2022 FACULTY AWARD

The Faculty Award honors a faculty member who, in the opinion of his or her colleagues, has contributed outstanding service to the University, such as through leadership activities, mentoring of peers, or exemplary dedication to students. An accomplished theological scholar, the recipient’s impact has been felt within the University and around the world. A member of the Notre Dame faculty since 1990, his scholarship has advanced the Catholic intellectual tradition, and his leadership has positively contributed to the University through his service as past chair of the Theology Department and as director of the McGrath Institute for Church Life for 22 years. His selfless, passionate commitment to his students has likewise been exceptional as measured by accolades including the Burns Award for Graduate Teaching, Kaneb Award for Excellence in Teaching, and Joyce Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching. In 2009, Pope Benedict XVI appointed him to a five-year term on the International Theological Commission and named him a member of the Equestrian Order of St. Gregory the Great, classis civilis.

The University of Notre Dame is proud to present the 2022 Faculty Award to

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