

# Edward P. Hahnenberg, Ph.D.

## Lay Ministry: Where It's Been, Where It's Going

Tuesday, April 9, 2019, Loyola Room, Jesuit School of Theology, 6:45 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Ministry has undergone profound changes since the Second Vatican Council. Clergy and laity are called to ever greater collaboration in ministry: to hand on the faith and serve the faithful, and to inspire and equip all of the baptized to become "missionary disciples" for the transformation of the world. Lay ecclesial ministers face particular questions of identity, recognition, and resilience. What can we learn from the past so as to face the future with hope and renewed commitment to work toward the reign of God?

## Informal Lunch Discussion

Wednesday, April 10, 2019, Manresa Lounge, 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Join Professor Hahnenberg for informal conversation about the place of lay ministry in the Church today. Students, faculty and staff are welcome to attend. Please RSVP by Friday, April 5, 2019, to Mary Beth Lamb (melamb@scu.edu).

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He is the author of *A Church with Open Doors: Catholic Ecclesiology for the Third Millennium* (edited with Richard Gaillardetz) and *Theology for Ministry: An Introduction for Lay Ministers*. Dr. Hahnenberg is currently a delegate to the U.S. Lutheran-Catholic Dialogue and was a theological consultant to the U.S. Bishops' Subcommittee on Lay Ministry in its preparation of the document, *Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the Lord*.

