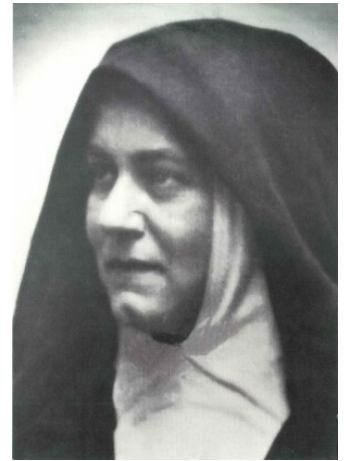


**2010 Annual Conference on Christian Philosophy**  
FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY OF STEUBENVILLE

**Edith Stein's**  
*FINITE*  
*and*  
*ETERNAL BEING*



April 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> 2010

Sponsored by the

**M.A. Program in Philosophy**  
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**Friday April 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**MORNING SESSIONS**

**Continental Breakfast and Registration**

**Totino Room: St. Joseph Center**

**7:30 – 8:30 A. M.**

**Opening Welcoming and Address**

**Seminar Room: St. Joseph Center**

**8:30 A.M. -10:00 A.M.**

**Mark Roberts**

**Director, MA Philosophy Program**

**Editor, Quaestiones Disputatae**

**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**Thomistic Realism and the Phenomenology of  
Essences, with a little bit of Kant**

**Respondents**

**Fr. Joseph Koterski, S.J.**

**Fordham University**

**Fritz Wenisch**

**University of Rhode Island**

**SESSION ONE**

**Seminar Room: St. Joseph Center**

**10:15 A.M.– 12:15 P.M.**

**Chair: Antonio Calgano**

**King's University College,**

**University of Western Ontario**

**Jason Bell**  
Mount Allison University  
**Edith Stein and Winthrop Bell**

**George Kovacs**  
Florida International University  
**The Uniqueness of Edith Stein's Approach  
to the Question of Being**

**Kimberly Baltzer Jaray**  
Independent Scholar  
**The *Nature* of Things, According to Reinach**

**Lunch for Conference Participants**  
Totino Room: St. Joseph Center  
12:15 P.M.

## **AFTERNOON SESSIONS**

**SESSION TWO**  
Seminar Room: St. Joseph Center  
1:15 – 2:35 P.M.

Chair: **Kimberly Baltzer Jaray**  
Independent Scholar

**Nicholas Rescher**  
University of Pittsburgh  
**Can Philosophy be Founded on Pure Natural Reason?**

**Antonio Calgano**  
**King's University College, University of Western Ontario**  
**Being-One and Being-Whole:**  
**Edith Stein's Philosophy of Community**  
**in her Early Work and in her later**  
***Finite and Eternal Being***

**SESSION THREE**  
**Seminar Room: St. Joseph Center**  
**2:50 – 4:50 P.M.**

**Panel Discussion**

**Being and God. Chapters Two and Seven**  
**Organizer and Chair: Glenn Chicoine**

**Sr. Marian Maskulak, CPS**  
**St. John's University**  
**Edith Stein's Trinitarian Ontology**

**Glenn Chicoine**  
**University of Dallas**  
**A Reading of Edith Stein's Argument for**  
**Eternal Being or God in Finite and**  
**Eternal Being, Chapter Two**

**Christopher T. Haley**  
**University of Dallas**  
**Manifesting Meaning: Art, Truth, and**  
**Community in Edith Stein**

**Dinner for Conference Participants**

**Totino Room: St. Joseph's Center**

**Wine and Refreshments 6:00 P.M.**

**Dinner 6:20 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.**

**EVENING SESSION**

**Seminar Room: St. Joseph Center**

**7:30 P.M.**

**Welcoming Remarks**

**Dr. Max Bonilla**

**Vice-President for Academic Affairs**

**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

**Sarah Borden Sharkey**

**Wheaton College**

**Eternal Rest:**

**The Beauty and Challenge of Essential Being**

*Reception Immediately Following*

*Totino Room: St. Joseph Center*

**Saturday April 24<sup>th</sup>**

**MORNING SESSIONS**

**Continental Breakfast and Registration**

**Totino Room: St. Joseph Center**

**7:30 – 8:30 A. M.**

**SESSION FOUR**

**Concurrent Session: St. Joseph Center**

**8:30 – 9:50 A.M.**

**Session Four (A)**

**Room A: St. Joseph Center**

**Chair: Joseph Friona**

**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**Michael Jones**

**University of Dallas**

**Soul and Metaphor in *Finite and Eternal Being***

**David. M. Cudnik**

**University of Dallas**

**Did Homer Really Know Achilles?  
The Pure Form of Fictitious Characters in  
Edith Stein's *Finite and Eternal Being***

