

## Conference Schedule

*Subject to Change*

### Friday, July 27

- 9:30 - 11:00 Conference check-in / Registration - Pilgrim center
- 10:30 a.m. Confessions available
- 11:00 a.m. Opening Mass - Main Celebrant **His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke**
- 12:45 p.m. Boxed lunch - optional (pre-purchase required)
- 2:00 p.m. Speaker: **Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda**
- 3:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 3:30 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Rosary
- 4:00 p.m. Evening Prayer and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
- 5:30 p.m. Cocktail 1/2 hour - Entertainment by **Marty Rotella**
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner with honored guests His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke, His Eminence Norberto Cardinal Rivera Carrera, Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda, and Msgr. Eduardo Chavez (limited seating)

### Saturday, July 28

- 9:30 a.m. Speaker: **His Eminence Norberto Cardinal Rivera Carrera**
- 10:30 a.m. Confessions available
- 11:00 a.m. Holy Mass - Main Celebrant **His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke**
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch Buffet - Church crypt
- 1:15 p.m. Keynote address - **His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke**
- 2:30 p.m. Speaker: **Msgr. Eduardo Chavez**
- 3:30 p.m. Holy Hour
- 5:00 p.m. Concert by **Marty Rotella**
- 5:30 p.m. Buffet dinner - Church crypt

### Sunday, July 29

- 8:30 a.m. Sunday Buffet Brunch - optional (pre-purchase required)
- 9:30 a.m. Speaker (En Español): **Msgr. Eduardo Chavez** - Church crypt
- 11:00 a.m. Pontifical Mass (En Español) - Main celebrant **His Eminence Norberto Cardinal Rivera Carrera**

## 2018 Conference at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

July 27 & 28, 2018

### Our Lady of Guadalupe - Mother of the Civilization of Love

Join the Queen of the Americas Guild for a 2-day conference/retreat examining Our Lady of Guadalupe's role as the mother of the civilization of love and what this means for us as Catholics today.

The Annual Conference for the Queen of the Americas Guild is open to all those who wish to enhance their faith and learn more about the miracle of Our Lady of Guadalupe, and the history of our faith.



His Eminence **Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke** will be our keynote speaker. As the founder of the Shrine, His Eminence has extensive knowledge of Our Lady of Guadalupe and her role as the mother of the civilization of love.

Cardinal Burke was appointed the Cardinal Patron of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta in November of 2014 and also serves on the Queen of the Americas Guild Board of Directors.

His Eminence **Norberto Cardinal Rivera Carrera**, Archbishop Emeritus of Mexico City, was born June 6, 1942 in La Purisima, Tepehuanes, Durango, Mexico.

In 1955 he entered the seminary of Durango, and later earned a doctorate in theology from the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome. He was ordained a priest on July 3, 1966 by Pope Paul VI.

In 1982 he became professor of ecclesiology at the Pontifical University of Mexico. On December 21, 1985 he received episcopal ordination from Pope John Paul II as Bishop of Tehuacan. From 1989 to 1995 he was chairman of the Mexican Episcopal Conference's Commission for the Family.



He was also a member of the superior council of the Pontifical University of Mexico.

On June 26, 1995 he was installed as the Archbishop Primate of Mexico City. He was created and proclaimed Cardinal by Pope John Paul II in the consistory of February 21, 1998. He continued his service as Primate of Mexico until his retirement on December 7, 2017.



**Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda, STL, STD** is an auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Detroit. He was born in San Luis Potosi, Mexico, and ordained to the priesthood in 1996 in San Antonio, TX. After fulfilling several teaching and formation duties, he was ordained as the youngest bishop in the United States at age 41 in April of 2011.

Bishop Cepeda is also the Vicar for the Youth and Hispanic Ministries in the Archdiocese of Detroit and serves as episcopal vicar and regional moderator for the Northwest Region of the Archdiocese. His Excellency also serves as Episcopal Moderator for the Queen of the Americas Guild.



**Msgr. Eduardo Chavez** is co-founder and rector of the Institute for Guadalupean Studies, and is a canon of the Basilica of Guadalupe. Born in Mexico City, he studied philosophy and theology in the Institute for Ecclesiastical Studies at Mexico's Conciliar Seminary. He was ordained on Aug. 15, 1981, in the Archdiocese of Mexico City. He holds a diploma in philosophy from the Universidad del Valle de Atemajac in Guadalajara and a doctorate in Church history from the Pontifical Gregorian University.

On May 17, 2001, Norberto Cardinal Rivera Carrera appointed him postulator for the cause of Saint Juan Diego, who was canonized on July 31, 2002. Msgr. Chavez was also general secretary for Pope John Paul II's visit to Mexico. Msgr. Chavez has made many contributions to the study of the Guadalupean event, addressing major academic institutions internationally and publishing more than 28 books and articles.

Enjoy music by Grammy-nominated Catholic singer, songwriter, and producer **Marty Rotella**. Marty has appeared on EWTN, written, performed and produced many musical CD's, and docudramas and documentaries on a variety of religious subjects. Marty will also serve as our Master of Ceremonies.

