GARAVENTA CENTER SPRING EVENTS 2022

For more information on the Beckman Humor Project: up.edu/beckmanhumor

For ADA accommodations, event updates or information call 503-943-7702 or email garaventa@up.edu

MARCH

Tuesday, 3/15
5pm
Doyle Auditorium
(Dundon-Berchtold 004)

Sister Thea Bowman: What a Humble Black Franciscan Can Teach Us About Global Leadership—Beckman Humor Project Event*

Dr. Deborah Pembleton, College of St. Benedict/St. John's University, examines how a humble Black nun from Canton, Mississippi infused Catholicism with gospel music, influenced global leadership and cultural competence and carried out the business of life through strength, the love of God and energized laughter. Livestream at: upportland.zoom.us/j/96844925984.

Tuesday, 3/22
7:30pm
UP Bookstore

Book Reading with Karen Eifler

Garaventa Center Director, Karen Eifler, launches her book, Near Occasions of Hope: One Woman’s Glimpses of the Church That Can Be into the world. Sponsored by the UP English department.

Thursday, 3/24
5pm
Doyle Auditorium
(Dundon-Berchtold 004)

“So a Cognitive Psychologist and a Theologian Walk into a Bar...”—Beckman Humor Project Event*

Dr. Marianne Lloyd of Seton Hall University and Fr. Kevin Grove, CSC, of Notre Dame, examine the intersections of psychology and theology in humor and memory, and how both can make life and prayer more meaningful and enjoyable. Livestream at: upportland.zoom.us/j/96844925984.

Tuesday, 3/29
4:30pm
UP Bookstore

Book Launch with Rachel Wheeler

Dr. Rachel Wheeler’s, UP Theology, launches her books Desert Daughters, Desert Sons: Rethinking the Christian Desert Tradition, which received an Honorable Mention in the classical spirituality category from the Catholic Media Association 2021 Awards, and Ecospirituality: An Introduction.

APRIL

Thursday, 4/7
4:30pm
UP Bookstore

Book Launch with Andrew Guest: Soccer in Mind

In his book, Soccer in Mind, UP’s Dr. Andrew Guest uses social sciences to explore how soccer intersects with culture, society, and the self. Readers will gain new ways of understanding fanaticism, identity, peak performance, globalization, talent development, and more.

Wednesday, 4/13
12:45pm
UP Chapel

Lenten Visio Divina

UP’s Dr. Eifler will lead this contemplative prayer practice using a sacred image from The Saint John's Bible - Suffering Servant - directly following the noon Mass in the Chapel of Christ the Teacher.

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ONGOING EVENTS 2022

Pre-Play Reception and Panel

All ticket holders are invited to enjoy complimentary wine and small bites as campus experts highlight what to look and listen for.

Saturday, February 19 The Moors

Saturday, April 2 & 9 Company

Reception 6:15PM, Panel 6:45PM, Play 7:30pm | Mago Hunt Theater Lobby

Purchase play tickets at: onthestage.tickets/university-of-portland1 (Proof of covid-19 vaccine required)

Thirst Friday

This no agenda social is open to all UP staff and faculty. Enjoy libations, laughter and great conversation!

Friday, 4-6PM, Apr 22

Faith & Intellectual Life Discussion Group

Open to all UP staff and faculty. Readings are posted at: up.edu/garaventa/fildg.

Fridays, 3:30-5PM; Jan. 28 & Apr 1 | Murphy Conference Hall, 4th Floor Franz Hall