

**Professional Resume**  
**Dr. Kieran Scott**

**IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

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**EDUCATION**

Columbia University, Teachers College, New York.  
Doctorate (1978)

Dissertation area: Curriculum and Teaching  
Specialization: Religion and Education  
Topic: Public Religious Education: The Encounter of Religion and  
Education in Contemporary Culture.

Union Theological Seminary, New York  
Doctoral Studies in Religion (in conjunction with) Teachers College, Columbia University.(1975-  
1978)

New York Theological Seminary, New York  
Masters in Sacred Theology (1974)

Post Graduate Center for Mental Health, New York  
Diploma in Pastoral Counseling (1974)

Ecumenical Institute, Chicago, Illinois  
Certificate: Academic Course of Study (1972)

St. Patrick's College, Carlow, Ireland  
Masters of Divinity (1967)

St. Patrick's College, Carlow, Ireland  
B.A.in Philosophy (1962)

## **EXPERIENCE**

Associate Professor Religion and Religious Education, Fordham University, New York, (1999-2009)

Professor of Religion and Religious Education (Clinical Appointment) Fordham University, New York, (1998-1999)

Visiting Professor, Graduate School of Religion and Religious Education, Fordham University (1997-1998)

Professor of Theology and Religious Education, St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, New York . (1988-1994)

Associate Professor of Theology and Religious Education, St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, New York . (1985-1988)

Assistant Professor of Theology and Religious Education, St. Bonaventure University, St. Bonaventure, New York . (1978-1985)

Adjunct Professor, Villanova University (1978,1983)

Adjunct Professor, LaSalle University (1983-1997)

Adjunct Professor, Unification Seminary, Barrytown, N.Y. (1983-1997)

Adjunct Professor, Fordham University, N.Y. (1994-1996)

Faculty Mentor, Thomas Edison State College, Trenton, N.J. (1995-2000)

Teacher of Religion, Bergen Catholic, Oradell, N.J. (1994-1997)

## **Graduate Teaching**

Research Methods

Doctoral Seminar in Religious Education

Dissertation Mentoring Seminar in Religious Education

Youth and Young Adults

Parish Ministry: Theology and Pastoral Practice

Church Mission and Ministry

Special Question: Youth Ministry

Adult Learning and Development

Foundations in Theology

Theology After Vatican II

Foundations of Religious Education

Curriculum and Religious Education

Re-Imaging the Church

Profession, Power and Praxis in Church Ministry

Imagination: Ministry and Religious Education

Images of the Divine: Exploring the Familiar, Recovering the Ancient, Visioning the New.

Fashioning a People: The Faith Community as a Learning Community.

Leadership: Empowering a Ministerial Community

Models of Religious Education

Catholic Theology and Education: An Introduction.

Historical, Philosophical and Social Foundations of Education

The Catechumenate and Liturgical Catechesis

Theology of Marriage and Family

Special Issues in Religious Education

### **Undergraduate Teaching**

The Nature of Religious Experience  
Towards a Theology of Christian Marriage  
Revisioning the Church  
Educational Ministry in the Congregation  
Religion and Human Development  
Contemporary Curriculum Issues in Religious Education  
The Family as Religious Educator  
Education toward Christian Maturity  
Ethics and Modern Professionalism  
Educational Ministry in the Community  
Marriage: A Developmental Journey  
The Nature of Religious Experience  
Revisioning the Church

