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The Preeminent Organization of Catholic CEOs & Business Leaders
Invites you to attend its

Boston Chapter's FEBRUARY MEETING! **Thursday, February 21, 2008**

Speaker: Msgr. Robert Deeley

Topic: "Inside the Vatican: A Boston Priest's Perspective"



Robert Deeley, a native of Belmont, graduated from Matignon High School and prepared for ordination at St. John Seminary, the Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. and at the Gregorian University, Rome. He is an alumnus of the Pontifical North American College. Cardinal Medeiros ordained him to the priesthood at his home parish on July 14, 1973. In 1978 he was appointed to the staff of the Metropolitan Tribunal. He returned to Rome for graduate studies in canon law, where he was awarded a doctorate in canon law (J.C.D) in 1986. His dissertation was about the canon law affecting Catholic colleges and universities. He returned to the Archdiocese of Boston and served on the Tribunal in various capacities being named Judicial Vicar in 1989. He was named pastor of Quincy's St. Ann Parish on Oct. 12, 1999.

In 2000 he assumed the presidency of the Canon Law Society of America, a mark of the esteem his peers in the ministry of canon law held him. Among his notable contributions to canon law was his membership on the Canon Law society committee that assisted in the second English translation of the 1983 Code of Canon Law. The late Pope John Paul II named Father Deeley a Prelate of Honor with the title of Rev. Msgr. on Dec. 13, 1995.

The archdiocese received formal notification on Sept. 16, 2005 of his appointment to the Holy See as an Official of the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith.



Thursday February 21, 2008
Weston Golf Club
275 Meadowbrook Road, Weston, MA

6:00 pm - Confession Available

6:30 pm - Mass

7:00 pm - Dinner and Program

Please RSVP by
February 15th to:

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Members' guests welcome for a \$75 dinner fee.