



[Cardinal DiNardo to Speak on Faith and Reason, Oct. 1](#)



His Eminence Daniel Cardinal DiNardo will speak on "Faith and Reason in the Modern Catholic University" at 7:30 p.m., Oct. 1 in UST Jones Hall as part of the University's Catholic Intellectual Tradition Lecture Series. Cardinal DiNardo will examine Pope John Paul II's encyclical, "Fides et Ratio." He will also discuss the role of the Catholic university in promoting and sustaining the proper relationship between faith and reason.

[AARP Names St. Thomas on List of Best Employer for Workers Over 50](#)



University of St. Thomas in Houston has been named by AARP to its 2009 list of Best Employers for Workers Over 50. This annual recognition program acknowledges companies and organizations whose policies best address an aging workforce. "AARP commended the University of St. Thomas for creating and fostering a workplace that is supportive of the contributions of older workers and for creating an age-diverse workplace," said UST's Human Resources Director John Meuser.

[CIS Launches Online Magazine](#)



To celebrate the legacy of its late director Gustavo Wensjoe, the Center for International Studies has launched its online magazine, *Connections in International Studies*. Read about the college experience of a non-traditional student; find out what it takes to forge a global university network; and learn why it is so important to study abroad.

[UST MicroCredit Program Hosts 3rd Annual Fundraiser](#)



University of St. Thomas MicroCredit Program invites the Houston community by attending the third annual *Dum Spiro* fundraising event at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 8 to help assist entrepreneurs in developing countries. *Dum Spiro*, Latin for

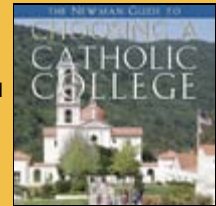
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[The Newman Guide to Choosing a Catholic College Recommends University of St. Thomas](#)

In This Issue:

The University of St. Thomas has been named as one of 21 top Catholic colleges and universities by the Cardinal Newman Society for the second time. The listing will be published in *The Newman Guide to Choosing a Catholic College*, a unique resource for parents and students seeking a faithful Catholic education. It features university profiles and several essays to help families better understand the search for a strong Catholic College.



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"while I breathe," signifies the determination to continue the Program's mission of student activism and poverty alleviation around the world through microlending.

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UST Msgr. William Steele Lecture Presents Sister Sara Butler, "Women in the Priesthood"



University of St. Thomas Msgr. William Steele Lecture presents Sister Sara Butler, MSBT, STL, Ph.D. at 7 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 16. Her lecture, "The Reservation of Priestly Ordination to Men: An Analysis of the Catholic Debate" will show how the apparent conflict between the doctrine of women's equal rights and dignity and the Catholic doctrine of the priesthood was resolved in favor of the Catholic Tradition.

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