VIRTUOUS MEDICINE

The Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician
The Mother of God miraculously conceived Jesus after being visited by the angel Gabriel who told her she would have a child. As the Mother of God, Mary is loved and honored more than any other Saint, known as the ultimate mother and leader of family. Mary Undoer of Knots is revered for her love and devotion to her son Jesus. She is known for her ability to “undo” the knots, the challenges, in our lives. Her love and compassion for us as the children of God shows us just how much she is the mother of the Holy Family and our Mother.

The Novena to Mary, Undoer of Knots was inspired by this Icon in which the Blessed Virgin Mary is shown undoing knots. The icon and the devotion can be sourced to the writing of Saint Iranaeus of Lyons, “The knot of Eve’s disobedience was loosened by the obedience of Mary.”
Dear Colleagues,

I am delighted to welcome you to the nation’s capital as we conduct the 85th Annual Educational Conference of the Catholic Medical Association. For those of you who are attending this conference for the first time, you’re in for a treat. For those of you who have previously attended, I need not tell you what you’re in for.

Our planning committee has been faithfully meeting for the past two years to bring you an outstanding program. Our conference theme “Virtuous Medicine: The Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician”, was derived in part from our Holy Father’s apostolic exhortation “Evangelii Gaudium” or “The Joy of The Gospel”.

In it, he invites all Christians to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ or at least openness to letting Him encounter us. Over the course of three days, we invite you to reflect upon your response to God’s call to become physicians, nurses, allied health professionals, and members of the clergy and consecrated life. Yes, our profession is also a vocation and for the next few days I invite you to reflect upon the joy and privilege we have in being the healing hands of God to our brothers and sisters in Christ.

With the help of our distinguished faculty of speakers, we’ll have an opportunity to refresh our memories on how the hospital system came to be, reflect on “Evangelii Gaudium”, and how the virtues and living a virtuous life undergirds what we do professionally. I also invite you to take advantage of receiving as many graces as possible by participating in daily Mass, the recitation of the Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy chaplet, participating in the sacrament of Reconciliation, and spending time with Our Lord in our adoration chapel. There will also be opportunities to socialize with friends and colleagues. Our conference closes with the celebration of the White Mass and the evening banquet.

Our conference is dedicated to Our Lady under her title of Our Lady Under of Knots. We also celebrate this extraordinary year of Mercy by dedicating our conference to Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ under the Divine Mercy Image.

Challenges to the practice of medicine in America, such as the challenges to conscience protection and freedom of religion, will likely beset us for some time. For these next few days, I challenge you to remember, and as one of my favorite spiritual masters Henri Nouwen once said, “joy does not simply happen to us. We have to choose joy and keep choosing it every day.” Let us choose every day to practice with joy as physicians, nurses, and allied health professionals.

Yours in Christ,

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Dear Friends in Christ,

It is my privilege to welcome you to the 85th Annual Conference of the Catholic Medical Association. The witness of the CMA is a powerful reminder of the impact our Church can have on our culture, particularly in the area of human life and dignity. As great advances are made in health care, it becomes an increasing challenge to ensure that those advances are in keeping with Our Lord's call to respect all human life, especially the weak and defenseless.

The theme of this year's conference: "Virtuous Medicine: the Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician" is based on the apostolic exhortation Evangelii Gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel) by Pope Francis. I praise the objective of the conference to focus on a vision of the Catholic physician who is dedicated to evangelization, with a focus on society's poorest and most vulnerable. Society at large is in great need of evangelization, not only by religious and clergy, but by members of all professions, especially by healthcare professionals.

I pray that this conference will bear much fruit in your lives as Catholic medical professionals, in our Church, and in American society.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Faithfully in Christ,

Most Reverend William E. Lori
Archbishop of Baltimore
Dear Members of the Catholic Medical Association,

Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, has said that what “Before all else, the Gospel invites us to respond to the God of love who saves us, to see God in others and to go forth from ourselves to seek the good of others. All of the virtues are at the service of this response of love.”

