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**Mount Mary College Welcomes New Board of Trustees Members**

**MILWAUKEE** (June 14, 2012) – Two new members have joined Mount Mary College’s Board of Trustees, President Eileen Schwalbach announced. Board members each serve a three-year term. The new members are:

**José A. Olivieri**, of Milwaukee, WI is a partner in the Milwaukee law firm, Michael, Best & Friedrich where he serves as the firm’s Chair of the Labor and Employment Practice Group. Olivieri also leads the firm’s Higher Education Special Practice Group. He serves as Chair of the Board of the United Community Center Board of Directors and is a member of the Board of Directors for YMCA of Greater Milwaukee and Milwaukee Art Museum. Olivieri is also a member of Senator Herb Kohl’s (D-Wisconsin) Task Force to provide advice on nominations to the United States Supreme Court.

**Thomas B. Puls II**, of New York, NY is a native of Milwaukee, WI and former founder and past President of the fashion business, DONNA RICCO. Puls is currently developing new business ventures in the areas of art, consumer products and caregiver networks. He serves on the Visiting Committee of the University of Chicago’s School of Social Service Administration, as well as residential boards of directors in New York City co-ops and condominiums.

***PHOTOS ATTACHED***

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Mount Mary College, founded in 1913 by the School Sisters of Notre Dame, was Wisconsin’s first four-year, degree-granting Catholic college for women. Located on an 80-acre campus in Milwaukee, the College offers more than 30 undergraduate majors for women and eight graduate programs for women and men. Mount Mary also emphasizes study abroad, service learning, and social justice initiatives. Its nearly 1900 students enjoy small class sizes (average 14) and over 90 percent of full-time students receive financial aid or scholarships. Through classroom instruction and community service, Mount Mary develops women to be leaders in their professions and their communities, serving as role models to inspire achievement in others. Visit Mount Mary at [www.mtmary.edu](http://www.mtmary.edu).

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