2017 CPA Book Award Winners

**B01: POPULAR PRESENTATION OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH**

**First Place**
*One Ordinary Sunday* by Paula Huston, Ave Maria Press

**Second Place**
*Taste and See: Experiencing the Goodness of God with Our Five Senses* by Ginny Kubitz Moyer, Loyola Press

**Third Place**
*Gift of Death - A Message of Comfort and Hope* by Monica Hannan, Author and Cliff Naylor, Editor, Semper Distinguist Publications

**Honorable Mention**
*Breathing Life into the Church: Making Sense of Vatican II* by Reverend John G. Hillier, Ph.D., Diocese of Metuchen

**B02a: SPIRITUALITY: Soft Cover**

**First Place**
*Always Discerning: An Ignatian Spirituality for the New Millennium* by Joseph A. Tetlow, SJ, Loyola Press

**Second Place**
*Live Like Francis: Reflections on Franciscan Life in the World* by Jovian Weigel, OFM & Leonard Foley, OFM / Diane M. Houdek, OFS, Franciscan Media

**Third Place**
*With God in America: The Spiritual Legacy of an Unlikely Jesuit* by Walter J. Ciszek, SJ; John M. DeJak; Marc Lindeijer, SJ, Loyola Press

**Honorable Mentions**
*Act Justly, Love Tenderly: Lifelong Lessons in Conscience and Calling* by John Neafsey, Orbis Books

*Beyond Me, My Selfie, and I: Finding Real Happiness in a Self-Absorbed World* by Teresa Tomeo, Franciscan Media

**B02b: SPIRITUALITY: Hard Cover**

**First Place**
*The Spirit, the Affections, and the Christian Tradition* edited by Dale M. Coulter and Amos Yong, University of Notre Dame Press

**Second Place**
*I Believe: The Promise of the Creed* by Pope Francis, Orbis Books
Third Place
_Blessed Among Us_ by Robert Ellsberg, Liturgical Press

**B03: THEOLOGY**

First Place
_I Want You to Be_ by Tomáš Halík, University of Notre Dame Press

Second Place
_Prophetic Obedience: Ecclesiology for a Dialogical Church_ by Bradford E. Hinze, Orbis Books

Third Place
_Justice as Virtue: A Thomistic Perspective_ by Jean Porter, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

Honorable Mention

**B04a: SCRIPTURE: Popular Studies**

First Place
_A New Heaven, A New Earth: The Bible and Catholicity_ by Dianne Bergant, Orbis Books

Second Place
_What Do You Seek?_ by Michael J. Buckley, SJ, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

Third Place
_Opening the Scriptures: Bringing the Gospel of John to Life Insight and Inspiration_ by George Martin, Our Sunday Visitor

Honorable Mentions
_Being There: The Parables of Jesus in a Different Voice_ by William J. O'Malley, Orbis Books


**B04b: SCRIPTURE: Academic Studies**

First Place
_Psalms, Books 2-3_ by Denise Dombkowski Hopkins, Liturgical Press

Second Place
_Wisdom's Feast_ by Barbara E. Reid, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

**B05: LITURGY**

First Place
_Three Great Days_ by Jeremy Helmes, Liturgical Press

Second Place
_One Love_ by Paul Turner, Liturgical Press

Third Place
_Sacramentality Renewed_ by Lizette Larson-Miller, Liturgical Press

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**B06: PASTORAL MINISTRY**

**First Place**
*Cleansed: A Catholic Guide to Freedom from Porn* by Marcel LeJeune, Pauline Books & Media

**Second Place**
*A Church on the Move: 52 Ways to Get Mission and Mercy in Motion* by Joe Paprocki, Loyola Press

**Third Place**
*To Heal, Proclaim, and Teach* by Jared Dees, Ave Maria Press

**Honorable Mention**
*Great Catholic Parishes* by William E. Simon Jr., Ave Maria Press

*What Every Catholic Needs to Know about Marriage, Divorce, Nullity and Remarriage* by Fr. Roger Keeler, Novalis Publishing

**B07: PROFESSIONAL BOOKS**

**First Place**
*A Handbook for Catholic Preaching* by Edward Foley, General Editor, Liturgical Press

**Second Place**
*Parish Finance* by Michael J. Castrilli and Charles E. Zech, Paulist Press

**Third Place**
*25 Lessons Learned in 25+ Years of Catholic School Development* by Frank Donaldson, National Catholic Educational Association

