

## About Sacred Heart



**Venerable Leo John Dehon**Founder of the Priests of the Sacred Heart

With approximately 170 students, Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology prepares men of all ages for priesthood. Sacred Heart's expertise ensures a rich, rewarding, and exemplary formation experience, while rigorously following the *Program of Priestly Formation*, 5th Edition.

Approximately 30 bishops and religious superiors entrust their seminarians to Sacred Heart.

Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology is an apostolate of the Priests of the Sacred Heart, an international religious community which has its United States headquarters in Hales Corners, Wisconsin, a suburb of Milwaukee.

The seminary has its beginnings in the visionary spirit of Father Leo John Dehon, Founder of the Congregation of the Priests of the Sacred Heart. In addition to ministering to the most pressing needs of the Church, Father Dehon gave his men two particular tasks: to train men for priestly service and to minister in light of the social teachings of the Church. By 1923, the Priests of the Sacred Heart were working in the U.S.A. among the native peoples in South Dakota. In 1932, a dedicated group of these priests, with their Founder's mandate in mind, established a seminary program of philosophy and theology to train young men for the

Congregation. In 1955, the philosophy program was moved elsewhere, and the seminary was dedicated exclusively to the theological preparation of men for the priesthood.

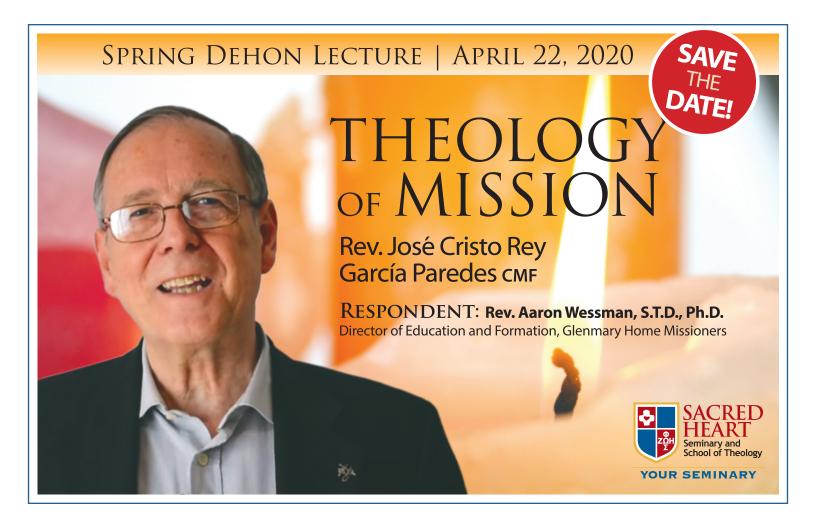
Construction of our current seminary building was completed in 1968. In 1972 the name of the school was changed to Sacred Heart School of Theology. This signified the beginning of a change in the character of the school. Prior to 1970, the school exclusively served as the theological seminary for the Priests of the Sacred Heart. That year the seminary began accepting second-career candidates for the priesthood from other religious communities. The program was called the Center for Adult Religious Vocations (CARV). In 1973, Sacred Heart received approval to accept second-career candidates sponsored by dioceses throughout the country.

The program received initial accreditation by The Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada in 1981 and has received reaccreditation continuously since. In 1995, the Higher Learning Commission: a commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools accredited the program and renewed that accreditation in 1999 and 2009.

In 2014 the seminary's name was expanded to Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology, to reflect the fact that the institution provides all four pillars of priestly formation to resident seminarians (making it a seminary) and also serves as a school of theology for a group of seminarians who receive their human, spiritual, and/or pastoral formation in their own houses for formation in the Milwaukee area — receiving only their academic formation at Sacred Heart.

Sacred Heart awards master of divinity and a master of arts degrees. The seminary is advised by a board of directors that includes bishops, religious and diocesan priests, women religious, and laity. Its faculty is diverse and includes priests from a variety of dioceses, archdioceses, and religious communities, as well as women religious and laity.

The Sacred Heart campus is comprised of a complex of connected buildings, with three chapels, classrooms, a library, a dining room, dormitories, conference space, and a gym and other recreation areas, all under a single roof. It is located on a partially wooded 80-acre campus in a western part of the Milwaukee metropolitan area.





## Austen Ivereigh

Wounded Shepherd: the Sacred Heart and the Reform of Pope Francis

Journalist, fellow in contemporary church history at Campion Hall, Oxford, author of The Great Reformer (a biography of Pope Francis), and speaker in Sacred Heart's Discovering Pope Francis International Symposium.

### **RESPONDENTS:**



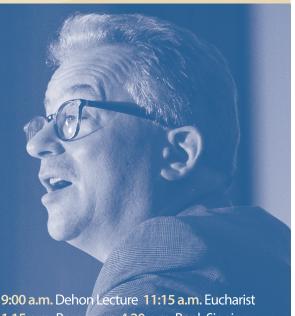
Stefan Tertünte, SCI Centro Studi, Rome



**Kurt Martens** Catholic University of America

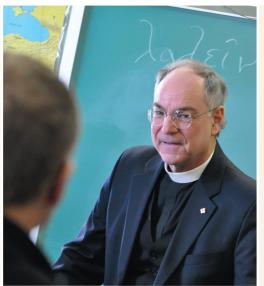


Peter Casarella University of Notre Dame



1:15 p.m. Responses 4:20 p.m. Book Signing





## Bringing Sacred Heart to the World Church

### **Adveniat Regnum Tuum**





The **Adveniat Regnum Tuum** Master of Arts pathway is an example of an innovative program, designed for Dehonians living outside the United States who seek to deepen and extend their theological knowledge.