This week you gather to reflect on the joy of encountering Christ and bringing his presence to others by a life of virtue. It is my privilege to welcome you to Washington D.C. and to the 85th Educational Conference of the Catholic Medical Association: Virtuous Medicine, The Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician.

Virtue frees us to love fully and generously. Virtue free us to proclaim the truth, to witness to it, and to live it. Virtue frees us to be just, and charitable, and holy. The virtuous life—and the virtuous practice of medicine—frees us to be missionary disciples of Jesus Christ in all aspects of our lives.

Jesus Christ invites all of us to be missionary disciples. Doctors, nurses, and health care professionals are called to evangelize—to share the faith—with their families, patients, and fellow health care workers. As Saint Catherine of Siena stated, “if you are who you should be, you will set the world on fire!”

I pray that this conference will encourage you, strengthen you, and equip you to be more virtuous missionary disciples. I pray that it will help you to form alliances and friendships, unity in mission and purpose. And I pray that this conference, and the Catholic Medical Association, will help you to become holy.

Please be assured of my prayers for each one of you. Please be assured of my support. Let us work together to bring the joy of the Gospel to all men and women.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

The Most Rev. James D. Conley
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Dear Friends,

It is a pleasure for me personally and on behalf of the Archdiocese of Washington to welcome all of you who have gathered for the 85th Annual Education Conference of the Catholic Medical Association (CMA). My prayerful hope for this meeting is that each of you will experience a renewal and strengthening in spirit.

In the midst of increasing secularism and utilitarianism in medicine, the theme for this year’s conference, “Virtuous Medicine: The Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician,” is a timely reminder that Catholic healthcare is a continuation of the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Here, God’s mercy is at work among us through human hands, words, actions, hearts, witness and faith. In this way, by providing also the missionary witness of profound respect for the transcendent dignity of the human person, throughout history Catholic medical professionals have been a much needed blessing in society.

Pope Francis reminds us often of the calling of each of us to live as missionary disciples in our families, our neighborhoods and our occupations. It is with gratitude that those whom you serve recognize all that each of you do to make present to patients, your fellow healthcare providers, and all in our communities the compassionate face of the Divine Physician, Jesus Christ. In a particular way, I express my appreciation to the speakers at this year’s gathering, conference chair and President-Elect Dr. Marie-Alberte Boursiquot, and the CMA’s Episcopal Advisor, Bishop James D. Conley, for their service in facilitating this conference and highlighting all the good work of the CMA and its members.

Asking the intercession of Saint Rafael and Our Lady Undoer of Knots, may God’s blessings be with you and all those you touch as you continue to bear abundant fruit in our communities.

With every good wish, I am

Faithfully in Christ,

[Signature]

Archbishop of Washington

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A Message From Governor Larry Hogan

Dear Friends:

I wanted to welcome you to the Catholic Medical Association’s 85th Annual Educational Conference.

Since its founding in the early 20th century, the Catholic Medical Association (CMA) has worked tirelessly to provide its members with the knowledge and support they need to excel professionally, while also maintaining their ethical integrity and growing their faith. Today, CMA has grown to become the largest association of Catholic physicians and healthcare professionals in the United States, enabling it to even better support independent chapters, medical professionals, and students in our communities.

This Annual Educational Conference is a great opportunity to reconnect, meet new colleagues, learn more about your profession, and build your faith together. I would like to thank everyone whose dedication has made this weekend possible, and best wishes for a memorable conference and continued progress in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Larry Hogan  
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LORD JESUS,

Divine Physician, who in your earthly life showed special concern for those who suffer and entrusted to your disciples the ministry of healing, make us ever ready to alleviate the trials of our brethren. Make each one of us, aware of the great mission that is entrusted to him, strive always to be, in the performance of daily service, an instrument of your merciful love. Enlighten our minds, guide our hands, make our hearts diligent and compassionate. Ensure that in every patient we know how to discern the features of your divine Face.