**Honorable Mentions**
*The Gift of Administration* by Donald Senior, Liturgical Press

*Redeeming Conflict* by Ann M. Garrido, Ave Maria Press

**B08: DESIGN AND PRODUCTION**

**First Place**
*Accepting the Mystery* by Walter Kasper, Paulist Press

**Second Place**
*At Play in God’s Creation: An Illuminating Coloring Book* by Tara M. Owens & Daniel W. Sorensen, Franciscan Media

**Third Place**
*The Spirit Within Saint Junípero* by Craig Alan Huber, Veritas Editions
Honorable Mentions

Sharing our Gifts - Cardinal Wuerl: 10 Years in Washington, design and production by Georgina Stark, writing by Mark Zimmermann, photography and photo editing by Jaclyn Lippelmann, Archdiocese of Washington

B09a: CHILDREN'S BOOKS AND BOOKS FOR TEENS: Children's Books
First Place
Dear Pope Francis: The Pope Answers Letters from Children Around the World by Pope Francis, Loyola Press

Second Place
The Strangers at the Manger by Lisa M. Hendey, Franciscan Media

Third Place
Momma, Momma, Who Made the Stars? by Rosa Purcell, Lulu Publishing

Honorable Mentions
Rosa, Sola by Carmela A. Martino, Self-Published

Seven Riddles to Nowhere by A.J. Cattapan, Vinspire Publishing

B09b: CHILDREN'S BOOKS AND BOOKS FOR TEENS: Books for Teens & Young Adults
First Place
Battle For His Soul by Theresa Linden, Silver Fire Publishing

Second Place
A Single Bead by Stephanie Engelman, Pauline Books & Media

Third Place
Felix the Shrine Cat by Dr. Edith Elisabeth Maria Breburda, DVM, Ph.D., Scivias, CreateSpace

B10: FIRST TIME AUTHOR OF A BOOK
First Place
Who Does He Say You Are? Women Transformed by Christ in the Gospels by Colleen C. Mitchell, Franciscan Media

Second Place
The Unfinished Man by Jim Wayne, Fleur de Lis Press

Third Place
Christianity Matters. - How Over Two Millennia the Meek and the Merciful Revolutionized Civilization -- And Why it Needs to Happen Again by David T. Maloof, 70x7 Publishing
Honorable Mention
*The Spirit Within Saint Junípero* by Craig Alan Huber, Veritas Editions

**B11: FAMILY LIFE**

**First Place**
*Experts in Humanity: A Journey of Self-Discovery and Healing* by Josephine Lombardi, Novalis Publishing

**Second Place**
*Feeding Your Family’s Soul: Dinner Table Spirituality* by Donna-Marie Cooper O’Boyle, Paraclete Press

**Third Place**
*Divine Mercy for Moms* by Michele Faehnle and Emily Jaminet, Ave Maria Press

**Honorable Mention**
*Advice Worth Ignoring: How Tuning Out the Experts Can Make You a Better Parent* by Dr. Ray Guarendi, Franciscan Media

**B12: MARRIAGE**

**First Place**
*Operating on Faith: A Painfully True Love Story* by Matt Weber, Loyola Press

**Second Place**
*Pope Francis Talks to Couples* by Pope Francis, Paulist Press

**B13: HISTORY**

**First Place**

**Second Place**
*The Lion of Münster: The Bishop Who Roared Against Nazis* by Fr. Daniel Utrecht, TAN Books

**Third Place**
*The Enthusiast* by Jon M. Sweeney, Ave Maria Press

**Honorable Mention**
*Parish School: Revised and Expanded Edition* by Timothy Walch, National Catholic Educational Association

**B14: BIOGRAPHY**

**First Place**
*Joseph Bernardin* by Steven P. Millies, Liturgical Press

**Second Place**
*Elizabeth Johnson* by Heidi Schlumpf, Liturgical Press
Third Place
*Henri Nouwen: His Life and Spirit* by Kevin Burns, Franciscan Media

