## Saint Mary's College Mission Statement

Saint Mary's College is a Catholic, residential, women's college in the liberal arts tradition. A pioneer in the education of women, the College is an academic community where women develop their talents and prepare to make a difference in the world.

Founded by the Sisters of the Holy Cross in 1844, Saint Mary's promotes a life of intellectual vigor, aesthetic appreciation, religious sensibility, and social responsibility.

All members of the College remain faithful to this mission and continually assess their response to the complex needs and challenges of the contemporary world.



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"We will not promise you happiness. We will not wish you security. For we remember that 'security is mortal's chiefest enemy.' And we know that you can be secure only when you can stand everything that can happen to you. If your school has prepared you for this, it has been a good school. We promise you discovery, the discovery of yourselves, the discovery of the universe and your place in it. With these unguessed, untried potencies you begin your lifetime enterprise of exploration into God."

> from *Conversations with Cassandra* by Sister M. Madeleva Wolff, CSC President of Saint Mary's College 1934–1961

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> President Carol Ann Mooney and the Trustees of Saint Mary's College cordially invite you to

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*The day will culminate in a gala dinner on Saturday evening. Black tie optional.* 

> RSVP by April 6, 2012. See enclosed response card, event schedule, and lodging information.