YOU WHO ARE THE WAY, provide us with the gift of knowing how to imitate You every day as medical doctors not only of the body but of the whole person, helping those who are sick to tread with trust their own earthly path until the moment of their encounter with You.

YOU WHO ARE THE TRUTH, provide us with the gift of wisdom and science in order to penetrate the mystery of man and his transcendent destiny as we draw near to him in order to discover the causes of his malady and find suitable remedies for it.

YOU WHO ARE THE LIFE, provide us with the gift of preaching and bearing witness to the ‘Gospel of life’ in our profession, committing ourselves to defending it always, from conception to its natural end, and to respect the dignity of every human being, and especially the dignity of the weakest and the most in need.

Make us O Lord, Good Samaritans, ready to welcome, treat, and console those we encounter in our work. Following the example of the holy medical doctors who have preceded us, help us to offer our generous contribution to the constant renewal of health care structures.

Bless our studies and our profession; enlighten our research and our teaching. Lastly, grant to us, having constantly loved and served You in our suffering brethren, that at the end of our earthly pilgrimage we may contemplate your glorious countenance and experience the joy of the encounter with You in your Kingdom of joy and everlasting peace. Amen

JOHN PAUL II
THE VATICAN, JUNE 29, 2000
JESUS, MY PATIENT

Dearest Lord, may I see you today and every day in the person of your sick, and, while caring for them, minister unto you.

O beloved sick, how doubly dear you are to me, when you personify Christ; and what a privilege it is to be allowed to care for you.

Sweetest Lord, make me appreciative of the dignity of my high vocation, and its many responsibilities.

Never permit me to disgrace it by giving way to coldness, unkindness or impatience.

And O God, while you are Jesus, my patient, deign also to be patient with me, bearing with my faults, looking only to my intention, which is to love and serve you in the person of each of your sick.

Lord, increase my faith, bless my efforts and work, now and forevermore. Amen

BLESSED MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA
HOW TO PRAY THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Optional Opening Prayers:

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.
O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

(Repeat 3 times) O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!

Our Father, Hail Mary and the Apostle’s Creed

For each of the five decades (On each “Our Father” bead of the rosary, pray)

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

(On each of the 10 “Hail Mary” beads, pray)
For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Concluding prayer (Repeat 3 times)
Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Optional Closing Prayer
Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.
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THE OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

I SWEAR in the presence of the Almighty and before my family, my teachers and my peers that according to my ability and judgment I will keep this oath and stipulation:

TO RECKON all who have taught me this art equally dear to me as my parents and in the same spirit and dedication to impart a knowledge of the art of medicine to others. I will continue with diligence to keep abreast of advances in medicine. I will treat without exception all who seek my ministrations, so long as the treatment of others is not compromised thereby, and I will seek the counsel of particularly skilled physicians where indicated for the benefit of my patient.

I WILL FOLLOW that method of treatment which according to my ability and judgment, I consider for the benefit of my patient and abstain from whatever is harmful or mischievous. I will neither prescribe nor administer a lethal dose of medicine to any patient even if asked nor counsel any such thing nor perform act or omission with direct intent deliberately to end a human life. I will maintain the utmost respect for every human life from fertilization to natural death and reject abortion that deliberately takes a unique human life.

WITH PURITY, HOLINESS, AND BENEFICENCE I will pass my life and practice my art. Except for the prudent correction of imminent danger, I will neither treat any patient nor carry out any research on any human being without the valid informed consent of the subject or the appropriate legal protector thereof, understanding that research must have as its purpose the furtherance of the health of that individual. Into whatever patient setting I enter, I will go for the benefit of the sick and will abstain from every voluntary act of mischief or corruption and also from the seduction of any patient.

