



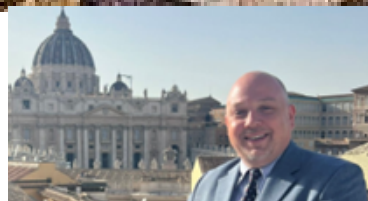
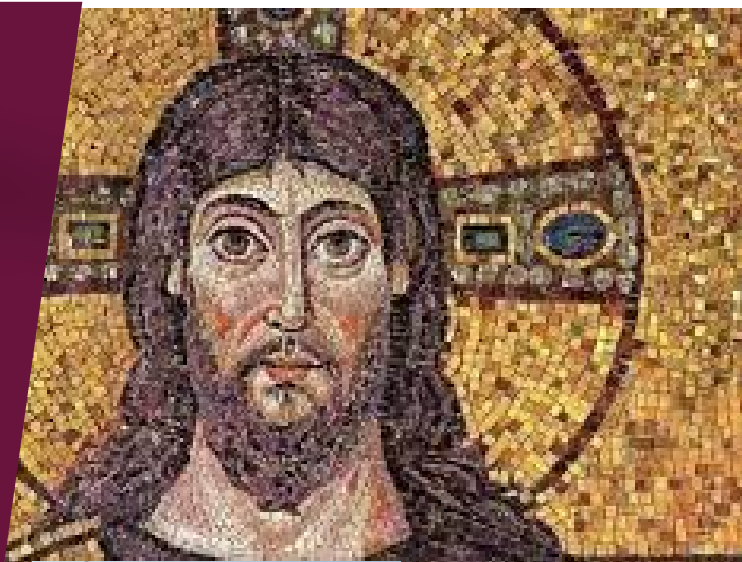
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The Theology of Popes Francis and Leo XIV

*With Dr. Mike Canaris IPS Faculty
8 weeks via Zoom, in ROME from May 23 to
June 2, 2026*



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This course is designed to explore the theological, pastoral, and diplomatic contributions of Popes Francis and Leo XIV, particularly from spiritual and ecclesiological angles. Given the design of the course as a hybrid online/**required** Rome immersion model, it will intersect in meaningful ways with relevant site visits and personal dialogues with ecclesial voices who were in close orbit to both of these remarkable figures.

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