

Development Executives, Wheat Ridge Ministries, the Lutheran School Association, Valparaiso University and the Long Island Lutheran faculty and staff. Dr. Hahn and his wife Janet (also a called Lutheran teacher) are blessed with three great daughters: Julie (23), Kristin (20) and Allison (18). They are active members of The Lutheran Church of the Resurrection in Garden City, NY. Dave currently serves on regional boards of Habitat for Humanity and the Lutheran Counseling Center. He continues to be actively involved with the Association of Lutheran Secondary Schools (Past President) and the Association of Lutheran Development Executives (Past VP). When he gets a chance, Dave likes to travel, golf, fish, scuba dive and generally enjoy life with family and friends.



Previous Symposia

The Christian View of Embryonic Stem Cell Research, May 21, 2005

*Dr. Maureen Daddona, The Rev. Randolph Jon Geminder
The Rev. John G. Fleischmann, Mr. Raymond J. Keating*



A Presentation of the *Christian View Series* of

**CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
100 Frowein Road
East Moriches, New York**

**Saturday, October 22, 2005
9:00 a.m.**

The Program

Welcome

Deacon Bonnie E. Sherwood

Christianity and the Movies

Mr. Raymond J. Keating

Rock and Roll and My Soul: Christian Worship and Culture

The Rev. John George Fleischmann

Youth and Popular Culture

Dr. David Hahn

Rocking, Rolling, Rapping and Robbing on the Internet

Mr. Raymond J. Keating

Discussion will follow each presentation.



The Presenters

Raymond J. Keating is a columnist, economist and author. His weekly column for *Newsday*, one of the largest daily circulation newspapers in the nation, covers political, economic, religious and cultural issues from a generally conservative perspective. Keating also writes the weekly “On the Church and Society” column, which appears at OrthodoxyToday.org, a website featuring commentary on religious, societal and cultural topics, and haphazardly in other publications. In addition, Keating serves as the chief economist for the Small Business & Entrepreneurship Council in Washington D.C., and is the co-founder and principal of Capital Hill Research, an economic and political research and analysis service. Keating is the author of three books -- *U.S. by the Numbers: Figuring What's Left, Right, and Wrong with America State by State* (Capital Books, 2000); *New York by the Numbers: State and City in Perpetual Crisis* (Madison Books, 1997); and *D.C. by the Numbers: A State of Failure* (University Press of America, 1995). He is currently writing a book for the Cato Institute covering the relationship between sports, politics and government. Additionally, Mr. Keating has contributed essays to four other books. He is a contributing editor to *The Freeman*, published by the Foundation for Economic Education, and has written hundreds of studies, and articles in a wide array of publications including, among others, *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Washington Post*, *USA Today*, *The Los Angeles Daily News*, *The Boston Globe*, *USA Today* magazine, *National Review*, *The Washington Times*, *Investor's Business Daily*, *New York Post*, *Daily News*, *Detroit Free Press*, and *Chicago Tribune*. Mr. Keating received a Bachelor of Science Degree with a double major in Economics and Business Administration from Saint Joseph's College,

December, 1985. He received an MBA in Banking and Finance from Hofstra University, 1987, and received a Master of Arts degree in Economics from New York University, 1995. Mr. Keating is an active member of Christ Church, serving as Financial Secretary from 2002-2003. He has organized the *Christian View* series of presentations, as well as Christ Lutheran's “Book and Movie” Club.

The Rev. John George Fleischmann has been Pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, East Moriches, NY, for the past 14 years. Prior to serving at Christ, he was Assistant Pastor of Emanuel Lutheran Church, Patchogue NY, from 1986-1990 and Associate Pastor of Emanuel from 1990-1991. He has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Church Music from Concordia College, Bronxville, NY (1982) and a Master of Divinity degree from Concordia Seminary, Saint Louis, MO (1986). He was ordained on August 10, 1986, in Pennsauken, New Jersey. Rev. Fleischmann has written several hymns and articles that have been published, is a member of the Society of the Holy Trinity, and serves as an instructor in the Atlantic District-LCMS diaconate program. He is the author of the present workbook on the Letter to the Romans utilized by the diaconate program. Recently he was the keynote speaker at the Atlantic District Diaconate Convocation. From 1998-2000, he served as a member of the Long Island Lutheran-Roman Catholic Dialogue. He is also an adjunct professor at Suffolk County Community College. Additionally, Pastor is a certified New York State Paramedic, graduating from the School of Health Technology and Management of Stony Brook University, and works with Suffolk County Emergency Medical Services as the director of the Critical Incident Stress Management Team. He was actively involved in the recovery efforts for both the TWA Flight 800 disaster and following the attacks on our country in 2001, ministering to rescue personnel in both a physical and spiritual capacity. He is a Board Certified Expert in Traumatic Stress by the American Association of Experts in Traumatic Stress and continues to function in the role of chaplain/CISM team member for the County of Suffolk. Pastor and his wife, Susan, have three grown daughters: Julie Derasmo (Tampa, FL), Kate Kidder (Manhattan, KS) and Laura (Cleveland, TN). They now live with their three cats: Waldo, Smokie and Albert Einstein.

Dr. David Hahn has worked three decades in Lutheran education as a teacher and administrator. He has served Lutheran secondary schools and colleges in Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota and New York. Since 1987, Dave has been Head of School at Long Island Lutheran Middle & High School. During this time, the school has grown from 375 to 604 students, developed a top-quality faculty/staff of 85, added significant facilities and programs, enhanced its financial position and solidified its reputation as one of the finest schools in the New York metropolitan area. Under Dr. Hahn's leadership, LuHi has raised over \$15 million in a series of successful fundraising efforts, including the current \$5.7 million “Body, Mind & Soul” capital campaign. Dave is a LCMS called teaching minister with a BA from Concordia University-River Forest(IL). He earned a Masters Degree from Towson State University (MD) and his Ph.D. in Educational Administration from the University of Minnesota. In Summer 2005, Dave was selected to participate in an Executive Education program for non-profit CEO's at Harvard Business School. He has received awards from the Association of Lutheran