

UCC Social Justice Committee Presents
“Romero”
A Compelling Movie on the Anniversary of his Assassination
Central American Film & Speaker Series



In honor of Saint Óscar Romero, on the 39th anniversary of his assassination, we will be showing *Romero*, a compelling movie about his life and his efforts to help the people of El Salvador.

“Archbishop Óscar Romero (Raul Julia) is reluctant to get involved in a war that rages on between the military elite and guerrilla Marxists in his country of El Salvador. As conditions worsen and more churches are desecrated, however, he finds he cannot remain an observer. So Romero resorts to what he knows best: making speeches. The tenets he preaches are simply freedom and justice, but even so, he is seen as dangerous by the government and they are ready to retaliate.”

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/entertainment/rt-watch-online/movies/romero-2009>

“Romero was faced with a circumstance he didn’t want—he didn’t look for it, he didn’t like it. But the discovery was that he had to do what he did, and in some ways that was liberating.”

Screenwriter John Sacret Young

Monday, March 25, 2019
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Owen Brown Interfaith Center 7246 Cradlerock Way, Columbia

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