The Person and Identity Project presented by Mary Rice Hasson



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6 pm - Refreshments 6:30-7:30 pm - Presentation Q & A following Questions? Contact Sandy at sjensen4413@gmail.com

Mary Rice Hasson is the Kate O'Beirne Fellow in Catholic Studies at the Ethics and Public Policy Center in Washington, D.C. She also directs the Catholic Women's Forum, a network of Catholic professional women and scholars seeking to amplify the voice of Catholic women in support of human dignity, authentic freedom, and Catholic social teaching. Mary is an expert on topics related to women, faith, culture, family, sexual morality, and gender ideology.

- The Person and Identity Project (PIP), which began in 2016 as the Catholic Women's Forum Gender Project, is an initiative of the <u>Catholic Women's Forum</u> at the <u>Ethics and Public Policy</u> <u>Center</u>, and is funded in part through the generosity of the Our Sunday Visitor Institute.
- The mission of the Person and Identity Project (PIP) is to assist the Catholic Church in promoting the Catholic vision of the human person and responding to the challenges of gender ideology.
- Gender ideology has permeated the culture with stunning speed, influencing medicine, business, media, entertainment, government, and education. Over the past decade, Catholics have witnessed dramatic changes in law, culture, and popular opinion on issues of sexual identity and "gender."
- Basic truths about the human person—the reality of biological sex and the significance of sexual difference—are being repudiated by courts, universities, public schools, and corporations with stunning speed. Young people are bombarded by media and entertainment with false messages about "who they are," and promises of freedom to do whatever they like with their bodies.

Come to learn the Catholic response to the challenges regarding gender ideology.