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AUTHENTICUM LECTURE:

THE CATHOLICITY OF BEAUTY

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THURSDAY, DEC. 5
Cebelak Hall
151 Garfield Ave. SW Grand Rapids

Wine & Cheese Social 6:30pm
LECTURE BEGINS: 7:00PM

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