

Fr. Agustino Miguel Torres, CFR

Fr. Agustino Miguel Torres, Director of Evangelization for the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal, is back by popular demand! He has been the keynote speaker for **SEEK 2019, WORLD YOUTH DAY, NCYC** and other Catholic Youth Events. He is Executive Director of Casa Juan Diego a service of hospitality to the poor in Yonkers, NY. He also dedicates his efforts in evangelization through '**Corazon Puro**', a movement founded in the Bronx that focuses on teaching the true meaning of sexuality to bilingual youth using Pope John Paul II's "Theology of the Body."

He is known for his ardent zeal in bringing the light of Christ to the youth of the world. Originally from South Texas, right on the Mexico border, he moved to the New York area to attend university. After a series of events he discovered his call to be a Franciscan friar above all through their work with the poor and evangelization apostolates. His eclectic background growing up in tough border towns and his studies in drama, theology, and history serve him well in the evangelization the young and young at heart—all with a touch of comedy. Fr. Agustino was one of the founding brothers of Catholic Underground, which is an international cultural apostolate of the Franciscan Friars.