**Session Four (B)**

**Room B: St. Joseph Center**

**Chair: Catherine Nolan**

**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**Andrew Summerson**

**Byzantine Catholic Seminary**

**The Philosopher as Martyr:  
Submission and Death in *Finite and Eternal Being***

**Holly Mohr**  
Duquesne University  
**Woman's Ascent to Being**

**SESSION FIVE**

Concurrent Session: St. Joseph Center  
10:10 A.M.– 12:10 P.M.

**Session Five (A)**

Room A: St. Joseph Center

Chair: Jonathan Sanford  
Franciscan University of Steubenville

**Timothy Martell**  
Murray State University  
**Person and Community in Stein's Critique  
of Heidegger's Existential Philosophy**

**Robert Fastiggi**  
Sacred Heart Major Seminary  
**Human Personhood and the Imago Dei  
in *Finite and Eternal Being***

**Vincent Wargo**  
North Dakota State University  
Cardinal Muench Seminary  
**Reading against the Grain:  
Stein's confrontation with Heidegger as  
an Encounter with Hermeneutical Phenomenology**

**Session Five (B)**

**Room B: St. Joseph Center**

**Chair: Fritz Wenisch  
University of Rhode Island**

**James Baresal  
Franciscan University of Steubenville  
Saint Edith Stein's Theory of Christian Philosophy  
in Light of the Papal Encyclicals**

**Mary Schwarz  
Mater Ecclesiae College  
Christian Philosophy as a True Science:  
Reflections on the Nature of Philosophy  
according to Edith Stein**

**William Tullius  
New School for Social Research  
Faith, Reason, and the Place of  
'Christian Philosophy' in Edith Stein**

**Lunch for Conference Participants  
Totino Room: St. Joseph Center  
12:15 P.M.**

**AFTERNOON SESSIONS**

**SESSION SIX  
Concurrent Session: St. Joseph Center  
1:15 – 3:15 P.M.**



**Session Six (A)**

**Room A: St. Joseph Center**

**Chair: John Crosby**  
**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**John Finley**  
**Thomas Aquinas College**  
**Stein and Aquinas on Human Individuation**

**Marjorie Rowe**  
**Franciscan University of Steubenville**  
**The Necessity of Individual Forms**  
**for Human Individuation**

**Christopher S. Morrissey**  
**Redeemer Pacific College**  
**Hylemorphism and Individuation:**  
**Edith Stein's Protosemiotic Revision of Thomism?**

**Session Six (B)**

**Room B: St. Joseph Center**

**Chair: Paul Symington**  
**Franciscan University of Steubenville**

**Ron P. Muller**  
**Cardinal Newman Liberal Arts Project**  
**Edith Stein's Phenomenology of Pure Form**  
**[Wesenheiten] in *Finite and Eternal Being***

**Karl Schudt**  
**Benedictine College**  
**Edith Stein and Apophatic Theology**

**Victor Salas**  
**Sacred Heart Major Seminary**  
**Edith Stein on Essential Being:**  
**A Repetition of Henry of Ghent's *esse essentiae***

