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Chicago, IL — September 9, 2025 — Catholic Theological Union (CTU), one of the largest schools of theology and ministry in the United States, announces the upcoming inauguration of **Fr. Enzo Del Brocco, CP**, as its ninth President. The celebration takes place on **Sunday, September 28, 2025, at 3:00 PM** at CTU's campus in Hyde Park, Chicago.

A member of the Passionist community (St. Paul of the Cross Province), Fr. Enzo Del Brocco brings decades of pastoral, academic, and leadership experience to his new role. As President, he continues CTU's mission of forming leaders for the Church and the world.

"CTU is a remarkable community of faith and learning," says **Fr. Enzo Del Brocco, CP**. "Our graduates serve in more than sixty countries around the world as parish leaders, teachers, chaplains, campus ministers, justice advocates, and interreligious bridge-builders. It is my great pleasure to continue this legacy of preparing women and men—religious, lay, and ordained—for collaborative ministries in the global Church."

Founded in 1968 by the Franciscans, Passionists, and Servites in the wake of the Second Vatican Council, CTU establishes a new model of seminary formation in the heart of Chicago, near a major university, and in a diverse neighborhood rich in ecumenical and interreligious engagement. Today, that vision thrives. CTU's corporate ownership grows to twenty-one men's religious communities, and the school now forms students from more than forty countries.

The inauguration includes a celebration with participation from CTU's sponsoring religious communities, faculty, students, alumni, and friends, as well as civic and Church leaders from across Chicago and beyond.

About Catholic Theological Union

Catholic Theological Union is a Roman Catholic graduate school of theology and ministry located in the Hyde Park neighborhood of Chicago. Founded in 1968, following the Second Vatican Council, CTU prepares effective leaders for the Church, ready to witness to Christ's good news of justice, love, and peace. More than 4,500 CTU alumni have ministered in 60 countries worldwide. CTU is a premier school of theology and ministry, sponsored by twenty-four men's religious communities, with a global reputation for academic and pastoral excellence.