

Chair: Nicolas Marcou

8:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass at Marymount School <i>Fr. Tom Michel S.J.</i> (Prepared by <i>Sr. André</i>) 	
9:15–10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Islamic Faith in the 21st Century <i>Fr. Tom Michel S.J.</i> 	
10:00 – 10:30 Break		
10:30–11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel 3 – Panel Moderator – Adrian Ash How do you sustain the Catholic identity of your school in a multi faith community? 	
	<i>Marymount School, Paris:</i> <i>Marymount International School, London:</i> <i>Marymount International School, Rome:</i> <i>Istituto Marymount, Via Nomentana, Rome:</i> <i>Marymount School, New York:</i> <i>Marymount High School, Los Angeles:</i> <i>Rathmore Grammar School, Belfast:</i>	<i>Marie de Lorimier</i> <i>Brian Johnson</i> <i>Marie-Catherine Letendre</i> <i>Sr. Maureen Vellon</i> <i>Pam Masturzo</i> <i>Dan Culbertson</i> <i>Terry Donaghy</i>
11:30–12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel 4 – Panel Moderator – Pam Masturzo What were the benefits and challenges facing the IC Committee this year? 	
	<i>Marymount School, Paris:</i> <i>Marymount International School, London:</i> <i>Marymount International School, Rome:</i> <i>Istituto Marymount, Via Nomentana, Rome:</i> <i>Marymount School, New York:</i> <i>Marymount High School, Los Angeles:</i>	<i>Yolanda Garnier</i> <i>Annah Langan</i> <i>Christine Tabbron</i> <i>Sr. Eileen Kearns</i> <i>Catherine Koller</i> <i>Mary Benedict</i>
12:30 – 1:30 LUNCH		
1:45–2:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unesco’s core mission “Education for all” <i>Ms. Lene Buchert from Unesco</i> 	
3:00–5:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School group planning session 	

5:00–5:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Closing prayer ceremony <i>Sr. Pierre Dullaghan</i>
5:30-7:30	FREE
7:30-9:30	DINNER FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS IN PARIS

PROGRAM – WEDNESDAY, 28TH JUNE 2006

Chair: Terry McAndrews

8:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass at Marymount School <i>Fr. Tom Michel S.J.</i> <i>(Prepared by Sr. André)</i>
9:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Assembly
9:35–11:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School groups planning for school year 2006-2007
11:15–11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation of the meeting
11:30-12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address to the Conference <i>Sr. Rosamond Blanchet, Provincial Superior</i>
12:00–12:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing ceremony
12:45–1:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing prayer <i>Sr. Bernadette McNamara</i> <i>Sr. Pierre Dullaghan</i>
1:15–2:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farewell reception



