University Seminar on Mission #28 Syllabus Fall 2024 Fridays 10:00 – 12:00 p.m.

Facilitator: Msgr. C. Anthony Ziccardi

1. September 27: Overview and Introductions

Commentary by Msgr. Anthony Ziccardi Reading: Newly revised Seton Hall: A Catholic University

2. October 4: Recent History of Catholic Higher Education in America

Commentary by Msgr. Anthony Ziccardi Readings: James Burtchaell, "The Decline and Fall of the Christian College," Parts I and II

3. October 18: A Catholic Vision of Education

Commentary by Msgr. Anthony Ziccardi

Readings: *Ex corde Ecclesiae*, 1990 *Land O'Lakes Statement*, 1967, 26 US educators at IFCU meeting Joseph W. Koterski, S.J., "Taking a Catholic View on Academic Freedom" Stanley Fish, "Academic Freedom is not a Divine Right"

4. October 25: The Core and the Heart of Catholic Higher Education

Commentary by Dr. Anthony Sciglitano

Readings: "Declaration on the Relation of the Church to Non-Christian Religions;" Nostra Aetate; John C. Cavadini, "Why Study God? The Role of Theology at a Catholic University"

5. November 1: The Catholic Intellectual Tradition

Commentary by Msgr. Richard Liddy Reading: Richard Liddy, "Newman's Idea of a University"

6. November 8: Mission and the Transformation of Culture

Commentary by Msgr. Richard Liddy Reading: Richard Liddy, "Research as Conversion"

7. November 15: Make-up session - if needed