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## **Ave Maria University Unveils ‘The Wisdom Papers’**

*New publication seeks to edify Catholics with insightful content on pertinent issues*

**AVE MARIA, Fla., Dec. 4, 2024** - Ave Maria University recently released the first two editions of its new, monthly print and digital publication, “**The Wisdom Papers**,” a series of relevant reflections on contemporary conversations from the faculty of Ave Maria University.

The first edition of “The Wisdom Papers” featured an essay from Dr. Seana McGuire Sugrue titled, “Pro-Life After Dobbs,” which addresses the pro-life landscape, including the challenges pro-lifers face, in the wake of the *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization* decision by the United States Supreme Court, which made abortion a states’ rights issue. In November, Dr. Samuel Shephard explored the relationship between harvest time and stewardship just in time for the Thanksgiving holiday.

View and download the first and second editions of “**The Wisdom Papers**” [here](#). Future editions will feature essays such as:

December 2024: “O wondrous humility,” a reflection on Augustine’s Christmas sermons by Dr. Gerald Boersma

January 2025: “Thomas More’s Call to Holiness,” by Dr. Travis Curtright

February 2025: “Organizational Health and Leadership,” by Prof. Mary Hunt

March 2025: “Saint Joseph the Engineer,” by Dr. Alex Tsai

“Guided by *Ex corde ecclesiae*, which calls for Catholic universities to pursue fullness of truth and disseminate knowledge for the good of the Church and society,” says Roger Nutt, provost, “Ave Maria University is delighted to start publishing ‘The Wisdom Papers’ so that the research and learning of our renowned faculty can be a resource for those beyond the physical boundaries of our beautiful campus.”

Future editions of “The Wisdom Papers” will feature essays from Ave Maria University professors that focus on relevant and edifying topics such as: the role stewardship has with feasting times; euthanasia and the dignity of the elderly and suffering; how and why St. Joseph is the patron saint of engineers; makers and creators; the practical role of economics and its applications in our daily lives as humans and Christians; and examining Mary’s role as our mother, among others.

For more information, please visit [www.wisdompapers.org](http://www.wisdompapers.org).

For additional information, or to schedule an interview with Roger Nutt, provost of Ave Maria University, please contact Kevin Wandra of Carmel Communications at 404-788-1276 or [kwandra@carmelcommunications.com](mailto:kwandra@carmelcommunications.com).

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### **About Ave Maria University**

Ave Maria University is a Catholic institution of higher learning located in Ave Maria, Florida. Ave Maria University was established in 2003 as a Catholic university, according to the guidelines of the Code of Canon Law by the Most Rev. Frank J. Dewane, Bishop of the Diocese of Venice in Florida. The recognition of Ave Maria University as a Catholic University is granted upon the university’s commitment to continue to be guided by the teachings of the Catholic Church and faithfulness to the apostolic constitution *Ex Corde Ecclesiae*. Ave Maria University is committed to helping its students develop the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in life and grow in their appreciation of truth. The goal of AMU is simple: to build the foundation of a truly Catholic university that forms future generations of truly Catholic men and women faithful to the Magisterium of the Church. For more information about Ave Maria University, please visit [www.avemaria.edu](http://www.avemaria.edu).