WHATEVER IN CONNECTION with my professional practice or not in connection with it I may see or hear in the lives of my patients which ought not be spoken abroad I will not divulge, reckoning that all such should be kept secret.

WHILE I CONTINUE to keep this oath unviolated may it be granted to me to enjoy life and the practice of the art and science of medicine with the blessing of the Almighty and respected by my peers and society, but should I trespass and violate this Oath, may the reverse be my lot.

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CME INFORMATION

INTENDED AUDIENCE

This activity is intended for physicians, osteopathic physicians, dental surgeons, dentists, physicians in training (e.g. residents, interns, and medical students), scientists, members of the clergy, seminarians, and people of good will (general public).

THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE DESIGNATION STATEMENT

The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine (JHU SOM) Office of Continuing Medical Education is pleased to inform that the activity, Virtuous Medicine, The Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician scheduled for October 12 - 16, 2016, has been approved by the JHU SOM Advisory Committee on Continuing Medical Education for a maximum of 7.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE

The annual conference provides varied talks, with different objectives for each talk (please see individual talk descriptions uploaded in Activity Content section for those objectives). In general, objectives for the whole conference are:

1. By the end of this conference, participants will understand that it is important to work effectively in medicine, but it is also imperative to do so in a virtuous way.

2. By the end of this conference, participants will comprehend that being a virtuous physician or health care professional means to do the right thing readily, spontaneously, and with intrinsic concern for the patient’s well-being.

CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

The 2016 CMA 85th Annual Education Conference will be held from October 13-15, 2016 in Washington, D.C. Our theme is: “Virtuous Medicine, the Joy and Privilege of the Catholic Physician”. Our theme was inspired, in part, by Pope Francis’ apostolic exhortation “Evangelii Gaudium” or “The Joy of the Gospel.” In it, he invites all Christians to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ or at least openness to letting Him encounter us. Pope Francis reminds us that no one is excluded from the joy brought by the Lord. This document is a call to action for the world’s believers. It covers a wide range of topics including evangelization and an increased openness to the role of the laity which form the backdrop of our theme. Our Episcopal Advisor, Most Reverend James D. Conley, D.D., will open our conference with a more detailed review of this document.

As Catholic physicians, nurses and healthcare professionals we are in a unique position to evangelize a number of individuals on a daily basis. We are ‘missionary disciples’ and have multiple opportunities to live and share our faith not only through our words but more importantly through our actions.

To effectively evangelize as Catholic healthcare professionals, it is important that we do so in a virtuous way. Being virtuous means not only to do the right thing but to do good readily, spontaneously, and with joy. As Catholic Christians and healthcare professionals, virtue is based, as Saint JPII outlined in his apostolic letter “Novo Millennio Ineunte” or “At the Beginning of the New Millenium” on “a high standard of ordinary Christian Living”. Let me repeat that, virtue is based on “a high standard of ordinary Christian living”.
### 2016 CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

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*Summary of Pope Francis’ Apostolic Exortation Evangelii Gaudium*

**MOST REV. JAMES D. CONLEY, D.D. BISHOP OF LINCOLN, NE**

10:05 AM  
*The Virtuous Physician*

**DANIEL SULMASY M.D., PH.D.**

10:45 AM  
Break

11:00 AM  
*From Medicine to Ministry - From Curing to Healing*

**PAT FOSARELLI, M.D.**

11:30 AM  
Confessions

11:40 AM  
Roundtable

12:00 PM  
Lunch

1:00 PM  
*The Rise of Christianity and the Emergence of the Hospital*

**MIKE AQUILINA**

1:45 PM  
*Perinatal Hospice: What it means to do no harm -  Medical Ethics and anomalous pregnancies*

**BYRON C. CALHOUN, M.D.**

1:45 PM  
Allied Health Professional Breakout

**RITA STANISLAWSKI PA-C, MARY NELABOVIGE, M.A., B.S., THERES A. RODDA, PT.**

2:25 PM  
Break

2:40 PM  
*Practicing Holy Medicine*

**DEACON WILLIAM V. WILLIAMS, M.D.**

2:40 PM  
Confessions

3:20 PM  
Roundtable

3:40 PM  
Divine Mercy Chaplet

4:00 PM  
Visit exhibitors and have them highlight their name on Conference Exhibitor Drawing Form for a chance to win a $100.00 gift card

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Visit poster session where students and CMA members will present their academic and scientific posters.

