

# ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE

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*a series of lectures in honor of*

## The Bicentennial of the Federal Constitution

Mondays, 12:20 - 2:00 p.m.  
Room 200 S



September - December 1987

## Program

**September 14, 1987**

*"Mr. Madison's Constitution"*

**Frank Sorrentino, Ph.D.**

Author of three books, including one on American national government, Dr. Sorrentino is Professor of Political Science at St. Francis College.

**September 21, 1987**

*"Congress and the Constitution"*

**Congressman Tom Downey**

Representing the Second Congressional District (Suffolk County, N.Y.), Congressman Downey serves on the vital House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee.

**September 28, 1987**

*"The Constitution and Black America"*

**Congressman Ed Townes**

Congressman Townes represents the people of the Eleventh Congressional District, serving on the Government Operations Committee and holding the Vice-Chairmanship of the Congressional Black Caucus.

**October 5, 1987**

*"The American Constitution—Has it Fulfilled the Promise and Expectations of the Third World?"*

**H.E. T.L.L. Dlamini, Ph.D.**

Holder of a doctorate in education, Ambassador Dlamini represents the Kingdom of Swaziland as Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the United Nations.

**October 12, 1987**

*Columbus Day Holiday—no lecture*

**October 19, 1987**

*"Teaching the Constitution to American Young People"*

**Marie Mullaney, Ph.D.**

Chairman of Caldwell College's History and Political Science Department, Dr. Mullaney developed a bicentennial lecture series on the Constitution for elementary and secondary school educators.

**October 26, 1987**

*"America and Britain; the Grand Constitutional Alliance"*

**H.E. J.A. Birch**

Ambassador Birch is Deputy Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom to the United Nations.

**November 2, 1987**

*"The Judiciary and the Constitution"*

**Judge Richard Owen**

A Federal District Court judge for thirteen years, Judge Owen is also an accomplished musician and composer, the author of an opera entitled *Abigail Adams*.

**November 9, 1987**

*"The Presidency and the Constitution"*

**Louis Koenig, Ph.D.**

An expert on the Presidency, Dr. Koenig is the author of *The Chief Executive*, one of the best known sources on that topic.

**November 16, 1987**

*"Contra the Constitution—Some Arguments Considered"*

**Forbes I. Hill, Ph.D.**

A member of the Queens College (C.U.N.Y.) Communication Arts and Sciences Department, Dr. Hill is co-author of *A Synoptic History of Classical Rhetoric*.

**November 27, 1987**

*"Church-State Issues and the Constitution"*

**Francis Graham Lee, Ph.D.**

Director of Graduate Programs at St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia, Dr. Lee has written and lectured widely on church-state issues and their relationship to the Constitution.

**November 30, 1987**

*"George Washington and the Creation of the Presidency"*

**R. Gordon Hoxie, Ph.D.**

The author of numerous books and articles on the Constitution and the Presidency, Dr. Hoxie is President of the Center for the Study of the Presidency.

**December 7, 1987**

*"The Constitution and the American Economy"*

**Joseph W. Ford, Ph.D.**

Associate Professor and Chairman of the Department of Business and Economics at Iona College, Dr. Ford is former Economics Chairman at St. Francis College.

**December 14, 1987**

*"Charles Beard and the Constitution"*

**Arnold Sparr, Ph.D.**

Trained in American History at the University of Wisconsin, Dr. Sparr is currently a member of the St. Francis College History, Political Science and Social Studies Department.

