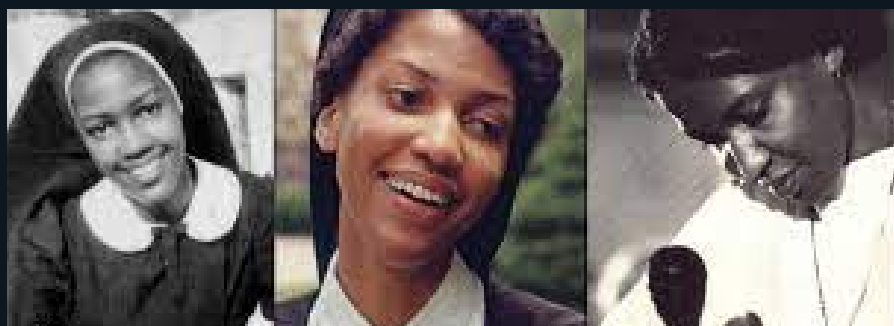


INAUGURAL THEA BOWMAN LECTURE

THE RADICAL TRANSCENDENCE OF BLACK CATHOLIC LIFE

Thea Bowman repeatedly urged that Black Catholics come to our Church “fully functioning,” that is, bring our gifts of history, tradition, experience, and culture; at the same time, she recognized that even should those gifts be ignored, neglected, or refused, Black Catholics must continue to present them. Thea Bowman’s life exemplifies the radical transcendence of Black Catholic life—walking in uncommon faithfulness, daring freedom, reaching out in solidarity to ‘others,’ transcending arbitrary limitations, striving to realize the radical potential of grace.



**TUESDAY,
NOVEMBER 15,
2022**

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Time:
6:00 pm - 7:15 pm

Location:
JST Gesu Chapel



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