

❖	<b>Conscience and Relativism.....</b>	<b>801</b>
	<i>Miguel Ángel Fuentes, IVE</i>	
	1) <b>Two Opposing Ideas of Conscience.....</b>	<b>805</b>
	a) The Conscience Which Creates the Moral Truth.....	805
	b) The Conscience which Depends on the Moral Truth..	809
	2) <b>The Magisterium and Conscience.....</b>	<b>815</b>
❖	<b>The Development of the Teaching that Contraception is an Anti-Life Act in the Early Fathers of the Church, from Apostolic Times through St. Augustine .....</b>	<b>821</b>
	<i>Joseph LoJacono, IVE</i>	
	1) <b>The Cultural Influences .....</b>	<b>825</b>
	a) Ancient Theories of Embryology.....	830
	b) The Influence of Stoicism on the Early Fathers of the Church .....	832
	c) The Influence of Neo-Platonism on the Early Fathers of the Church .....	835
	2) <b>Teaching about Contraception in the Ante-Nicene Fathers.....</b>	<b>836</b>
	a) The Jewish Background.....	836
	b) The Scriptures and Contraception.....	837
	c) Early Development of the Teaching on Contraception	841
	3) <b>Teaching about Contraception in the Post-Nicene Fathers.....</b>	<b>849</b>
	a) St. John Chrysostom: Testimony of the East .....	853
	b) The Teaching of St. Augustine.....	857
❖	<b>The Firmness of Faith in Times of Crisis of Faith .....</b>	<b>869</b>
	<i>José Giunta, IVE</i>	
	1) <b>Concept and nature of faith.....</b>	<b>872</b>
	2) <b>Certainty and Firmness of Faith .....</b>	<b>883</b>
	3) <b>Faith in Action.....</b>	<b>888</b>
	4) <b>Final Remarks .....</b>	<b>894</b>

❖ **Caring for Persons in the “Persistent Vegetative State” and Pope John Paul II’s March 20, 2004 Address “On Life-Sustaining Treatments and the Vegetative State”..... 899**

*William May*

- 1) **Historical Background..... 901**
- 2) **Responses by Various Sources to the Issue Prior to Pope John Paul II’s Address..... 903**
  - a) Recommendations by Professional Bodies, etc.; PVS Patients, Consciousness, and Pain..... 904
  - b) Responses by U.S. Bishops..... 906
  - c) The Theological Position Claiming that Tubal Feeding of PVS Patients Is Not Morally Required ..... 909
  - d) The Position Holding That Artificially Providing Food to PVS Persons Is Obligatory ..... 913
- 3) **Pope John Paul II’s Address of March 20, 2004 ..... 916**
  - a) Context and Key Themes..... 916
  - b) Some Comments on the Address ..... 918
  - c) Some Negative Responses to This Address..... 919
  - d) Defense of John Paul II’s Address ..... 921

❖ **Justicia y Bien Común ..... 927**

*Pablo Ruani, IVE*

- 1) **La virtud de la justicia..... 929**
- 2) **Clases de justicia..... 930**
  - a) La justicia legal ..... 931
  - b) La justicia conmutativa..... 933
  - c) La justicia distributiva ..... 934
- 3) **El derecho, objeto de la justicia..... 937**
- 4) **Carácter dispositivo del bien común político..... 940**

*ESSAYS----- 945*

---

❖ **Aristotelian-Thomistic Understanding of Fear and Modern Applications ..... 947**

*Mariano Vicchi, IVE*

- 1) **The Nature of Fear..... 948**
- 2) **Phobia as a Kind of Fear..... 950**

3) Psychological Approaches to Phobia Acquisition ...	952
4) How to Deal with Different Types of Fear.....	954
5) Exposure and Cognitive Approaches in Phobia	
Treatment.....	956
a) Exposure-based strategies .....	956
b) The Cognitive Approach.....	958

❖ **La negación del pecado en la filosofía moderna ..... 961**

*Diego Ibarra, IVE*

1. Concepción de pecado en la cristiandad.....	963
2. Estudio de pecado .....	964
3. Las filosofías modernas.....	968
a) Idealismo.....	968
b) Existencialismo.....	971
c) Existencialismo negativo .....	972
d) El existencialismo positivo.....	974
4. La necesidad de la misericordia.....	976

*BOOK REVIEWS----- 981*

— CHARLES E. CURRAN <i>Catholic Moral Theology in the United States: A History</i> .....	983
— MICHAEL BANNER, <i>Christian Ethics: A Brief History</i> .....	999
— CRAIG STEVEN TITUS, <i>Philosophical Psychology: Psychology, Emotions, and Freedom</i> .....	1001
— PATRICK HANNON <i>Right or Wrong?: Essays in Moral Theology</i> .....	1004
— ROWLAND TRACEY, <i>Ratzinger's Faith: The Theology of Pope Benedict XVI</i> .....	1008

*NEWS----- 1015*

Mission in the Guyana Rainforest.....	1017
Seminarian Convivencia In New Hampshire and New York.....	1018
Beginning of the 2009-2010 Academic Year.....	1019
Feast of the Triumph of the Cross .....	1020
9th IVE Ongoing Theological Formation Seminar.....	1021
Feast of Saint Isaac Jogues .....	1022

Feast of the Passionist Martyrs of Daimiel..... 1023  
Spiritual Exercises for Priests in Upstate, NY..... 1024  
Profession of First Vows and Renewal of Vows..... 1025  
Deacon Dermot Francis McLaughlin, IVE October 12, 1945 -  
November 22, 2006..... 1026  
Institution of Acolytes and Readers at the Fulton Sheen House of  
Formation ..... 1027  
Fr. Carlos Walker visited the Fulton Sheen House of Formation..... 1028  
20th Anniversary of the Province of the Immaculate Conception ..... 1029

---

*INDEX VOLUME 2- -----1031*

---