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85th Annual Educational Conference of the Catholic Medical Association
2016 CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

7:00 AM  Rosary  Regency Ballroom
7:30 AM  Mass  Regency Ballroom
**Celebrant: Most Rev. Martin D. Holley, Auxiliary Bishop of Washington, DC**

8:15 AM  Breakfast  Ambassador

9:15 AM  Andrew Wyeth, Christina Olson, and the Art of Medicine  Regency Ballroom
Philip Mackowiak, M.D.

10:00 AM  Role of Medical Professional in Exorcism and Deliverance  Regency Ballroom
Cynthia B. Hunt, M.D.

10:15 AM  Confessions  Council, Senate, Forum
10:40 AM  Break - Gift Card Drawing  Ambassador

10:55 AM  Practicing Medicine in Light of the Gospel  Regency Ballroom
Deacon John M. Travaline, M.D.

11:35 AM  Roundtable  Regency Ballroom

11:50 AM  Divine Mercy Chaplet  Regency Ballroom
12:00 PM  Lunch  Regency Ballroom
1:15 PM  General Assembly  Regency Ballroom
1:00 PM  Confessions  Council, Senate, Forum
1:00 PM  Nurse Breakout Session  Palladian
Marie T. Hilliard, J.C.L., Ph.D., R.N.

1:00 PM  Medical Resident Breakout Session  Diplomat
Ashley Stone, M.D., Rev. William D. Byrne, S.T.L., Brian Bamberger, M.D.

3:30 PM  Buses begin departing for Basilica for those interested in a tour before Mass

5:15 PM  White Mass  Basilica of National Shrine of Immaculate Conception
**Celebrant: His Eminence Donald Cardinal Wuerl**

6:15 PM  Buses return to hotel

7:00 PM  Banquet Cocktail Reception  Ambassador
7:30 PM  Banquet & Keynote Speaker  Regency Ballroom
**Ralph Martin: The New Evangelization: What is it? Why Bother?**

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16**

8:00 AM  Travelers Mass  Palladium
**Rev. Matthew J. Gutowski, S.T.L.**
This year’s special event is a dinner cruise on the Spirit of Washington. Enjoy impressive Washington DC sights spectacularly lit during an evening dinner cruise along the Potomac River. You’ll be able to get incredible views of National Harbor, the Capitol Dome and the Washington Monument from Spirit of Washington’s rooftop lounge or the windows around the climate-controlled decks. Savor dishes from Spirit’s creative and contemporary dinner buffet and choose from a range of signature cocktails and other beverages at a cash bar. Be sure to use your drink ticket good for one complimentary drink courtesy of the CMA. Onboard DJ entertainment keeps the evening lively, playing popular music throughout the cruise. Cost per person is $150 for the event. Don’t miss out on this wonderful special event.

Friday Evening, October 14, 2016
Few hotels in the country can claim the significant moments, political adventures, sports heroes, entertainment firsts and milestones, debutante and inaugural balls, school proms, state society dances and weddings that have taken place over the years at Omni Shoreham Hotel.

The hotel was first conceived when Harry Bralove was walking the property between Woodley Road and 28th Street to begin construction on apartments. Fortunately, he had grander visions – a hotel that would combine temporary and residential living. He hired architect Joseph Abel to bring the vision to life with Renaissance and Art Deco architectural and decorative features. The state-of-the-art building featured fireproofing, running ice water, an indoor ice rink in the lounge and high-speed Westbrook elevators and cost $4 million.

