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## IN THE DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

### **PAUL LAKELAND TO OPEN SERIES ON VATICAN II**

Paul Lakeland, Director of Catholic Studies at Fairfield University, will speak on “The Second Vatican Council: Does It Still Matter?” on Thursday, September 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Congregational Church on the Green in Norwalk. His talk will inaugurate the series, sponsored by Voice of the Faithful in the Diocese of Bridgeport, commemorating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Pope John XXIII’s convocation of the Second Vatican Council. Professor Lakeland is author of *Catholicism at the Crossroads* and *The Liberation of the Laity*.

Subsequent speakers include: John Thiel, Fairfield University; Madeleine Boucher, Fordham University; Kathleen Deignan and Elena Procario-Foley, Iona College; Ellen Umansky, Fairfield University; Brian Stiltner, Sacred Heart University; and Nancy Dallavalle, Fairfield University. All sessions are free and everyone is invited to attend.

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