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### IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### SPECIAL THEOLOGY PROGRAM OFFERED TO ADULTS

SAN DIEGO, Calif. --A series of six weekly lectures on "The Fact of Faith" will initiate an adult program on theology at the University of San Diego.

Sponsored by the Diocesan Ecumenical Commission and the Liturgical Commission the talks each Thursday at 8 p. m. from Feb. 6 through March 13 will give an "overview" of dogma, moral theology, scripture and liturgy, according to Rev. John R. Portman, chairman of the Ecumenical Commission.

The program is under the chairmanship of Dr. John Swanke, associate professor of Philosophy at USD. "It has been developed to involve the laity in the thinking of their religion and their faith rather than the blind indoctrination that has gone in the past," he said.

Swanke will give the first lecture on "Faith is much more than the passive acceptance of facts--it is dynamic life in Christ." Other lecturers include Father Portman, Fr. Michael Alcaraz, rector of St. Francis Seminary, and Fr. Laurence Dolan, assistant professor of Theology at USD

All lectures will be held in the auditorium of the USD College for Women. Registration fee is \$10 per person or \$15 per couple for the series.

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