### **Administrative Activities and Responsibilities**

Co-Director of Adult Family and Community Core, GSRRE Fordham University 1999-2008  
Acting Director MA in Religious Education Fall 2007  
Co-Director Youth and Young Adult Core, GSRRE Fordham University 1999-2003  
Ph.D Committee, GSRRE Fordham University 1999-2008  
Theology Department Chair, St. Bonaventure University 1983-1987  
Director of Graduate Theology Program 1981-1983, 1992-1993  
Member of Faculty Senate 1982-1983  
Representative to Graduate Council 1981-1983, 1992-1993  
University Long-Range Curriculum Planning Committee 1986-1987  
Faculty Salary Inequity Committee 1993-1994  
Chair : Professional Development ; Search; and Academic Affairs Committees  
Served as Secretary to the Executive Board of the American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education 1981-1983  
Designed a Masters Program in Religious Education at St. Bonaventure University  
Designed curriculum in Religious Education for M.A. at LaSalle University, Philadelphia, 1985  
General Advisory Board, GSRRE (2005- 06)

### **Scholarly Presentations**

The Language of lay Ecclesial Ministry, Presentation at Co-Workers Conference, Fordham University, Sept. 25, 2009.

Human Sexuality in Roman Catholicism: A Tradition in Transformation, Invited Lecture in Religious Studies at Misericordia University, Dallas, PA. March 28, 2008.

Illness and the Paradox of Power: A Spirituality of Morality. Presentation at a Conference sponsored by Partners in Healing, Inc. on Loss, Illness and Death in Dialogue with Theology and Psychology at Fordham University, September 22, 2007.

Communion in The Dark: Cinema as 'Cathedral' to Tell the Sacred Tale. Paper presented at the Religious Education Association: An Association of Professors, Practitioners and Researchers in Religious Education at Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November 4, 2006.

The Role of the Bishop: Vatican II and Beyond. Presentation to Voice of the Faithful, Norwalk, CT. December 4, 2005.

How the Church Orders its Life: Power and Authority, Presentation to Voice of the Faithful, Norwalk, CT. January 8, 2004.

New Directions: The Inter-Religious, presentation at GSRRE 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary May 1, 2004.

A Crisis of Power and Authority? Presentation to Voice of the Faithful, Pompton Lakes , NJ, June 16, 2004.

Respondent to papers Drs. Cecero and Callahan at Pastoral Conference: Human Sexuality in the Roman Catholic Tradition, Fordham University October 28-29, 2004.

The Moribund Field of Religious Education: Its Wake and Our Work.  
Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education annual meeting, Chicago, IL, November 8, 2003.

Calling All Adults: The Dilemma of Parish Religious Education. Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education annual meeting, Philadelphia,PA. November 2, 2002.

Is Adult Education Unique? Probing Some Premises and Possibilities. Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education annual meeting, Minneapolis, MN. November 3, 2001.

The Schoolteacher's Dilemma: To Teach Religion or Not To Teach Religion? Paper presented at Mater Dei Institute of Education, Dublin City University, Ireland, and October 5, 2001.

Continuity and Change in Religious Education: Building on the Past, Reimagining the Future. Paper presented at Mater Dei Institute of Education, Dublin City University, Ireland, and October 6, 2001.

Practicing the Trinity in the Local Church: The Symbol as Icon and Lure, paper presentation at APRRE annual meeting, Atlanta, GA. November 4,2000.

Metaphors for Interreligious Teaching - Learning: Therapeutic and Political, paper presented at APPRE, Toronto, October 15-17,1999.

Education Towards Spiritual Meaning and Commitment: Master Story, Spirituality and Language, paper presented at APPRE, Orlando, FL, November 22,1998.

No Poetry, No Prophecy but Powerful Guys, paper presented at APPRE, Oakland, Ca. Nov. 25, 1997.

Religion in the Curriculum of Schools in the United States (1991). Paper presented at the American Academy of Religion, Eastern International Region, Toronto, Canada.

Family Functions and Social Harmony through Creative Education: Toward a Critical Revisioning (1991). Paper presented at Eighteenth International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences, Seoul, Korea.

Family Life and Family Values in Modern Society (1991). Response presentation to paper by Dr. Harold Fallding at the Eighteen International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences, Seoul, Korea.

Becoming a Man: Diverse Cultural Concepts of Masculinity (1991). Paper presented at the meeting of American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Chicago, Illinois.

