WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2017
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. • Gasson Hall, Room 100 • Boston College

This conference convenes a group of distinguished scholars and university presidents to reflect on the impact of the controversial 1967 “Land O’ Lakes Statement” on Catholic higher education, the Catholic intellectual tradition in North America, and, more broadly, the relationship between religion and American public life.

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9:00 AM • Welcome and Opening Remarks
Mark Massa, S.J., Boston College

9:15 AM • Opening Keynote: “The Land O’ Lakes Agreement in Historical Context”
• John McGreevy, Notre Dame
• Moderator: Mark Massa, S.J., Boston College

10:30 AM • Panel 1: “The Legacy of Land O’ Lakes in Catholic Higher Education Today”
• Michael Hemesath, President, Saint John’s University
• John Jenkins, C.S.C., President, University of Notre Dame
• Linda LeMura, President, LeMoyne University
• Sean Sheridan, T.O.R., President, Franciscan University at Steubenville
• Peter Steinfels, Fordham University and New York Times
• Moderator: James O’Toole, Boston College

12:00 PM • Lunch

1:30 PM • Panel 2: “The Catholic Intellectual Tradition and Catholic Higher Education”
• Steven R. DiSalvo, President, Saint Anselm College
• Massimo Faggioli, Villanova University
• Greg Kalscheur, S.J., Boston College
• Brian Linnane, S.J., President, Loyola University Maryland
• Margaret O’Brien Steinfels, Fordham University and Commonweal
• Moderator: Erik Owens, Boston College

3:15 PM • Closing Remarks
William P. Leahy, S.J., President, Boston College

4:00 PM • Public Reception

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