THE REVOLUTION IN CATHOLIC THINKING ON THE JEWS

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Professor of History at the University of California Berkeley. Connelly will discuss the revolution in Catholic thinking about the Jews, shedding some light on the baffling silence of the Catholic Church during the Holocaust, and showcasing how the ancient teachings of the church subscribed to the view that Jews were cursed by God. How did an institution whose wisdom is said to be unchanging undertake one of the most enormous, yet undiscussed, ideological swings in modern history?

Author of From Enemy to Brother: The Revolution in Catholic Teaching on the Jews, 1933–1965, John Connelly moves from the speechless Vatican to a small, but mighty group of Catholics who endeavored to find a new language to speak to the Jews in the shadow of the Holocaust.

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