Teaching Toward Symbolic Re-shaping of Religious Traditions (1987). Paper presented at meeting of American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Toronto, Canada.

The Unification Church and its Challenge to Contemporary Christian Educators. (1985). Paper presented at meeting of American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Chicago, Illinois.

Educating the Imagination of Youth (1984). Paper presented at meeting of American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Chicago, Illinois.

Traditions of Religious Education (1983). Paper presented at meeting of College Theology Society, Radnor, PA.

Three Traditions of Religious Education (1983). Paper presented at meeting of American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Anaheim, Ca.

Religious Education and Professional Religious Education: A Conflict of Interest? (1982). Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, Providence, Rhode Island.

Youth Education as Problematizing Political Forms (1981). Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education Meeting, East Lansing, Michigan.

Two Border Models of Religious Education: Checkpoints and Crossingpoints (1981). Paper presented at International Conference of Religious Education, East Lansing, Michigan.

The Local Church as Ecology of Human Development (1980). Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education Meeting, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Communicative Competence and Religious Education (1979). Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education Meeting, Toronto, Canada.

The Family, Feminism and Religious Education (1978). Paper presented at American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education Meeting, Hartford, Conn.

The Family and Religious Education (1978). Paper presented at International Conference of Religious Education, Chicago, Illinois.

### **Publications: Books and Articles**

Illness and the Paradox of Power: A Spirituality of Mortality. In Beverly Musgrave (ed), The Theology and Psychology of Loss, Illness and Death (Paulist Press, 2010).

The Language of Lay Ecclesial Ministry: Naming and Political Design. In Harold Daley Horell (ed), Cause for Rejoicing: Reflections on CoWorkers in the Vineyard of the Lord. (Paulist, forthcoming).

Remembering Mary Magdalene, The Furrow 59, 2008

Human Sexuality in the Catholic Tradition (eds) Kieran Scott and Harold Daley Horell (Rowman and Littlefield, 2007), 233 page collection with 13 chapters

Moving Beyond the Sound of Silence. In Kieran Scott and Harold Daley Horell (eds).Human Sexuality in the Catholic Tradition (Rowman and Littlefield, 2007).

Cohabitation: A Reassessment. In Kieran Scott and Harold Daley Horell (eds).Human Sexuality in the Catholic Tradition (Rowman and Littlefield, 2007).

Communion in the Dark: The Cinema as Cathedral, The Furrow 58,1 January 2007.

Perspectives on Marriage, Third Edition. (eds) Kieran Scott & Michael Warren, (Oxford,2006) , A 472 page collection with 41 chapters. Primary editor.

Cohabitation and Marriage as a Life-Process. In Kieran Scott and Michael.Warren (eds) Perspectives on Marriage, Third Edition (Oxford 2006)

The Schoolteacher's Dilemma: To Teach Religion or Not to Teach Religion? In Oliver Brennan (ed) Critical Issues in Religious Education (Veritas Press) (2005).

Continuity and Change in Religious Education: Building on the Past, Re-imagining the Future. In Oliver Brennan (ed). Critical Issues in Religious Education (Veritas Press) (2005)

Practicing the Trinity in the Local Church: The Symbol As Icon and Lure. In Oliver Brennan (ed). Critical Issues in Religious Education (Veritas Press) (2005)

Is Adult Education Unique? Probing Some Premises and Possibilities. The Living Light, 39,1, (2002).

Practicing the Trinity in the Local Church: The Symbol as Icon and Lure. Review and Expositor, 99,3,2002

A Middle Way: The Road Not Traveled. (2001) The Living Light, 37 (4).

"To Teach Religion or Not To Teach Religion: Is That the Dilemma?", Religious Education as Practical Theology (eds) Bert Roebben and Michael Warren (Peeters Press and Louvain University Press, 2001).

A Spirituality of Resistance for Marriage (2000) in Kieran Scott and Michael Warren,eds Perspectives on Marriage, Second Edition (Oxford University Press).

