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WHO: Viterbo University Faculty Rick Kyte, PhD, and Tom Thibodeau
WHAT: “Our Common Purpose: The Common Good”—2010 Dr. Noel R. Peterson Founders Lecture presented by the OMC Regional Foundation
WHERE: Rochester International Event Center, 7333 Airport View Dr SW
WHEN: Tue., May 4 • Dessert reception 6:30-7:00 PM • Lecture 7:00-8:30 PM
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Fifth Annual Dr. Noel R. Peterson Founders Lecture Series to Address Our Common Purpose: the Common Good

Rochester, Minn.—Two speakers will discuss how to nurture and sustain flourishing organizations and communities at the fifth annual Noel R. Peterson Founders Lecture Series on Tue., May 4, from 7:00-8:30 PM at the Rochester International Event Center. The lecture is free and open to the public. Registration is required; contact foundation@olmmed.org to reserve your seat.

Rick Kyte, PhD, director of Viterbo University's D.B. Reinhart Institute for Ethics in Leadership, and Tom Thibodeau, director of Viterbo University's Masters in Servant Leadership program, will talk about aligning our work efforts—regardless of industry, sector, or place—to be in the service of the common good. To do this, the presenters advocate getting back to leadership basics in the form of the "Three Rs" of leadership: *Reflection*, *Relationships*, and *Revelry*. Their presentation will explain how we can envision the common good through *Reflection*, find a common purpose through *Relationships*, and recognize one another's contributions in *Revelry*. The lecture will be preceded by a dessert reception.

Named for Noel R. Peterson, MD, OMC president from 2000-2006, the Founders Lecture Series provides a local forum for healthcare providers and other community members to discuss issues including healthcare reform, bioethics, and the impact of philanthropy in healthcare.

OMC Regional Foundation, a not-for-profit organization, was created in 2001 to advocate for and support Olmsted Medical Center and assist it in being an active, contributing partner in the communities it serves. OMC Regional Foundation supports needed healthcare services to businesses, families, or neighbors requiring specific equipment or personnel, health and wellness education, and programs stressing preventive healthcare in OMC communities. The Foundation helps connect OMC healthcare providers with the people they serve, and its activities strive to position and prepare OMC for the future.

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