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THE BERNARD J. LONERGAN INSTITUTE AT SETON HALL UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES THE LAUNCH OF ITS JOURNAL The Lonergan Review

SOUTH ORANGE, N.J. – The Bernard J. Lonergan Institute at Seton Hall University announces the launch of its journal *The Lonergan Review*.

This first issue, Vol. I, No. 1, Fall 2009, edited by Msgr. Richard Liddy, Director of the Center for Catholic Studies and the Bernard J. Lonergan Institute, brings together the proceedings of a seminar on Lonergan's thought held at the *Università del Sacro Cuore* at Piacenza, Italy in 2008. This seminar's aim highlighted the general empirical method at the basis of the various methods in the curriculum: mathematics, biology, art, history, education, philosophy, theology.

Highlights of this issue, Vol. I, No. 1, June 2009 include:

- "Method and Curriculum" by Lucio Guasti
- "Method in Saint Thomas" by Andrew Beards
- "Method in Philosophy" by Valter Danna
- "Method in Economics" by Michele Tomasi
- and others...

The mission of *The Lonergan Review* is to link explicit self-knowledge with the various academic disciplines and professions. By doing this, it seeks to foster authentic human cultures of high ideals, the Catholic intellectual tradition, and service of the poor. To purchase a copy of *The Lonergan Review*, or to learn more about it, call (973) 275-2431 or e-mail: *lonerganinstitute@shu.edu*

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Bernard Lonergan, S.J. (1904-84) was a twentieth-century Catholic philosopher and theologian whom *Newsweek* magazine cited as among "the finest philosophical thinkers of

the 20th century." In November 2006, the Center for Catholic Studies at Seton Hall University launched the Bernard J. Lonergan Institute dedicated to the study of his ideas and their application in contemporary culture. The Institute is directed by Msgr. Richard M. Liddy and contains: all Lonergan's published works; copies of his most significant unpublished writing; doctoral dissertations on Lonergan's work; the most significant secondary literature on Lonergan; Lonergan "memorabilia" including letters and photos housed in a display case. Please visit the Institute's website at: http://www.shu.edu/catholic-mission/lonergan/index.cfm

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