



# Franciscan Vision Series

FALL 2018 LECTURES

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 24, 7:00 PM**

**GUADALUPE CLASSROOM**

## **Our Hyper-Connected Generation and Discernment: A Franciscan Perspective with Martín Carbajo Núñez, OFM**

This lecture is motivated by the fact that the Synod of Bishops will be focused on discernment this Fall. I would assert the urgent need of discernment in our hyper-connected and hyper-accelerated society, which drives people to frenetic activity and constant hurry. Besides, “the speed with which information is communicated exceeds our capacity for reflection and judgement”. The first part of my talk would focus on discernment and would indicate some of its characteristics, paying special attention to the Franciscan perspective. The second part would reflect on how to practice it in order to meet the ethical challenges of our digital culture.

Fr. Martín is Visiting Professor, at the Franciscan School of Theology, and Extraordinarius Faculty of Theology, Antonianum Pontifical University, Rome. Working in the fields of communication ethics and social ethics, Professor Carbajo investigates the relationship between public and private realms in human life and social networks, along with the Franciscan philosophical and theological tradition in order to formulate a global ethic and an integral ecology that promotes justice, peace, and the integrity of creation.



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