For the Shoreham’s opening night on October 30, 1930, legendary bandleader and entertainer Rudy Vallee was scheduled to perform a sold-out event – Vallee’s appearance may have made this the social affair of the year. Unfortunately, due to weather and travel delays, Vallee and his Connecticut Yankees were only able to perform for 15 minutes.

Vallee’s abbreviated performance was the just the first of many major special events to take place at the hotel, including Franklin Delano Roosevelt’s first inaugural ball. For the next 70 years, all inaugural balls were held at the Shoreham.

Entertainers flocked to the Shoreham, as well, especially to the famed Blue Room on the Terrace and the Marquee Lounge. These included Judy Garland, Aretha Franklin, Pearl Bailey, Benny Goodman, Peggy Lee, Abbe Lane, George Kirby, Clancy Bros and Tommy Makem, Gordon & Sheila MacRae, Bob Newhart, Phyllis Diller, Enzo Stuarti, Eartha Kitt, Edie Adams, Van Johnson, Peter Lind Hayes and Mary Healy, Nelson Eddy & Gale Sherwood, Jerry Vale, Teresa Brewer, Petula Clark, Jose Molina Bailes Espanoles, Bill Cosby, the New Christy Minstrels, Tony Bennett, Pam Bricker, and Bob Hope.

Politicians have also been drawn to the hotel. Senator Stuart Symington (D-Mo.) was among the seven U.S. senators, 18 congressmen, and diplomats and their families who have resided at the Shoreham. President Harry Truman was a frequent guest, playing poker with Symington, Speaker of the House John McCormack (D-Ma.), and William “Fishbait” Miller, the doorkeeper of the House, throughout many a night in room 406D. Senator Warren G. Magnuson (D-Wa.) was another resident of the Shoreham and also played poker regularly with Truman.
The Shoreham has also played host to famous sports figures. In 1941, New York Yankees Manager Joe McCarthy and teammates of Joe DiMaggio surprised the Yankee Clipper with a party in room 609D in honor of the slugger’s 56-game hitting streak.

**Shoreham Fun Facts:**

- The Beatles stayed at the Shoreham during their first trip to the U.S. Their hand-written set list is printed on Shoreham stationery & displayed in the lobby.
- The “Ghost Suite,” #870, is said to be haunted by two ghosts; a former Executive Housekeeper & a young girl.
- “Hail to the Redskins!” – the fight song for the Washington Redskins – was written in the Blue Room and debuted on August 17, 1938.
- When Franklin Delano Roosevelt had his first presidential inaugural ball at the Shoreham, the hotel had a ramp and elevator installed to accommodate his needs.
In 1846, an excerpt from a Massachusetts newspaper told of “a magnificent Catholic church to be built at Washington, D.C. after the manner of the great cathedrals of the Old World from subscriptions of every Catholic Parish in America.”

Spanning the late 19th, 20th and now 21st century, American Catholics would indeed build a sanctuary that rivals those of Europe and the world, not only in size but in stature as well—in sacred art, architecture, history and heritage.

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, under her title of the Immaculate Conception, the Basilica is the nation’s preeminent Marian shrine. With over 70 chapels and oratories that relate to the peoples, cultures and traditions that are the tapestry of the Catholic faith and the mosaic of our great nation, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is indeed, America’s Catholic church.

As the largest Roman Catholic church in the United States and North America, and one of the ten largest churches in the world, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception welcomes pilgrims and tourists alike from across the country and around the world.