Perspectives on Marriage, Second Edition (Oxford University Press, 2000) 472 page collection co-edited with Michael Warren.

Three Traditions of Religious Education (1994) in Jeff Astley and Leslie J.Francis eds. Critical Perspectives on Christian Education (Fowler Wright)

Perspectives on Marriage (Oxford University Press, 1993) 440 page collection edited with Michael Warren.

The New Man and Male Identity (1993) in Kieran Scott and Michael Warren,eds. Perspectives on Marriage. (Oxford University Press).

Conflicting Professional and Institutional Demands and Expectations on Faculty (1992). Discoveries: Essays on Teaching and Learning, 1(1).

Religion in the Curriculum of U.S. Public Schools (1992). Explorations: Journal for Adventurous Thought, 10 (4).

Religion Courses in a University (1988). The Alternative, 15,(2)

Three Traditions of Religious Education (1984). Religious Education, 79 (3).

For the Feminization of Patriotism (1984). The Alternative 10,(4).

Director of Religious Education and Professionalization (1983). Professional Approaches for Christian Educators, 14.

Balancing the Competing Claims of the Self and the Social (1982). Professional Approaches for Christian Educators, January (12).

Some Problems Raised by the National Catechetical Directory (1982). Professional Approaches for Christian Educators, March (12).

Catechesis and Religious Education: Uncovering the Nature of our Work (1982). Professional Approaches for Christian Educators, April (12).

Revelation: The Search for a Common Starting Point (1982). Professional Approaches for Christian Educators, May (12).

Youth Education as Problematizing Political Forms (1982). Religious Education, 75(2).

The House as a Religious Symbol (1982). The Alternative 8(2).

From Theory to Practice: Curriculum (1982). Religious Education, 75 (16).  
Response to lead article.

Religious Education and Professional Religious Education: A Conflict of Interest? (1982). Religious Education, 75(6).

The Local Church as an Ecology of Human Development (1981). Religious Education, 76(2).

Collapsing the Tensions (1981). The Living Light: An Interdisciplinary Review of Christian Education, 18(2)

Communicative Competence and Religious Education (1980). Lumen Vitae: International Review of Religious Education, 35(1).

The Family, Feminism and Religious Education (1980). Religious Education: Journal of REA and APRRE, 75(3).

### **Publications: Book Reviews**

Finding God Again: Spirituality for Adults, Journal of Adult Theological Education, 2010, (forthcoming).

Water is Thicker Than Blood Theology Today ,66,3,2009.

Black Religious Experience Horizons ,36,1, 2009.

The Religious Education of Adults Journal of Adult Theological Education, 3,1,2006.

The Geography of Faith: Underground Conversations on Religious, Political and Social Change. (2002). The Living Light 39,2.

Forging a Better Religious Education in the Third Millennium (2000). The Living Light, 36 (Winter).

Theologies of Religious Education, Religious Education, 93 (3), 1998.

Educating Religiously in the Multi-Faith School (1993). Religious Education, 88 (1).

Religious Education as a Second Language (1992). Religious Education, 87 (4).

How Faith Matures (1991). Horizons, 18(1).

Fashion Me a People: Curriculum in the Church (1990). Horizons, 17 (1).

Adolescent Spirituality: Pastoral Ministry for High School and College Youth (1986). Religious Education, 81.

Sourcebook for Modern Catechetics (1986). Horizons, 13 (1).

Contemporary Approaches to Christian Education (1983). Horizons, 10 (2).

Interplay: A Theory of Religion and Education (1982). Religious Education, 77 (2).

Ministry and Education in Conversation (1981). The Living Light, 18 (3).

The Art of Thomas Merton (1981). Cithara, 20 (2).

Paradoxes of Education in a Republic (1980). Religious Education, 75,(4).

Christian Religious Education (1980). New Catholic World, 223 (6).

Myths in Education (1979). Religious Education, 74(3).