**SESSION SEVEN**

**Rooms A & B: St. Joseph Center**  
**3:30 P.M.-4:15 P.M.**

**Chair: Fritz Wenisch**  
**University of Rhode Island**

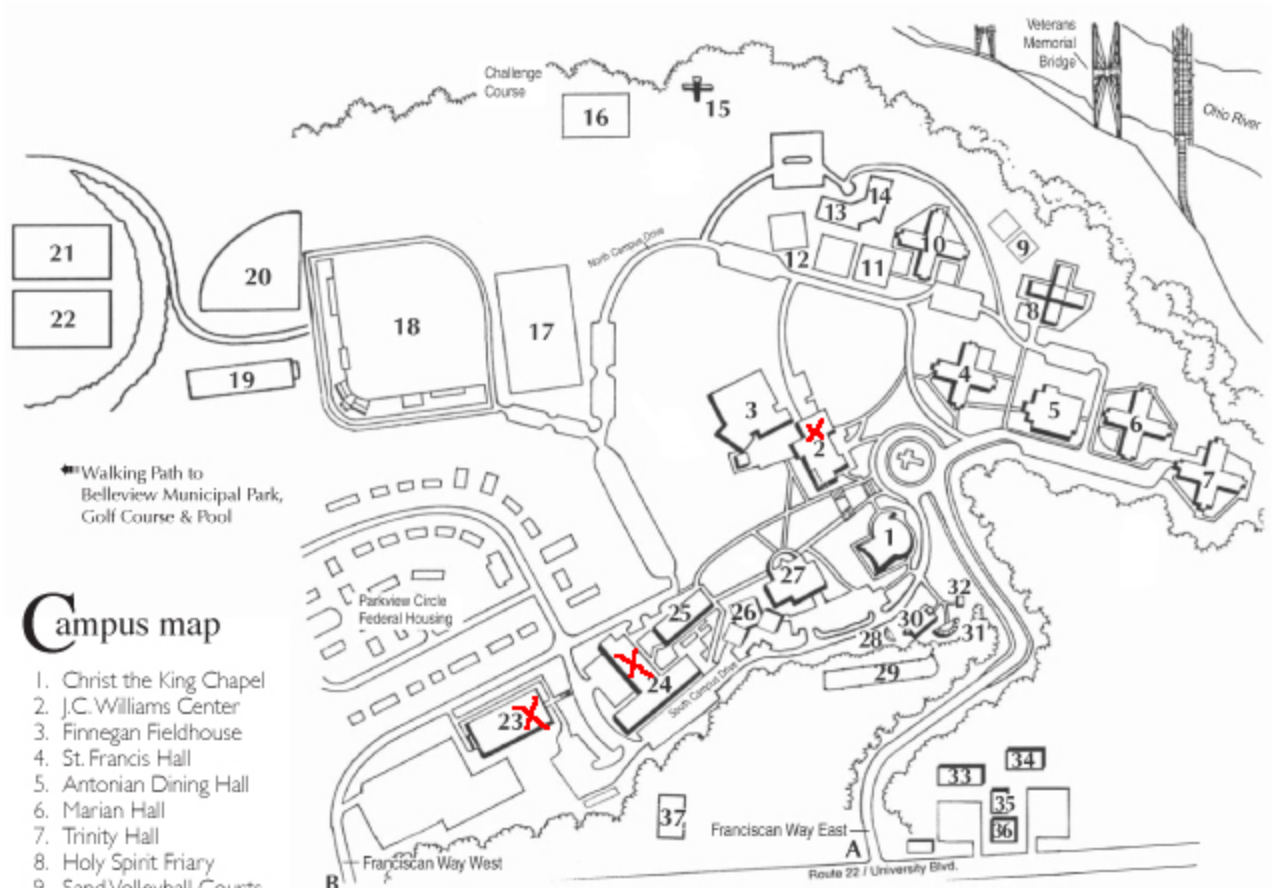
**John Crosby**  
**Franciscan University of Steubenville**  
**In Defense of Edith Stein on *Einzelwesen***  
**and Personal Individuality**

**CLOSING REMARKS**

**Sarah Borden Sharkey**

**Banquet**  
**Seminar Room, St. Joseph Center**  
**Wine and Refreshments 6:15 P.M.**  
**Dinner 6:45**





### Campus map

- 1. Christ the King Chapel
- 2. J.C. Williams Center
- 3. Finnegan Fieldhouse
- 4. St. Francis Hall
- 5. Antonian Dining Hall
- 6. Marian Hall
- 7. Trinity Hall
- 8. Holy Spirit Friary
- 9. Sand Volleyball Courts
- 10. St. Thomas More Hall
- 11. Basketball Court
- 12. Tennis Courts
- 13. Clare Hall
- 14. Kolbe Hall
- 15. Steel Cross
- 16. Soccer Field
- 17. Soccer Field
- 18. Vaccaro Baseball Field
- 19. Physical Plant Services
- 20. Softball Field

- 21/22. Memorial Fields
- 23. St. Joseph Center
- 24. Egan / Stafford Hall
- 25. Starvaggi Hall
- 26. SS. Cosmas & Damian Science Hall
- 27. John Paul II Library
- 28. Marian Grotto
- 29. Stations of the Cross
- 30. Portiuncula Chapel
- 31. Nativity Scene

- 32. Tomb of the Unborn Child
  - 33. St. Bonaventure Hall
  - 34. Vianney Hall
  - 35. Scotus Hall
  - 36. Heavenly Grounds Coffee House
  - 37. Padua Hall
- A. Main Entrance  
B. West Entrance

### NOTES