

Dr. Maureen Day YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS Why Questions Are Better Than Answers

Jesuit School of Theology

Thursday, Nov. 29, 2018 – 7PM 1735 LeRoy Avenue, Berkeley Pizza & Beer Dinner 6:15PM

> Please RSVP for dinner to Mary Beth Lamb at melamb@scu.edu by Wednesday, Nov. 28

A growing number of studies are examining Catholic young adults and they are all reporting the same results: young adults are leaving in droves. However, when these studies are examined more closely, they offer a more interesting story than the "leaving in droves" narrative provides. This talk will explore the ways people are studying young adults, lift up important takeaways from these studies, and distill a set of questions to craft a ministry for Catholic millennials.

Dr. Day is the Assistant Professor of **Religion and Society** at the Franciscan School of Theology and Research Fellow at the Center for Church Management at Villanova Univeristy. She is a member of the Alliance for Campus Ministry. She has provided her expertise on young adults to the Church, co-authoring the USCCB report for the 2017 National Study of Catholic Campus Ministry.

Dr. Day will also be leading a conversation with students interested in discussing her work, academia, and the book-writing process.

Manresa Lounge, Jesuit School of Theology

Across from reception desk

12:30 PM