## **Professional Activities**

### **1.General**

Executive Board REA/APRRE (2007-2010).

Executive Board REA/APRRE (2003-2005).

Serving on the Governing Board of the Institute of Irish Studies, Fordham University (2000-2005).

Designed, developed and taught graduate course, Catholic Education: An Introduction, to Canadian students in Teacher Training at St. Bonaventure University, 1993-1994.

.Journal reviewer and referee on a regular basis for Religious Education: Horizons and Journal of Adult Theological Education., and book reviewer for Twenty Third Publications, Rowman and Littlefield, Liturgical Press.

Served on University Committee to review Pontifical Document on Catholic Universities.

## **2.Honors**

Member of a three-year research initiative, "The Youth Discipleship Project", funded by the Lilly Endowment with a 1.2 million grant. (1998-2001).

Merit increment award 1999, 2001, 2003,2005,2007,2008. GSRRE, Fordham University.

.St. Bonaventure Faculty Research Grant Award  
1981,1982,1983,1984,1985,1986,1987,1988,1989,1991,1993.

Appointed representative of APPRE to Conference Planning Committee (1983) of Religious Education Association.

.Elected to Executive board of the American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education, 1981-1983 , 2003-2005 and 2007-2010.

## **3.Professional Development**

Quest for the Living God, Lecture by Elizabeth Johnson, Drew University, January 14, 2009.

The Uniqueness of Jesus, Lecture by Roger Haight SJ Drew University , Sept. 22, 2009.

Intercultural Communication: Symposium on Communicative Theology, Fordham University, February28-March 1,2008

Fiction as Truth, REA:APPRRE Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill., November 7-9, 2008

Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the Lord, Pastoral Convocation, Fordham University, April 4, 2008

Confronting Power and Sex in the Catholic Church, lecture by Bishop Geoffrey Robinson, Morristown, NJ, May 21, 2008.

Speaking the Truth Frankly in Ministry, presentation by Dr. Thomas Beaudoin,Doctoral Colloquium, GSRRE, Fordham, October24, 2008.

Evolution and Faith: What Is At Stake? Lecture by John Haight sponsored by Fordham Center on Religion and Culture. Nov. 5,2007.

REA:APPRRE Annual Meeting, Boston, November 2-4,2007.

REA: APPRRE Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. November 3-5, 2006.

“The Teaching Ministry of the Congregations”, presentation by Richard Osmer, Doctoral Colloquium, Oct. 27, 2006.

“Irish American Men of the Cloth,” Institute of Irish Studies, Fordham University, March 6, 2004.

“Shall the Laity Be Liberated”? Scott Appleby, Sapientia et Doctrina, Fordham University March 25, 2004

“ The Word of the Wise: Faith and Poetic Imagination”, Wendy Wright, Sapientia et Doctrina, Fordham University, March 30, 2004.

“Justice in a Globalizing World: The Jesuit Perspective”, Sapientia et Doctrina, Paul Locatelli, SJ May 3, 2004

“Pastoral Conference: Human Sexuality in the Roman Catholic Tradition” , Fordham University, October 28-29,2004.

“Teaching Peace in Times of War" with Fr. Daniel Berrigan SJ., March 5, 2003.

"Changing Challenges for the Ethic of War" by Bryan Hehir, Fordham University, February 6, 2002.

"The Church and Irish America", all day conference Fordham University, March 9, 2002.

"Sacred Territoriality: Prospects for Jewish, Christian and Muslim Trialogue since September 11, by Patrick Ryan, Fordham University, April 29, 2002.

"The Population of Hell" by Avery Dulles, Fordham University, McGinley Lecture, November 20, 2002.

"The Church in Present Day Ireland ", all day conferences with presentations by Dr. Dermot Keogh, Rev. Seamus Murphy,SJ, Dr. Patricia Casey and Rev. Vincent Twomey, March 10, 2001, at Fordham University.

