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I. Honors and Milestones

- ❖ *Reverend Monsignor Robert J. Wister, Hist.Eccl.D.*, heretofore *Associate Professor of Church History*, was promoted to *Professor of Church History*, December 2010.

II. Speaking Engagements

- ❖ *Gregory Y. Glazov, D.Phil. (Oxon.)*, *Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Coordinator, Great Spiritual Books Program, Institute for Christian Spirituality*, presented the following:
 - “The Lord’s Prayer and the Holy Spirit.” Lecture, St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, Bloomfield, NJ, September 23, 2010;
 - “Jesus’ Family and Discipleship in the New Testament.” Lecture, St. Luke Parish, Westport, CT, October 16, 2010;
 - “The Lord’s Prayer, the Hail Mary, the Glory Be and the Sign of the Cross.” Four lectures for the *Scripture Spotlight Series*, St. Cassian Parish, Upper Montclair, NJ, November 10 and December 1, 8 and 15, 2010;
 - “How Catholics Interpret the Scriptures.” Lecture for Seton Hall University’s Campus Ministry, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ, November 17, 2010;
 - “The Lord’s Prayer as a Gateway to the Spiritual Journey.” Talk, for *Theology on Tap*, Morristown, NJ, January 25, 2011; and
 - “The Parable of the Sower, the Lord’s Prayer and the Hail Mary as Summaries of the Christian Mystery.” Series of talks, for a *Victory Retreat*, sponsored by Seton

Hall University Campus Ministry, at Our Lady of Czestochowa Shrine,
Doylestown, PA, February 5-6, 2011.

- ❖ *Diane M. Carr, M.A. '07, Coordinator, Center for Prayerfully Speaking, Institute for Christian Spirituality*, presented “How to Grow in the Spiritual Life.” Lecture, St. Mary Parish, Pompton Lakes, NJ, October 28, 2010.
- ❖ *Stephen B. Kass, M.N.E., M.A. '09, Coordinator of Marketing and Development, Institute for Christian Spirituality*, presented four 30-minute radio programs, on the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, Marriage and Anointing of the Sick, for EWTN. The programs aired on WFJS – 1260 AM (Trenton) and on Sirius Channel 160/XM Channel 118 on October 31 and November 7, 14 and 21, 2010.
- ❖ *Jeffrey L. Morrow, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Undergraduate Theology*, presented the following:
 - “The Eucharist: Source and Summit of the Christian Life.” Lecture on the Old Testament roots of New Testament teaching on the Eucharist, for the Institute for Christian Spirituality’s STEPS program, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, Ridgewood, NJ, November 6, 2010;
 - “Messianic Wine and the New Eve at Cana: John 1-2 in Light of Genesis 1-2 and Jewish Traditions of Interpretation.” Lecture for the Serra Club, held at Immaculate Conception Seminary, South Orange, NJ, November 8, 2010;
 - “The Old Testament Roots of the Eucharist.” Lecture for *The Avila Lecture Series*, St. Teresa of Avila Parish, Summit, NJ, November 10, 2010;
 - “O Come, Immanuel: Advent and the Eucharist in the Thought of Pope Benedict XVI.” Lecture, St. Paul Parish, Princeton, NJ, November 13, 2010; and
 - Four lectures for the New Energies Advent Scripture Seminars, Assumption Parish, Roselle Park, NJ:

- “The Old Testament Prepares for Christ and His Church.” November 30, 2010;
 - “O Come, O Come, Immanuel.” December 7, 2010;
 - “New Testament People of God.” December 14, 2010; and
 - “Biblical Christmas.” December 21, 2010.
- ❖ *Julie V. Burkey, M.A.P.M. '04, Coordinator, Center for Workplace Spirituality, Institute for Christian Spirituality, and Adjunct Professor of Pastoral Theology*, presented “Angels: Servants and Messengers of God.” Lecture, St. Luke Parish, Ho-Ho-Kus, NJ, December 1, 2010.
- ❖ *Reverend Pablo T. Gadenz, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies*, presented “Pope Benedict’s New Document: “The Word of the Lord,”” as a guest on the radio show *The Kinship of Catholics and Jews*, hosted by Reverend Lawrence E. Frizzell, S.T.L., S.S.L., D.Phil. (Oxon.), on WSOU Radio, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ, aired from 8:30-9:00 a.m. on December 19, 2010. In this presentation, Father Gadenz discussed Pope Benedict’s new Apostolic Exhortation titled “*Verbum Dominum*” (“The Word of the Lord”).