Honorable Mention
*Blessed Among Us* by Robert Ellsberg, Liturgical Press

B15: GENDER ISSUES

First Place
*Women Deacons?* edited by Phyllis Zagano, Liturgical Press

Second Place
*The Strength of Her Witness: Jesus Christ in the Global Voices of Women* by Elizabeth A. Johnson, Orbis Books

Third Place
*Claiming Her Dignity* by L. Juliana M. Claassens, Liturgical Press

Honorable Mentions
*Life after Youth: The story of one man’s journey through the transition at midlife* by Sean D. Sammon, FMS, CreateSpace

*No Crystal Stair: Womanist Spirituality* by Diana L. Hayes, Orbis Books

B17: DIOCESAN DIRECTORY

First Place
*Diocese of Rockford 2016-17 Official Directory* by The Observer Staff, Diocese of Rockford

Second Place

Third Place
*Archdiocese of Los Angeles Catholic Directory* by Chris Krause, editorial and Bertica Garcia Dubus, production, The Tidings Corporation

Honorable Mention
*Roman Catholic Diocese of Providence 2016-2017 Directory* by Marie Zagorsky, Laura Kilgus and Rick A. Snizek, Roman Catholic Diocese of Providence

B18b: CATALOG: Best Trade/Seasonal Catalog

First Place
*Catalog 2016: Winter* by OCP Marketing, Oregon Catholic Press

Second Place
*Catalog 2016: Summer* by OCP Marketing, Oregon Catholic Press

Third Place
*Orbis Books Spring 2016 Catalog* by Orbis Books

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**Honorable Mention**  
*Liturgical Press Academic Fall 2016* by Monica Bokinskie, Liturgical Press

**B19: BEST BOOK BY A SMALL PUBLISHER**

**First Place**  
*Be Who You Are* by Bro. Mickey McGrath, OSFS, Clear Faith Publishing, LLC

**Second Place**  
*My Heart Is Ready* by David Haas, Clear Faith Publishing, LLC

**Third Place**  
*The Way of Transformation: Saint Teresa of Avila on the Foundation and Fruit of Prayer* by Mark O'Keefe, O.S.B., ICS Publications

**Honorable Mention**  
*Not Tragically Colored: Freedom, Personhood, and the Renewal of Black America* by Ismael Hernandez, Acton Institute

**B20: CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING**

**First Place**  
*Tradition and Church Reform: Perspectives on Catholic Moral Teaching* by Charles E. Curran, Orbis Books

**Second Place**  
*Field Hospital: The Church's Engagement with a Wounded World* by William T. Cavanaugh, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

**Third Place**  
*Democracy, Culture, Catholicism: Voices from Four Continents* by Michael J. Schuck and John Crowley-Buck, Fordham University Press

**B21: FAITH AND SCIENCE**

**First Place**  
*Living Cosmology: Christian Responses to Journey of the Universe* by Mary Evelyn Tucker; John Grim, Orbis Books

**Second Place**  
*Turning to the Heavens and the Earth* edited by Julia Brumbaugh and Natalia Imperatori-Lee, Liturgical Press

**Third Place**  
*On Earth as It Is in Heaven: Cultivating a Contemporary Theology of Creation* by David Vincent Meconi, SJ, editor, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

**Honorable Mentions**  
*The Believing Scientist* by Stephen M. Barr, Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing

*Defining Death: The Case for Choice* by Robert M. Veatch and Lainie F. Ross, Georgetown University Press

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B24: FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP/RELIGIOUS FREEDOM
First Place
*Public Theology and the Global Common Good: The Contribution of David Hollenbach* by Kevin Ahern, Meghan J. Clark, Kristin E. Heyer and Laurie Johnston, Orbis Books

Second Place
*A Culture of Engagement: Law, Religion, and Morality* by Cathleen Kaveny, Georgetown University Press

Third Place
*Hope for Common Ground: Mediating the Personal and the Political in a Divided Church* by Julie Hanlon Rubio, Georgetown University Press

B26: IMMIGRATION
First Place
*The Shamrock and the Cross* by Eileen P. Sullivan, University of Notre Dame Press

Second Place
*Power from the Margins: The Emergence of the Latino in the Church and in Society* by Bishop Ricardo Ramírez, C.S.B., Orbis Books

