

# Theology *Day*. Inspiring Tomorrow's Church

## Love & Tenderness in Action: The Vision of Pope Francis



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*Pope Francis has urged the Church to become a model of compassionate love for the poor and for the earth. Our time together will be devoted to examining both the Scriptures and the science on which Francis relies in his pursuit of this vision.*

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Sunday, March 5, 2017 - 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Saint John Vianney Parish  
5801 Oak Hills Drive  
Omaha, Nebraska 68137

*Start times indicate when check-in begins; presentation will begin about 30 minutes later.  
Lunch included.*

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