Dehonian spirituality and the SCJ charism are inherently interwoven within the fabric of the curriculum.

Drawing on the two-fold movement from oblation to reparation, which provides a spiritual framework for reading the "signs of the times," Adveniat Regnum Tuum incorporates a distinctively Dehonian pedagogy. SCJ seminarians will gain a global perspective through exposure to the educational methods of higher education in the United States.

**Curriculum:** This pathway requires 33 graduate credit hours of coursework, consisting of four components:

**Transfer Credit:** In fulfillment of the core curriculum requirement, SHSST will accept the transfer of nine (9) credits as equivalence to the following courses:

- Scriptural Foundations
- Fundamental Theology
- Fundamental Moral Theology

Online Coursework: Dehonians complete, concurrent with coursework in their home country, a series of seven, two-credit online courses (14 credits) delivered by SHSST. Courses may include but are not limited to:

- Biomedical Ethics
- The Science of Forgiveness
- Contemporary Moral Issues
- Christology
- Ecclesiology
- Eucharist: History and Theology
- Missiology: History and Theology

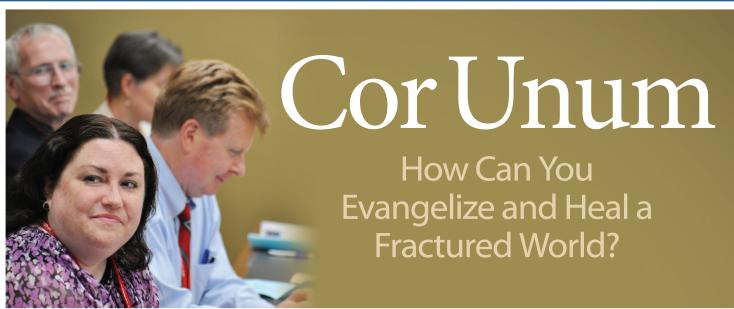
**On-site Classes:** Each Summer, a faculty member from SHSST presents a course on location, in person to the ART students.

**Comprehensive Exam:** Finally, SCJ seminarians will prepare and take their comprehensive exams (oral and written).

In anticipation of the needs of international students studying in English, SHSST's writing services and English and Culture Studies support are embedded throughout this curriculum.



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Open House Come learn about Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology's Master of Arts – Systematic Theology Program for Laity!

Monday, March 23, 2020

5:15 pm Evening Prayer 5:30 pm Dinner 6:00 pm Presentation

7335 S. Hwy 100 (1 block South of Rawson Ave.) Franklin, WI 53132

**RSVP** to Monica Misey mmisey@shsst.edu or (414) 858-4654 by March 16, 2020

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# Is the gospel being understood?

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- Programs range from seven weeks to semester-long, tailored to individual needs
- Supportive, faith-filled environment in a seminary community
- Seminary Bridge Program into MDiv and MA degree studies (no TOEFL)
- English courses emphasize language for pastoral ministry
- Culture studies expose students to a broader experience of the Church
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**Kelly Kornacki,** Vice President for Intercultural Preparation for Ministry: **kkornacki@shsst.edu** 



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## **2020 Jewish Studies Seminar for Christians** The Jewish People and the Church

Wednesday, Feb. 5 6:30-8:15 p.m.

What Every Christian
Needs to Know about the Needs to Know about Jewishness of Jesus

-Rabbi Evan Moffic

Wednesday, Feb. 12 6:30-8:15 p.m.

Judaism and Israel Today

-Dr. Richard Lux and Bonnie Shafrin

Wednesday, Feb. 19 6:30-8:15 p.m.

Same Text Different Beliefs— Christians and Jews Reading the Bible Together

-Dr. Sherry Blumberg and Dr. Brian Lee

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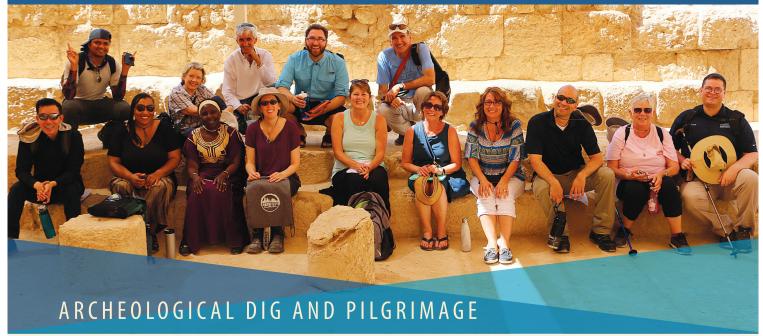
shsst.edu/events-and-news-headlines or call Bonnie Shafrin at 414-529-6966

# Come, walk where Jesus walked

following the Gospel of Matthew

Open to seminarians, students, faculty, and friends!

### Holy Land Expedition



- Participants follow the path of Jesus' life, using the Gospel of Matthew as the road map
- Three-week experience includes five days on an archeological dig and 14 days visiting biblical and holy sites
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