Third Place
*Living with(out) Borders: Catholic Theological Ethics on the Migrations of Peoples* by Agnes M. Brazal, María Teresa Dávila, Orbis Books

B27: COFFEE TABLE BOOK/RELIGIOUS ART
First Place
*Chagall* by Sylvie Forestier, et al., Paulist Press

Second Place
*The Spirit Within Saint Junípero* by Craig Alan Huber, Veritas Editions

Third Place
*The Mysteries of the Rosary* by Daniel Mitsui, Ave Maria Press

B28: CATHOLIC NOVELS
First Place
*The Fragment* by Davis Bunn, Franciscan Media

Second Place
*The Unfinished Man* by Jim Wayne, Fleur de Lis Press

Third Place
*More Than a Promise* by Ruth Logan Herne, Franciscan Media

Honorable Mentions
*Castles in the Clouds* by Myra Johnson, Franciscan Media

*Cry of Nineveh* by Joyce Coronel, Holy Angels Press
**B30: YEAR OF MERCY**

**First Place**
*Doors of Mercy: A Journey Through Salvation History* by Fr. Jeffrey Kirby, STL with Brian Kennelly, Saint Benedict Press

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**B34a: PRAYER: Books about prayer**

**First Place**
*Prayer in the Catholic Tradition: A Handbook of Practical Approaches* by Robert J. Wicks, Franciscan Media

**Second Place**
*Manual for Marian Devotion* by The Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist, TAN Books

**Third Place**
*Uncommon Prayer* by Michael Plekon, University of Notre Dame Press

**Honorable Mention**

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**B34b: PRAYER: Collections of prayers**

**First Place**
*The Catholic Mom’s Prayer Companion* by Lisa M. Hendey and Sarah A. Reinhard, Ave Maria Press

**Second Place**
*My Heart Is Ready* by David Haas, Clear Faith Publishing, LLC

**Third Place**
*St. Faustina Prayer Book for the Holy Souls in Purgatory* by Susan Tassone, Our Sunday Visitor

**Honorable Mentions**
*Prayers and Devotions for Eucharistic Adoration* by Various authors, Novalis Publishing

*Talking to God: Prayers for Catholic Women* by Julie Dortch Cragon, Franciscan Media

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**B35: ECUMENISM OR INTERFAITH RELATIONS**

**First Place**
*Nostra Aetate: Celebrating 50 Years of the Catholic Church’s Dialogue with Jews and Muslims* by Pim Valkenberg and Anthony Cirelli, editors, The Catholic University of America Press

**Second Place**
*Four Scraps of Bread* by Magda Hollander-Lafon, University of Notre Dame Press
**Third Place**  
*Sin, Forgiveness, and Reconciliation: Christian and Muslim Perspectives* by Lucinda Mosher and David Marshall, Editors, Georgetown University Press

**Honorable Mention**  
*Martin Luther: An Ecumenical Perspective* by Walter Kasper, Paulist Press

**B38: POPE FRANCIS**

**First Place**  
*Dear Pope Francis: The Pope Answers Letters from Children Around the World* by Pope Francis, Loyola Press

**Second Place**  
*Pope Francis Takes the Bus, and Other Unexpected Stories* by Rosario Carello, Franciscan Media

**Third Place**  
*What Pope Francis Really Said: Words of Comfort and Challenge* by Tom Hoopes, Franciscan Media

**Honorable Mentions**  
*A Church of the Poor: Pope Francis and the Transformation of Orthodoxy* by Clemens Sedmak, Orbis Books

*The Complete Encyclicals, Bulls, and Apostolic Exhortations* by Pope Francis, Ave Maria Press

**B39: MOTHER TERESA**

**First Place**  
*St. Teresa of Calcutta: Missionary, Mother, Mystic* by Kerry Walters, Franciscan Media

**Second Place**  
*Advent with Saint Teresa of Calcutta: Daily Meditations* by Heidi Hess Saxton, Franciscan Media

**B40: POETRY**

**First Place**  
*In the Beginning Was Love: Contemplative Words of Robert Lax* by Robert Lax (poet) and Steve T. Georgiou (editor), Templegate Publishers

**Second Place**  
*The Kind of Brave You Wanted to Be* by Brian Doyle, Liturgical Press

**Honorable Mention**  