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Mount Mary College Student Newspaper Receives Associated Collegiate Press Award

MILWAUKEE (November 26, 2012) – The Mount Mary College student news publication, Arches, received third place in the Best in Show category for four-year non-weekly newspapers at the National Associate Collegiate Press Fall Media Convention. The ACP granted the award after a review of the November 2012 edition of Arches.

Over 2,500 student journalists from across the nation attended the event, which took place November 1-4 in Chicago, IL. This was the first time Mount Mary took part in the national conference and competed against colleges and universities of all sizes across the nation.

Arches focuses on news and events of interest to the College community and includes national, metropolitan, local and college news and features. It is a member of the Wisconsin Newspaper Association and a First Class status member of the Associated Collegiate Press. To learn more about the Associate Collegiate Press visit studentpress.org. To learn more about Arches, visit archesnews.com or e-mail mmc-arches@mtmary.edu.

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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 more than 1600 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.

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