III. Special Events

- ❖ *Julie V. Burkey, M.A.P.M. '04, Coordinator, Center for Workplace Spirituality, Institute for Christian Spirituality, and Adjunct Professor of Pastoral Theology*:
- Facilitated the following:
 - “Making God’s Work Our Work – A Women’s Morning Retreat.” Blessed Sacrament Parish, Martinsville, NJ, October 23, 2010; and
 - “Working With Faith: Tools for Discovering Your Gifts and Finding Your Call.” Workshop, co-sponsored by the Institute for Christian

Spirituality and Immaculate Conception Parish, Montclair, NJ, and held at the parish, October 30, 2010; and

- Presented “A Seminar on Workplace Spirituality.” St. Mary Parish, Pompton Lakes, NJ, February 12, 2011.
- ❖ In commemoration of Immaculate Conception Seminary’s Sesquicentennial, the Seminary is sponsoring the weekly *Formational Evenings at the School of Theology (FEAST)* lecture series, co-sponsored by the Institute for Christian Spirituality. This series, hosted in the Seminary’s Chapel of the Good Shepherd, recently has included the following lectures:
 - “*Mater Dei - The Highest of God’s Creatures.*” By *Reverend Pablo T. Gadenz, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies*, October 28, 2010;
 - “*Mary - The Ark of the New Covenant.*” By *Reverend Pablo T. Gadenz, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies*, November 11, 2010;
 - “*Christ and Mary: Our King and Queen.*” By *Reverend Mark Francis O’Malley, Hist.Eccl.D., Assistant Professor of Church History*, November 18, 2010;
 - “*The Mother of All Christians.*” By *Reverend Monsignor John A. Radano, Ph.D., Adjunct Professor of Systematic Theology*, December 2, 2010;
 - “*The Spirituality of Mary as Seen in Luke’s Gospel.*” By *Reverend Lawrence B. Porter, Ph.D., Professor of Systematic Theology and Director of the Seminary Library*, January 20, 2011; and
 - “*The Sword that Pierces Sin.*” By *Jeffrey L. Morrow, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Undergraduate Theology*, February 3, 2011.
- ❖ *Andrew E. Saunders, M.A. '08, Coordinator of Programs, Institute for Christian Spirituality, and Director of the Catholic Center for Family Spirituality*, facilitated, and delivered a presentation

- at, “Parish Staff as Spiritual Leaders.” Retreat for the parish staff of St. Luke Parish, Ho-Ho-Kus, NJ, held at Guardian Angel Parish, Allendale, NJ, November 4, 2010.
- ❖ *Zeni V. Fox, Ph.D., Professor of Pastoral Theology*, presented “Lay Ecclesial Ministry: The Conversation Continues.” Day-long program for the Association of Pastoral Associates, Diocese of Cincinnati, OH, at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Monroe, OH, November 8, 2010.
 - ❖ In celebration of the Monsignor James C. Turro Seminary Library’s acquisition of a copy of the *Codex Vaticanus*, a facsimile reproduction of one of the oldest and most magnificent manuscripts of the Greek Bible, Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology hosted a colloquium on November 11, 2010, featuring the following presentations:
 - “Constantine’s Bible? An Introduction to the *Codex Vaticanus*.” By *Reverend Christopher M. Ciccarino, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies*;
 - “What the Bible Really Says: *Codex Vaticanus* & Textual Criticism.” By *Reverend Pablo T. Gadenz, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies*; and
 - “The Lord’s Prayer According to the *Codex Vaticanus*.” By *Gregory Y. Glazov, D.Phil. (Oxon.), Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Coordinator, Great Spiritual Books Program, Institute for Christian Spirituality*.
 - ❖ *Reverend Monsignor Gerard H. McCarren, S.T.D., Associate Professor of Systematic Theology and Spiritual Director for the Seminary*, presented “Theological Dialogue: The Work of the International Methodist-Roman Catholic Dialogue.” Lecture, at *A Century of Ecumenism: The Road Traveled and the Road Ahead*, a program on the occasion of the centenary of the 1910 World Missionary Conference, Edinburgh, Scotland. This program, sponsored by

- the Commission on Christian Unity of the Archdiocese of Newark, was held at Immaculate Conception Seminary, South Orange, NJ, on November 12, 2010.
- ❖ *Reverend Christopher M. Ciccarino, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies, and Reverend Pablo T. Gadenz, S.S.L., S.T.D., Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies, led a group of 40 seminarians from Immaculate Conception Seminary on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from January 6-16, 2011, lecturing at the biblical sites and celebrating Mass at the shrines marking events in the life of Jesus.*
 - ❖ *Reverend Douglas J. Milewski, S.T.D., Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs and Associate Professor of Theology, provided commentary at the performance of *Mr. Blue*, by Myles Connolly, adapted by James P. McGlone, Ph.D., for *Saints and Sleuths V: Catholic Life in Literature*, sponsored by Seton Hall University's Celtic Theatre Company, Center for Catholic Studies, The G.K. Chesterton Institute for Faith & Culture, Miami International Holdings, Inc., and the family of Dr. John K. Butler, at the Theatre-in-the-Round, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ, on January 22, 2011.*

IV. Mission and Service

- ❖ *Reverend Monsignor Joseph R. Chapel, S.T.D., Associate Dean and Associate Professor of Moral Theology, presented "Preparing Children for Confession." Lecture, Most Blessed Sacrament Parish, Franklin Lakes, NJ, November 16, 2010.*
- ❖ *Reverend Monsignor Robert J. Wister, Hist.Eccl.D., Professor of Church History:*
 - As Chaplain of Seton Hall University's ROTC, delivered the invocation and benediction at the Pirate Battalion Military Ball, held at Hamilton Park Hotel, Florham Park, NJ, November 20, 2010; and

- Delivered the invocation, Scripture reading and benediction at the Pinning Ceremony for the South Jersey Program of the College of Nursing, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ, December 9, 2010.

