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We welcome all educators and practitioners to this Lasallian conference. Find out how our schools can protect our students and families from harm during these difficult times.

## PROVIDING SANCTUARY FOR ALL IN TIMES OF CRISIS

### *Keynote Presentations*



**Brother Álvaro Rodríguez Echeverría, FSC**

*Superior General, Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools*

Brother Alvaro, a native Costa Rican, has been the Superior General since 2000. He was the President of the Union of Superiors General from 2001 to 2006 and participated in the Synod of Bishops in 2001 and 2006. For most of his life, he served in Central America where he was Provincial for the District of Central America at the time when Guatemala suffered from civil strife resulting in the deaths of thousands of indigenous people and many religious, including Brother James Miller. In 1993, he was elected Vicar General of the Institute.



**Dr. Kenneth V. Hardy, Ph.D.**

***Reconnecting with the Lives of Our Children: Pathway to New Partnerships***

*Professor and Family Therapist*

Dr. Hardy is Director of the Eikenberg Institute for Relationships in New York where he maintains a private practice specializing in working with at-risk children and families. He is also professor of family therapy at Syracuse University. He has published a variety of articles and book chapters and is the co-author of *Teens Who Hurt: Clinical Interventions for Breaking the Cycle of Youth Violence* and *Revisioning Family Therapy: Race, Class, and Culture in Clinical Practice*, both published by Guilford Publications.



**Dr. Mary Pipher, Ph.D.**

***The Sanctuary of Family***

*Psychologist, Anthropologist and Author*

Dr Pipher's work combines her education and training in the fields of psychology and anthropology. Her special area of interest is how American culture influences the mental health of its people and the vitality of its families. Three of her books, *Reviving Ophelia*, *The Shelter of Each Other*, and *Another Country*, were *New York Times* bestsellers. Dr. Pipher travels all over the world sharing her ideas with community groups, schools, and health care professionals. For more information, visit [www.marypipher.net](http://www.marypipher.net).



**Brother Thomas Johnson, FSC**

*Vicar General, Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools*

Prior to his election as Vicar General of the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in 2007, Brother Thomas was Regional Coordinator for the US-Toronto Region since 2002. He was the first Visitor of the Midwest District and a Visitor of the former Chicago District. As an educator, Brother Thomas has been actively involved with students, parents and faculty for many years, having been a high school teacher in Lasallian schools in the Chicago area for 12 years and a school administrator for seven years.

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