

The Joan and Deacon R. Wayne Kraft Memorial Lecture 2025

Hope in the Future: Evolution, Technology, and Our Sacred Earth

**Tuesday, April 1, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.
Connelly Chapel**



Guest Speaker:

Andrew Del Rossi, Th.D.

National Speaker, Retreat Leader, and Writer on Pierre Teilhard de Chardin's work, focusing on the integration of spirituality and psychology.

This lecture will explore Teilhard's thought and how humanity's relationship with the Earth is critical for hopeful and integrated future. We will consider how to have faith and hope in uncertain times, how to seek unity and rejoice in difference, and how we can awaken to our deep interconnectedness through the Earth.

About the Presenter:

Andrew Del Rossi, Th.D., serves on the Board of the American Teilhard Association, is editor of *Teilhard Perspective*, and hosts *The American Teilhard Association Podcast*. He has authored an upcoming book with Paulist Press titled *Sacred Synergy: Navigating Spiritual and Psychological Growth in an Evolving World*.

Del Rossi holds a doctoral degree in theology with a focus in Christian Spirituality from La Salle University in Philadelphia, PA. He currently serves as the Director of the Spirituality Center at Daylesford Abbey in Paoli, PA, nurturing peace and healing through presentations, workshops, retreats, and days of service. Del Rossi has worked as a theology teacher, nonprofit operator, campus minister, and palliative care consultant for holistic therapies. As an amateur gardener and chicken farmer, he promotes sustainable and conscious systems. Andrew lives with his wife and their three children in Pennsylvania.



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