V. Publications

- ❖ *Reverend Monsignor Gerard H. McCarren, S.T.D., Associate Professor of Systematic Theology and Spiritual Director for the Seminary*, published a review of *How Italy and Her People Shaped Cardinal Newman: Italian Influence on an English Mind*, by Jo Anne Cammarata Sylva. *Newman Studies Journal* 7, no. 2 (Fall 2010): 100-03.
- ❖ *Joseph P. Rice, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Philosophical Theology*, published an article: “The gravitational pull of our redeemed humanity.” *The Catholic Advocate* (the community newspaper of the Archdiocese of Newark) 59, no. 19 (October 27, 2010): 22.
- ❖ *Jeffrey L. Morrow, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Undergraduate Theology*, published the following:
 - Review of *Deep Exegesis: The Mystery of Reading Scripture*, by Peter J. Leithart. *Catholic Books Review* (2010). Online at: <http://www.catholicbooksreview.org/2010/leithart.htm>;
 - Review of *El Padrenuestro desde el arameo*, by Jesús Luzarraga. *Review of Biblical Literature* (December 2010). Online at: http://www.bookreviews.org/pdf/6626_7180.pdf ;
 - An encyclopedia article: “Bible: Genesis.” *Milestone Documents of World Religions: Exploring Traditions of Faith Through Primary Sources: Volume 1: 2404 BCE – 200 CE*. Edited by David M. Fahey. Dallas, TX: Schlager Group, 2011. 118-37; and

- Review of *The Bible and the University*, by David Lyle Jeffrey. *Review of Biblical Literature* (February 2011). Online at:
http://www.bookreviews.org/pdf/6773_7337.pdf.

- ❖ *Zeni V. Fox, Ph.D., Professor of Pastoral Theology*, was the subject of an interview: “Follow the Laity.” *U.S. Catholic* 76, no. 1 (January 2011): 18-22.
- ❖ *Reverend Thomas G. Guarino, S.T.D., Professor of Systematic Theology*, published an article on the website of the journal *First Things*: “The Priesthood and Justice.” (January 4, 2011). Online at: <http://www.firstthings.com/onthesquare/2011/01/the-priesthood-and-justice>.

VI. Off-Campus Courses

- ❖ *Gregory Y. Glazov, D.Phil. (Oxon.), Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Coordinator, Great Spiritual Books Program, Institute for Christian Spirituality*, is teaching *Pentateuch*, for the Diaconate Formation Program, Diocese of Bridgeport, CT, during the Spring 2011 Semester. Dr. Glazov also taught this course during the Fall 2010 Semester.

VII. Conferences and Meetings

- ❖ *Gregory Y. Glazov, D.Phil. (Oxon.), Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Coordinator, Great Spiritual Books Program, Institute for Christian Spirituality*:
 - Presented the following papers:
 - “The Structure of the Beatitudes, The Sermon on the Mount and the Lord’s Prayer: In Defense of Michael Goulder.” *International 2011 Catholic Biblical Association Conference*, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA, August 1, 2010; and

- “Transforming Venom into Wine by Blood in John 6 and 13.”
International Conference of the Society of Biblical Literature, Atlanta, GA,
November 21, 2010; and
 - Participated actively in a conference for Catholic academics involved in teaching Great Catholic Books, sponsored by the Faith and Reason Institute, and held at Notre Dame University, South Bend, IN, August 22-28, 2010.
- ❖ *Zeni V. Fox, Ph.D., Professor of Pastoral Theology*, presented “Ritual, Leadership and Lay Ecclesial Ministry.” Paper, Collegeville Ministry Seminar II, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, September 8, 2010.
- ❖ *Jeffrey L. Morrow, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Undergraduate Theology*, co-authored with Biff Rocha a paper titled “Barack Obama, the Aqedah and the Role of Religion in Public.” Professor Rocha presented this paper at the Religious Communication Association conference, San Francisco, CA, on November 13, 2010.
- ❖ *Reverend Thomas G. Guarino, S.T.D., Professor of Systematic Theology*, served as co-moderator of a conference on religious freedom, sponsored by Evangelicals and Catholics Together (ECT), New York City, December 4, 2010.