

# PRESERVING THE LEGACIES OF CESAR CHAVEZ AND LA CAUSA:

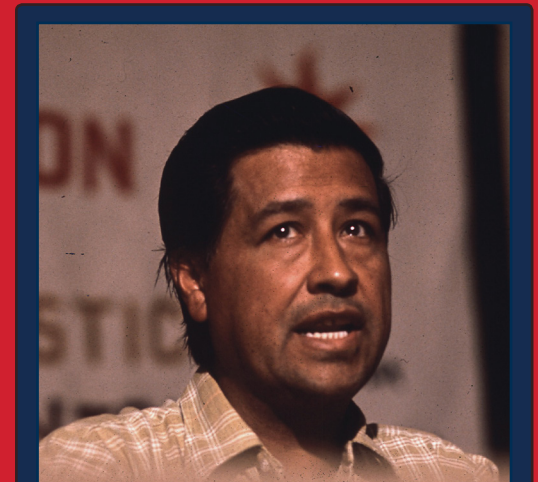
*PUBLIC HISTORY, CIVIC ENGAGEMENT, AND THE LATINO CATHOLIC FIGHT FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE IN THE 20TH CENTURY*

A presentation from Dr. Raymond Rast, Lecturer in the Department of History

In July 2016, Dr. Raymond Rast finished the multi-year process of working with the National Park Service to nominate Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission Chapel as a National Historic Landmark. Located in San Jose, California, the former chapel building is closely associated with the life and work of labor leader and civil rights advocate Cesar Chavez.

In January 2017, Secretary of the Interior Sally Jewell approved Dr. Rast's nomination.

The College of Arts & Sciences celebrates this designation and the upcoming Cesar Chavez Day with a presentation by Dr. Rast offering an overview of Chavez's life and work, Rast's ongoing work with the National Park Service's "American Latino Heritage Initiative" and the broader importance of historic preservation, public history, and the public humanities.



Cesar Chavez  
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Dr. Raymond Rast  
at Cesar Chavez Campesino Park  
in Santa Ana, California

**Wednesday, March 29**

**4:30 - 5:15 pm**

**Wolff Auditorium — Jepson Center**

**Gonzaga University**

***Free and open to the public***

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