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The 17th Annual *Rubenstein-Walsh CLE Seminar* on Professionalism and Ethics

On Friday, February 24, 2012, the 17th annual Rubenstein-Walsh CLE Seminar on Professionalism and Ethics, co-sponsored by the St. Thomas More Society and the Delaware State Bar Association, will be held at the Chase Center at the Riverfront in Wilmington from 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For attending the seminar, Delaware and Pennsylvania attorneys will receive 6.5 hours of CLE credit, including 5.3 hours of Enhanced Ethics credit.

The program features, among other topics, "Ethical and Related Issues in the Representation of Nonprofit Organizations" by Thomas P. Sweeney, W. Donald Sparks, II, and Carol G. Koch. "The Ethics and Art of Handling Witnesses" will be presented by Matthew F. Boyer and Rudolf E. Hutz. For additional information, please call (302) 658-5279.

The 24th Annual Dinner of the St. Thomas More Society

The Annual Dinner will be held at the *Wilmington Club*, 1103 North Market Street, Wilmington, on Sunday, May 20, 2012. Please note the different location of the annual dinner. Cocktails will begin at 5:00 p.m. (cash bar) and dinner at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$85.00 for members and \$95.00 for non-members.

Spring Lecture-Archbishop Edmund J. Fitzmaurice Memorial Lecture

University of Notre Dame professor will speak at the *Archbishop Edmund J. Fitzmaurice Memorial Lecture* scheduled for April 2012 at **Theatre N** in the Nemours Building, located at 1007 Orange Street.

A light reception at 6:00 p.m. precedes the lecture, which is scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m. The lecture is co-sponsored by the Notre Dame Club of Delaware. It is free and open to the public.

New Attorney Social – June 2011 at Kelly's Logan House

The Society will be hosting its 5th Annual New Attorney Social to welcome new attorneys to the Delaware Legal Community and to introduce them to the St. Thomas More Legal Society of the Diocese of Wilmington. The event begins at 6:00 p.m.; it is free and open to men and women of all faiths.

Red Mass – October 1st at St. Ann's Church at 6:00 P.M.

The **25th Annual Red Mass**, sponsored by the St. Thomas More Society, will be held at **6:00 P.M. on Monday, October 1, 2012 at St. Ann's Church, 2103 Gilpin Avenue, Wilmington, Delaware.** Dinner will be provided in the Church Hall following the Mass, compliments of Morris James, LLP.

For anyone in the legal community interested in singing at the Red Mass, please contact Dick Kirk at rkirk@bayardlaw.com or at (302) 429-4208).

Monthly First Friday Mass

The First Friday of every month, the members of the St. Thomas More Society are invited to attend Mass and Breakfast at the Wilmington Club located at 1103 North Market Street, Wilmington.

Rev. Leonard Klein, Chaplain of the St. Thomas More Society will celebrate Mass at 7:30 a.m. with breakfast to follow. The breakfast ends promptly at 8:20 a.m. Cost for the breakfast of scrambles eggs, sausage, hash browns, fruit salad pastries, and beverages is \$25.00 per person.

For additional Information on Events and History of the St. Thomas More Society, please visit our website at: www.STMS-Wilmington.org