"Are There Some Things Money Can't Buy?: Markets, Moral, and Civil Life", The Gannon Lecture by Dr. Michael Sandel, Professor of Government at Harvard University, February 13, 2001 at Fordham University.

"The Roots of the African American Religious Experience", lecture by Dr. Albert Raboteau, Professor, Religion Department, Princeton University, and February 7, 2001 at Fordham University.

"Islam's Challenge to Christianity", lecture by Fr. Gerhard Bowering, S.J., Professor of Islamic Studies, Yale University, September 26, 2000 at Fordham University.

"Zen's Gift to the West", lecture by Rev. Robert Kennedy, S.J., Professor of Theology, St. Peter's College, Jersey City, NJ, April 5,2000 at Fordham University.

"The Papacy for a Global Church: Questions at Issue", McGinley Lecture by Rev. Avery Dulles, S.J., The Laurence J. McGinley Professor, Fordham University, March 22,2000 at Fordham University.

"Goddess in the Classroom: The Promotion of Religious Diversity on the Jesuit Campus", lecture by Rev. Francis Clooney, S.J. Professor of Theology, Boston College, March 9,2000 at Fordham University.

"The North American Intellectual Tradition", lecture by Camille Paglia, Professor of Humanities, Philadelphia College of Performing Arts, February 17,2000 at Fordham University.

"The Scapegoat Generation: America's War on Adolescence," lecture by Dr. Mike Males, Professor at University of California at Irvine, at Claremont School of Theology, Claremont, Ca. January 29, 1999.

"Body , Eating and Identity: Multiple Perspectives," presentation at Fordham University, February 17, 1999.

"Problems of a World Ethic," lecture by Hans Kung, professor Emeritus at Tübingen University, at Fordham University, February 18, at 12:30 pm, 1999.

Fordham Faculty Seminar with Hans Kung, Walsh Library, Fordham University, February 18, at 3:30 pm, 1999.

Symposium on the encyclical of Pope John Paul II, Fides et Ratio, with guest speaker Kenneth L. Woodward, senior writer for Newsweek magazine, and responses by Fr. Joseph Koterski and Professor Susan Simmonaitis at Fordham University, March 2, 1999.

"The Vocation of Teaching: The Ignatian Spirit and the Soul Pedagogy," presented by Gerald Blaszcak, SJ, University Chaplain and Rector, Fordham Jesuit Community, at Louis Calder Center, Fordham University, Armonk,NY., April 17,1999.

"Christian Jewish Relations: Controversies and Challenges for the Future," presentation by Dr. Eugene Fisher, at the John Courtney Murray Forum, Fordham University, May 4,1999.

Partners in Healing Conference, keynote presentation by Dr. James Forbes, Senior Minister Riverside Church. NY and a series of workshops by guest lecturers, at Fordham University, September 25, 1999.

"Particularity, Universalism and Religious Pluralism," American Professors and Researchers in Religious Education Conference, in Toronto, Canada, October 15-17, 1999.

"Aliens and Others: A Crisis of Discernment, I and II," Quentin Lauer Memorial lectures by Dr. Richard Kearney, University College, Dublin, Ireland at Fordham University, November 17 and November 18, 1999.

"Sailing Beyond the Horizon: Challenges for the Third Millennium," Conference at Louis Calder Center, Armonk, NY. April 4, 1998.

"Megatrends in Twentieth Century American Catholicism," Conference at St. Elizabeth's College, Convent Station, NJ, September 19, 1998.

"Catholic Education: Recovering the Past," presenter Dr. James Davidson at St. Elizabeth's College, Convent Station, NJ Sept. 19, 1998.

"Personality Types: Jung," presented by Dr. Barry Childers at Public Library Fairlawn, NJ, September 12, 1998.

"Catholic Identity: Religion and Education-Past, Present and Future," conference at Fordham University, October 31, 1998.

