

## **2020 REV. WILLIAM A. TOOHEY, C.S.C., AWARD FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE**

The Rev. William A. Toohey, C.S.C., Award for Social Justice this year recognizes a graduate of Notre Dame Law School who returned to the University four years ago as the first director for academic diversity and inclusion. Her work has a direct tie to Catholic Social Tradition, whether she is overseeing faculty orientation on cultural competency; providing training on microaggressions, race, color, and gender issues; or facilitating inclusive hiring practices she was instrumental in developing. This past fall she coordinated “Open Minds, Loving Hearts, and an Engaged Community,” a conference attended by hundreds of students, faculty, and staff. Described as “one of the most caring, insightful, and dedicated people around,” she has also led efforts to connect diversity officers from colleges and universities across the country, including by forming a group for those working at Catholic institutions.

The University of Notre Dame is proud to present the  
2020 Rev. William A. Toohey, C.S.C., Award for Social Justice to

**Pamela Nolan Young**  
*Director for Academic Diversity and Inclusion*