## HEALTHCARE ETHICS TALK

Please join us for a discussion on

## WHAT IS A GOOD DEATH? TRUSTING IN GOD AND OUR CATHOLIC CARE TRADITION AT THE END-OF-LIFE



Please join us to reflect upon our baptismal calling to join Christ in living and in dying as well as what it means for a Christian community to care for those near the end of life—which includes neither hastening death nor prolonging the dying. We shall explore the role of compassionate caring as well as some of the spiritual and ethical issues involved in providing good and loving care at a most vulnerable and precious time of life.



## **FEATURED SPEAKER**



Rev. Mark is a Redemptorist priest who holds a M.Div. from the Toronto School of Theology and a Ph.D. in Moral Theology from the University of Notre Dame (1992). His doctorate was entitled "Attending to a Common Language: Pursuing the Christian Specificity of Moral Theology out of the Thought of Bernard Lonergan, SJ" in which he grounded the discipline of ethics in the philosophical anthropology and methodology of Bernard Lonergan.

Rev. Mark brings many different talents to our institutions, with many years of experience in teaching ethics, in working in Catholic Health Care ethics, and in leadership in his religious order. He has worked as a clinical bioethicist at

St. Paul's Hospital in Saskatoon, at St. Joseph's Health Centre in Toronto, as an ethics consultant, as a lecturer in moral theology, as well as teaching in lay formation programs. Since 1975 he has held a number of leadership roles within the Edmonton Province (later Edmonton-Toronto Province) of the Redemptorists, most recently as Provincial (2009-2019) for the Edmonton-Toronto Province and as Regional Coordinator (2019-23) for the Redemptorist Province of Canada.

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