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"Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope"

- 1 Peter 3:15

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# APOLOGETICS CONFERENCE

## *" Basics in Defending the Faith"*

December 4th & December 5th 2015

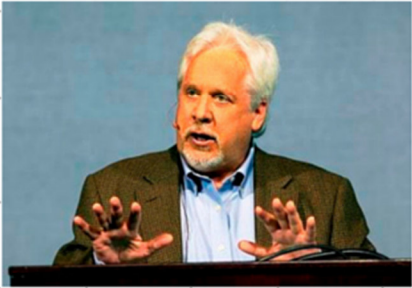
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## KEN HENSLEY



Since converting from Protestantism to Catholicism in 1996, Ken Hensley has appeared a number of times on Catholic radio and television and has been invited to speak at Catholic parishes and conferences throughout the country on subjects ranging from apologetics to scripture, theology, church history and spirituality.

"I came to faith in Christ at the age of 22 in an evangelical, non-denominational Protestant environment. My passion to understand, teach and defend the Christian worldview was immediate and led me over time to earn a bachelors degree in theology and then a Master of Arts degree in theology from Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, California in 1983.

In the spring of 1993, I learned that a good friend from my seminary days, Scott Hahn, had converted to the Catholic faith. In September of 1996, I resigned my pastoral ministry and at Easter Vigil 1997 was received into the Catholic Church with my wife, Tina."

Hensley co-authored *The Godless Delusion: A Catholic Challenge to Modern Atheism*, with Patrick Madrid. The book is described as "A full-scale frontal assault on the New Atheist's stronghold... With remorseless logic, wit, skill, and boundless, joyful enthusiasm. Madrid and Hensley show that the secularist's pose of moral and rational superiority is undermined by its own fundamental assumptions."

Ken Hensley currently works with Patrick Madrid and Dr. Peter Kreeft, presenting an intensive weekend "Apologetics Academy" in cities around the country.

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## JESSE ROMERO



As St. Jerome taught, "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ." Therefore, study the Bible from a historically Catholic-Christian perspective, with an emphasis on living out your Catholic Faith with a positive excitement that comes from the sure biblical knowledge that Jesus Christ, God-made-Man, is deeply and passionately in love with each of us — each presentation is offered in a Christ-centered, spirit-filled & evangelical style.

Jesse Romero has a Masters Degree in Catholic Theology from Franciscan University of Steubenville, OH. Before and since then, he has spent his time teaching, speaking, writing, and giving Bible studies and conferences on all matters Catholic. Jesse has also served at the parish level as the director of religious education at a small but growing parish 40 minutes north of Los Angeles, CA.

After rediscovering his Catholic roots, Jesse studied and prayed his way back to a fervent on-going practice of the Catholic Faith. Through his experiences with non-Catholics and fallen-away Catholics alike, Jesse is well-versed on all Catholic issues and topics and, as a bilingual speaker, specializes in evangelization, youth events, apologetics seminars, conferences of all sizes and bible studies.

Jesse holds a B.A. in Liberal Arts from Mount St Mary's College in Los Angeles and he has a Masters Degree in Catholic Theology from Franciscan University of Steubenville in Ohio. As the proud parents of Paul, AnnMarie and Joshua, Jesse and his wife Anita have been happily married since 1983.



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## Upcoming Events & Ministries

### **Adult Apologetics Group**

*Faith Formation*  
(805) 526-5513

When: Wednesdays - 1/27, 2/17, 3/9, 4/20, 5/18

What: Catholic Apologetics group for adults

Where: Room 9 St. Rose School

### **SubRosa Young Adult Apologetics Group**

*SubRosa Catholic Young Adult Ministries*  
(805) 428-3755

When: 1st Friday of every month

What: All Young Adults are welcome

Where: Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf  
2944 Tapo Canyon Rd, Simi Valley CA

### **Catholics Say What?!: Teen Apologetics Group**

*St. Rose Youth Ministry*  
(805) 526-8181

When: 3rd Friday of every month

What: For all teens in high school

Location: Youth Ministry Office

Contact the Rectory for more information  
(805) 526-1732

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## Speakers



Jesse Romero



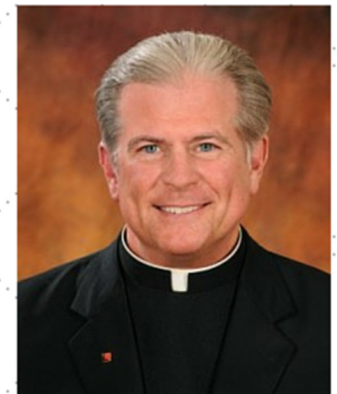
Ken Hensley



Fr. Joseph Shea  
Pastor



Fr. Bill Nicholas



Fr. Dave Heney

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## HORARIO DEL CONGRESO

*Las conferencias en español – Lugar: La sala*

### **Sábado, el 5 de diciembre**

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Comprobando Historicamente La Veracidad de La Iglesia Catolica – Por Jesse Romero
12:00 PM – 1:15 PM	Almuerzo

*Las conferencias en inglés – Lugar: La iglesia*

1:15 – 2:15 PM	La iglesia católica: La madre de lmodernas - Por P. Bill Nicholas
2:15 – 2:30 PM	Pausa
2:30 – 3:30 PM	Cómo NO compartir la fe – Por P. Dave Heney
3:30 – 3:45 PM	Pausa
3:45 – 4:30 PM	Una sesión de preguntas y respuestas – Por todos oradores
5:00 – 6:00 PM	Misa

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## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

*English- Church*

### **Friday December 4th**

6:00 – 6:30 PM	Check-in/Arrival
6:30 – 7:00 PM	Prayer & Welcoming
7:00 – 9:00 PM	Did Jesus Start the Catholic Church? - <i>Jesse Romero</i>

### **Saturday December 5th**

9:00 – 10:30 AM	How to Evangelize Those Who Doubt the Existence of God- <i>Ken Hensley</i>
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 – 11:45 AM	Catholic Apologetics - <i>Fr. Joe</i>
11:45 – 1:15 PM	Lunch
1: 15 – 2:15	Catholic Church: Mother of Modern Science - <i>Fr. Bill Nicholas</i>
2:15 – 2:30 PM	Break
2:30- 3:30 PM	How NOT to Share Your Faith – <i>Fr. Dave Heney</i>
3:30 – 3:45 PM	Break
3:45 – 4:30 PM	Q & A - <i>Speaker Panel</i>
5:00 – 6:00 PM	Mass