Located in Washington, D.C., the Basilica is renowned for its unique architecture, beautiful sacred art (the largest collection of contemporary ecclesiastical art in the world) and rich Catholic and American history and heritage.
The historic Baltimore Basilica, built from 1806-1821, was the first great metropolitan cathedral constructed in the United States after the adoption of the Constitution. America’s First Cathedral, officially known as the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, quickly became a symbol of the country’s newfound religious freedom. Two prominent Americans guided the Basilica’s design and architecture: John Carroll, the country’s first bishop, later Archbishop of Baltimore, and cousin of Charles Carroll, a signer of the Declaration of Independence; and Benjamin Henry Latrobe, father of American architecture, and Thomas Jefferson’s Architect of the Capitol. For more than 100 years until the American Revolution, the Catholic Church consisted of a persecuted but devout minority. With the adoption of the new Constitution, Church leaders wanted to build a cathedral to celebrate their newly acquired right to publicly worship. Bishop Carroll eschewed the popular Gothic Revival and adopted the neoclassical (romantic classicism) architecture of the new federal city in Washington. He wanted an architectural symbol for the Catholic Church in this new republic that was uniquely considered “American.” Learning of Bishop Carroll’s effort, Latrobe volunteered his architectural services. President Jefferson’s
insistence on skylights for the U.S. Capitol inspired Latrobe and his design for the Cathedral's grand dome. The Basilica, which culminated years of architectural refinement by Latrobe, is now considered one of the world's finest examples of 19th century architecture.

“When the Cathedral was first constructed, the only building that could compete with it in size, scale, and architectural sophistication was the United States Capitol,” said Jack Waite, Principal Architect with John G. Waite Associates, Architects. “Architecturally, it was the most advanced building in the country.”

Situated majestically on a hill above Baltimore Harbor, the historic Basilica was the center of the country’s first archdiocese, from which two-thirds of U.S. Catholic dioceses can trace their heritage. Under its auspices also came a series of other firsts, including the first order of African-American Religious, the Oblate Sisters of Providence, founded by Mother Mary Lange.

Once construction was completed, the Basilica began a distinguished history that continues to this day. In 1829, the First Provincial Council of Baltimore, held at the Basilica, asserted the need for Catholic schools.

Six other Provincial Councils and Three Plenary Councils followed, guiding the Church as the country moved westward, and its Catholic population increased with new immigrants. The First Plenary Council in 1852 extended the legislation of the Seven Provincial Councils to the entire country. Following the American Civil War, the Second Plenary Council in 1866, whose guests included President Andrew Johnson, achieved peace for the Church and called for the evangelization of Native and African-Americans. The Third Plenary Council, the largest meeting of Catholic Bishops held outside of Rome since the Council of Trent (December 13, 1545-December 4, 1563), commissioned the famous Baltimore Catechism, which taught generations of Catholics the basics of their faith. Father Michael J. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, was ordained at the Basilica in 1877.

In April 1906, the 100th anniversary of the laying of the Cathedral's cornerstone was observed with a Pontifical Mass celebrated by James Cardinal Gibbons. Pope Pius XI raised the Cathedral to the rank of a Minor Basilica in 1937; in 1972, it was declared a National Landmark; and in 1993, the National Conference of Catholic Bishops designated the Cathedral a National Shrine.

“No other Catholic edifice in America can claim to have seen so much history made inside its walls,” observed George Weigel, acclaimed biographer of Pope John Paul II, and NBC News Vatican analyst. Since 1976, the Basilica has hosted visits by Pope John Paul II, Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, and Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew I of Constantinople. Today, it is the focus of a diverse and revitalized neighborhood, the Mount Vernon Cultural District. In 2001, under the leadership of Cardinal William H. Keeler, 14th Archbishop of Baltimore, the Basilica of the Assumption Historic Trust, Inc. launched a campaign to restore the neglected Basilica to Latrobe's original vision. The restoration included providing public access to the Archbishop's crypt; the construction of a Chapel in the undercroft; incorporation of the Basilica Museum; handicap accessibility to the entire Basilica; a complete overhaul of the Basilica's infrastructure; and much, much more.

Today, the Baltimore Basilica, now fully repaired and restored, welcomes new generations to pray and explore, at America's First Cathedral!
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