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*Sharing God's Love Through Media*



## Legacy Campaign Update

Since the launching of our campaign to raise funds for the 4-room addition to our building, 136 donors have given \$112,820.50, which is approximately 34.2% of the total of \$329,600 needed.

Fifty-four of our supporters contributed to the \$10,000 Matching Fund at \$20,300.50! Now we welcome new "match" challenges!

Nine friends have given at least \$500 to have a picture of their loved ones placed in the Legacy Room where we will celebrate a weekly Mass to pray for all of them.

More gifts are still "out there." So far, at least \$30,000 has been pledged toward the Legacy Campaign.

So – and you knew this was coming – if you haven't given yet, would you consider a Christmas gift to the Campaign before the end of this year? January 2019 is our target date to begin construction. Your participation will be an essential element of this great event!

Know of our prayers for you and your family each day. Thanks so very much for your continued support. ☺

*From all of us here at Wordnet  
to you, our fellow laborers  
in this corner of the Lord's  
Vineyard, thank you and  
Merry Christmas!*



**Join your prayers to ours!**





Sr Diane Bergant, CSA

## WORDNET SPONSORS TWO NEW SERIES

**T**he one is a Sister, the other a Priest. Both are Doctors and Wordnet is delighted to share their God given gifts with you.

Dianne Bergant, C.S.A., is Professor of Biblical Studies at Catholic Theological Union in Chicago. She holds a BS in Elementary Education from Marian College, Fond du Lac, WI; an MA and PhD in Biblical Languages and Literature from St. Louis University.

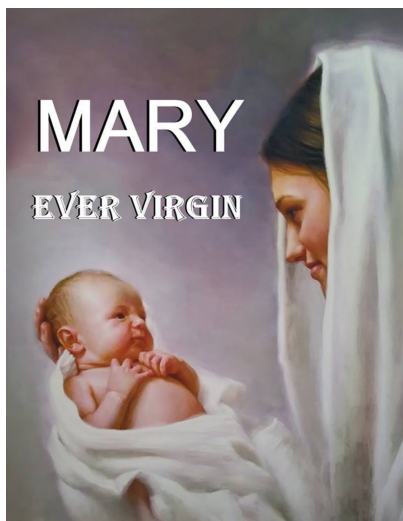
Dianne Bergant was President of the Catholic Biblical Association of America (2000-1) and has been an active member of the Chicago Catholic/Jewish Scholars Dialogue for the past 20 years. She is now on the editorial board of Biblical Theology Bulletin, and Chicago Studies. She is currently working in the areas of biblical interpretation and biblical theology, particularly issues of peace, ecology and feminism.

Martin Padovani, SVD, is the recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award for the "Champion of Life." Father Martin is a Divine Word Missionary and a psychologist specializing in individual, marriage and family therapy. Located in the greater New York area, his practice has helped thousands. Among his many writings Father Padovani is the author of *Healing Wounded Emotions* and *Healing Wounded Relationships*, both of which are available in our gift shop in English and Spanish and make excellent Christmas Gifts.

Both of these outstanding Lecturers and Counselors have been interviewed and recorded by Wordnet. Sister Dianne's programs are already on [wordnettv.net](http://wordnettv.net) and YouTube. Father Padovani's lectures will commence in the new year. Please check our weekly mailings for the times. (Anyone interested in being added to our weekly mailings, please write to [dev@wordnet.tv](mailto:dev@wordnet.tv) or call 1-909-383-4333. ☺



Fr Marty Padovani, SVD



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