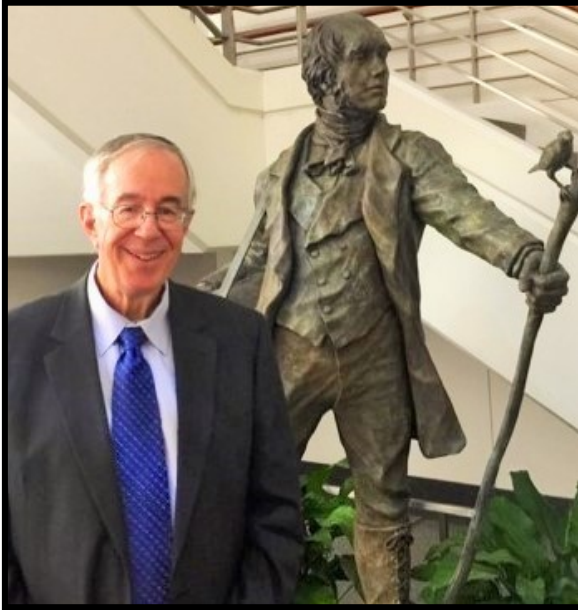


# ANNOUNCING A MAJOR PRESENTATION

## EVOLUTION AND FAITH: WHAT IS AT STAKE?



### OUR PRESENTER: JOHN F HAUGHT, Ph.D.

Distinguished Research Professor at Georgetown University, Dr. Haught specializes in the area of the relationship of science to religion. Author of 20 books, his most recent titles include:

***The Cosmic Story: A Look Inside***

(New Haven: Yale Univ. Press, forthcoming)

***Science and Faith: A New Introduction***

(New York: Paulist Press, 2012), translated into Lithuanian and Chinese.

***Making Sense of Evolution:***

***Darwin, God, and the Drama of Life***

(Louisville: Westminster/John Knox Press, February 2010).

***God and the New Atheism***

(Louisville: Westminster/John Knox Press, 2008), translated into Italian, Spanish and Dutch.

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Précis: *“Darwinian Theory seems to challenge religious trust in a providential God who purposefully creates, influences and eternally cares for the world.*

*Traditional Christian thought had no knowledge of biological evolution, although theologians were certainly aware of the suffering of humans and other living beings. Evolutionary science vastly extends the story of life and life's suffering (and creativity as well) beyond traditional theological understanding.*

*This lecture asks whether, after Darwin, we can reach an understanding of God that is consistent with biblical faith and Catholic theology, while remaining at the same time fully open to the findings of evolutionary biology.”*



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