

Thomas More Studies Conference

at the University of Dallas, <u>www.udallas.edu</u>, <u>www.thomasmorestudies.org</u>

THOMAS MORE ON TRIAL:

Law and Conscience in More's Last Letters and Trial Accounts

- 10.5 CLE Credits approved-

7-8 November 2008

Friday, Nov. 7, 2008 [4.5 CLE credits, ethics & participatory, possible for this afternoon and evening]

2:00 – 3:30 p.m. Oaths, Conscience, and Bad Faith in More's Prison Letters

Dr. Stephen Foley, Brown Univ; Editor, Yale Complete Works of Thomas More

Thomas More as Witness in the Prison Letters

Dr. Katherine G. Rodgers, ARC; Editor, Yale Complete Works of Thomas More Chair: **Dr. Clarence Miller**, Executive Editor, Yale Complete Works of Thomas More

4:00 – 5:30 p.m. Counsel, Comfort, & Conscience in More's Letters to Fellow-Prisoner Wilson

Dr. John F. Boyle, Professor, Theology Dept., U of St. Thomas

Investigating More's Three Prison Letters Reporting on His Interrogations

Emerita Professor Dr. Elizabeth McCutcheon, University of Hawaii

7:30 – 9:00 p.m. Prison Writings of Thomas More: Tracing Changed Assessments & Strategy

Dr. Seymour Baker House, Professor and Dean, Mount Angel, OR

Saturday, Nov. 8, 2008 [6 CLE credits, ethics & participatory, possible for this day]

9:00 – 10:30 a.m. Thomas More's Trial by Jury: A Procedural Review

Emeritus Professor Henry Ansgar Kelly, UCLA

10:45 – 11:45 a.m. **Dramatic Reading of More's Trial** (based on official texts, newly translated)

12:00 – 12:30 p.m. Review of Major Legal Issues

Louis Karlin, Research Attorney, California Court of Appeal, Los Angeles

David Oakley, Private Practice, Criminal Defense, Princeton, NJ

2:00–3:30 p.m. Thomas More's Trial and the Law of Nature

Professor Richard Helmholz, University of Chicago Law School

4:00–5:30 p.m. **Assessing More's Trial**

Judge Edith Jones – Chief Judge, US Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit

Judge Sidney Fitzwater – Chief Federal Judge, N. District of Texas

Judge Jennie Latta – Bankruptcy Judge, W. District of Tennessee at Memphis

Judge of the High Court, England, - Sir Michael Tugendhat

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