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Kevin Berg and Father Larry Snyder named to Sisters of St. Joseph Ministries Foundation Board of Directors

The Ministries Foundation of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet (CSJ) has announced the election of Kevin Berg and Father Larry Snyder to its Board of Directors, beginning in January 2023.

"The Foundation is grateful to have Kevin and Father Larry bring their professional skills and knowledge to an already dedicated Board," says Board Chair Kristine Smyth. "They will be a great addition as the Board takes this esteemed organization into the future by carrying on the 170 year legacy of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet."

Berg served as President of Sysco Asian Foods from 2007-2019. He joined Asian Foods, a privately-held entity, as VP of Strategic Initiatives and COO in 1999, before being asked by the company founder to lead the process of positioning for sale to Sysco, a global, publicly-held corporation.

Father Snyder is a priest of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Most recently, Father Snyder served as the Vice-President for Mission at the University of St. Thomas in Minnesota from 2015 until 2021. He retired in June of 2021. He also served as President of Catholic Charities USA (CCUSA) from 2005 until 2015. Snyder was responsible for leading the overall direction of the Catholic Charities movement and the strategic leadership of CCUSA. Prior to joining CCUSA, Snyder served as executive director of Catholic Charities of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The Ministries Foundation, www.csjministriesfoundation.org, was founded in 1994 to raise funds to support the Sisters' programs and ministries in the areas of: health care for the uninsured; education for immigrants; home, safety, and community for women from around the world who are in transition, some of whom are fleeing torture; and workshops and programs for spiritual seekers. Since 1998, the Foundation has awarded more than \$12 million to the ministries of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

The Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, www.csjstpaul.org, are a Roman Catholic community of women religious who are animated by the Spirit of Jesus to reach out in compassion and justice to meet the needs of our times. Founded in south-central France in 1650, they came to St. Paul in 1851 at the invitation of Archbishop Joseph Cretin. They currently maintain ministries in the areas of spirituality, education, healthcare, and social services.

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