

# Marquette University

## The Honors Program Lecture Series

**Rev. Bryan Massingale, Theology**

***Speaking Truth: The Challenge of Vocation and Integrity***

**November 20, 2008**

**AMU Henke Lounge**

**5-6 pm**

***“If this were the last lecture of your career, what would you say?”***

The Honors Program introduces *The Last Lecture Series!* The Honors Student Advisory Council invited seven of their favorite teachers to address a specific topic from the popular viewpoint: “*If this were the last lecture of your career, what would you say?*” The lectures will be offered the third Thursday of every month in the AMU. The third speaker in the series is Rev. Bryan Massingale of the Theology Department. The program is open to students, faculty, and the entire Marquette community.

## **Please Join Us!**

**Rev. Bryan Massingale** specializes in Roman Catholic moral theology with a focus on Catholic social thought, liberation theologies, African American religious ethics, and racial justice. He has authored more than fifty articles, book chapters, and book reviews. He has been a consultant for numerous leadership organizations such as Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Charities USA, the National Catholic AIDS Network, the Catholic Health Association, and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. He received an honorary doctorate from Saint John's University (NYC) and is the recipient of Project Equality's "Religious Momentum" Award for his efforts in promoting diversity in the Catholic Church. He is President-Elect of the Catholic Theological Society of America and Convener of the Black Catholic Theological Symposium. He has two main professional passions: articulating the relevance of religious faith for the struggle for justice and inclusion, and teaching in such a way that students are inspired to critically examine and deepen their own faith convictions.

## **Future Presentations to Include:**

*January - Dr. Michael Monahan – Philosophy*

*February - Dr. Noreen Lephardt – Economics*

*March - Amelia Zurcher – English*

*April - John Su- English*

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