



*In Celebration of
Black History Month*

- ◆ Black Catholic Ministry, Diocese of Toledo
- ◆ Corpus Christi University Parish, and the
- ◆ Youth, Young Adult and Campus Ministry Office,
Diocese of Toledo present:

**An evening lecture with
Reverend Bryan Massingale, STD, Marquette
University: Department of Theology.**

“Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Catholic Social Thought”

Corpus Christi University Parish at the University of Toledo
2955 Dorr Street, Toledo, Ohio
(Directly across from the South Entrance to UT's Main Campus)

**Wednesday, February 7, 2007
5:30 p.m.**



Reverend Bryan Massingale, (S.T.D., Accademia Alphoncianum, 1991) is a priest of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. He received his undergraduate education at Marquette University. He then attended St. Francis Seminary in Milwaukee where he earned a Master of Divinity degree. Ordained to the priesthood in 1983, for three years he was an associate pastor at an urban parish. He then attended the Catholic University of America in Washington, DC earning a graduate degree in moral theology. He completed his formal education in Rome at the Pontifical Institute for Moral Theology earning the degree Doctor of Moral Theology, “summa cum laude”.

He currently is Associate Professor of Theology at Marquette University in Milwaukee and adjunct professor of moral theology at Saint Francis Seminary. He is also a professor in the Institute for Black Catholic Studies at Xavier University in New Orleans.

Fr. 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 over thirty articles, book chapters, and book reviews. These have been published in journals such as *Theological Studies*, *New Theology Review*, *Philosophy and Theology*, *Origins*, *U.S. Catholic*, and *Catholic Peace Voice*.

He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Catholic Theological Society of America and sits on the Executive Committee of the Black Catholic Theological Symposium. He has served as a theological consultant to the National Black Catholic Congress. He is a consultant to the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops, providing theological assistance on issues such as criminal justice, capital punishment, environmental justice, and affirmative action. He is currently working with the U.S. Bishops on a forthcoming pastoral statement on the sin of racism. He will present a plenary paper this fall at a Catholic scholars consultation on the environment that explores the implications of the option for the poor for environmental justice.

**For more information, contact the Office of Black Catholic Ministry at 419-244-6711 ext. 511/515.
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