"Differing Journeys: Masculine and Feminine Spirituality," presenters Drs. John Shea and Janet Ruffing at Fordham University, March 24 and March 31, 1998

Seminar on Postmodernism, presenter Dr. Karen Barnhardt, at Fordham University (Lincoln CT) April 3, 1998.

Participant in Educational Conferences at the Renewal Center Kirkridge, Pa. (1985, 1987, 1992).

Regular participation at regional conferences of APRRE and The College Theology Society .

Educational Leadership Course (1986), 3 credits, in Graduate Department of Educational Administration, Supervision and Curriculum, St. Bonaventure University.

#### **4. Lecture and Workshop Invitation**

Human Sexuality in Roman Catholicism: A Tradition in Transformation, Invited Lecture in Religious Studies at Misericordia University, Dallas, PA. March 28, 2008

Marrying Well: A Theology of Christian Marriage. A four part lecture series sponsored by the Northern NJ Association of Churches, Jan./Feb. 2007.

Paths to the Sacred: The Religious Journey. A four part lecture series sponsored by the Northern NJ Association of Churches, Jan./Feb. 2006.

Film as Religious Experience: Screening the 10 Commandments. A four part lecture series sponsored by the Northern NJ Association of Churches, Jan./Feb. 2005

Tradition and Transformation: The Catholic Story. A four part lecture series sponsored by Northern NJ Association of Churches, Jan./Feb. 2003

Mission and Ministry in the Church Today. Presentation in Scripture Lecture Series at Sacred Heart Church, Suffern, NY, June 5,2001.

Meeting God in the Seasons of Our Lives. Presentation at New Rochelle Church of God, New Rochelle, NY, June 24, 2001.

Re-imagining Catholicism. A series of four presentations in a collaborative adult religious education program (Growing in Faith and Theology) sponsored by a cluster of area churches in Bergen County, NJ, January 17,24 and 31, and February 7,2002 at St. Elizabeth's, Wyckoff, NJ.

Aging and the Spiritual Journey. Presentation, (February 7,1999) St. Mary's Greenwich, CT.

RCIA and Models of Religious Education. Presentation as part of the Living Church Program for St. Margaret's Institute, Diocese of Dunkeld, Scotland, at Fordham University March 24,1999.

Imagination and Religious Education; Winter seminar presentation, Fordham, Jan.20,1996

Thanksgiving: The Gift of Religious Traditions. Presentation at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Pompton Plains, N.J. Nov.22,1995

Re-Imagining Parish Ministry: Resources for an Emerging Future. Two workshop presentations (Sept.1989) at Western New York Conference on Catholic Education.

Education: Friend or Foe to Congregational Life. Presentation (Oct.1987) at First Presbyterian Church, Olean, N. Y.

Religious Education as Symbolic Re-shaping of the Christian Community. Series of lectures (June 1986) to Diocesan Directors of New England, Richfield, Conn.

Profession and Professionalizing Religious Educators. Lecture (Feb.1986) to

Directors of Religious Education Archdiocese of Hartford, Conn.

Spiritual Formation: A Catholic Perspective. Lecture (May 1986) at Houghton College.

Religious Education as Disclosure,Disruption,Discernment. Lecture (May, 1985) at Unification Theological Seminary, Barrytown, NY

Leadership Training Program. Workshops (1985-1986) for Churches of Southern Tier, Communiiversity Program, St.Bonaventure University.

Presented a series of lectures (5) on The Educator's Role in Inviting Youth into the Public Sphere at the Tenth Annual Workshop on Youth Ministry, (June 17-22, 1984) at St. John's University, New York.

Adolescence and Conversion: Toward Religious Maturity. Presentation (Oct.1983) at Third Annual Evangelization Conference, Chicago, Illinois.

Catechesis and Priestly Formation. Lecture (Nov.1982) at Christ the King Seminary, East Aurora, N.Y.

### **Professional Affiliations**

Religious Education Association: An Association of Professors, Practitioners and Researchers in Religious Education.

College Theology Society

