

FACULTY PROFILE



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Biography

Professional Activity

My ongoing work in biblical theology focuses primarily on enmity and polarization in the biblical world and the ways in which biblical texts have been employed to perpetuate those same things in our world. My studies also probe biblical themes of reconciliation and forgiveness.

Other Interests

I have served numerous adjunct roles at Valparaiso University's Chapel of the Resurrection, contribute regularly to publications that offer text studies and other resources for preaching in the church, and write a fortnightly column on matters religious for the NW Indiana Post-Tribune

Education

B.A. - Concordia Senior College
1967M.Div. - Concordia Seminary,
St. Louis 1971S.T.M. - Concordia
Seminary, St. Louis 1973Th.D. - Christ
Seminary-Seminex 1979

Certifications

Valparaiso University's 2008-2009 Distinguished Teaching Award, presented annually by the VU Alumni Association.

Courses Taught

- The Christian Tradition (THEO 200)
- The Pentateuch (THEO 314/514)
- Jesus and the Gospels (THEO 318/518)
- Basic Homily Preparation (THEO 481)

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