Catholic Community at Stanford
P.O. Box 20301, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94309
http://catholic.stanford.edu/
main office: 650-725-0080
For emergencies, call 650-723-8222, pager #17736

Sunday Mass February 5, 2012
10:30am Tresidder Oak Room
4:30pm Memorial Church
10pm Memorial Church

Daily Eucharist
M - W- F 12:20pm Memorial Church
T - Th 12:20pm Old Union Sanctuary

Confessions
Tuesday 1:30-2:30pm and 9-10:30pm
Old Union, 3rd Floor, 304 or 305
or by appointment: call 725-0080

Marriage
To arrange a Catholic Wedding, call the wedding coordinator at Memorial Church at 650-723-9531.

Infant Baptisms
Baptism is celebrated once per quarter. For more information, please visit http://catholic.stanford.edu/baptisms/eligibility.html or contact Teresa Pleins tpleins@stanford.edu.

Baptisms for the 2011-2012 academic year:
May 20, 2012

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Dear Friends,

I write to you concerning an alarming and serious matter that negatively impacts the Church in the United States directly, and that strikes at the fundamental right to religious liberty for all citizens of any faith. The federal government, which we profess to be “of, by, and for the people,” has just dealt a heavy blow to almost a quarter of those people—the Catholic population of the United States—and to the millions more who are served by the Catholic Church.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services recently announced that almost all employers, including Catholic employers, will be forced to offer their employees health coverage that includes sterilization, abortion-inducing drugs, and contraception. Almost all health insurers will be forced to include those “benefits” in the health policies they write. And almost all individuals will be forced to buy that coverage as a part of their policies.

In so ruling, the Administration has cast aside the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, denying to Catholics our Nation’s first and most fundamental freedom, that of religious liberty. And as a result, unless this rule is overturned, we Catholics will be compelled either to violate our consciences, or to drop health coverage for our employees (and suffer the penalties for doing so), which is also unconscionable. The Administration’s sole concession was to give our institutions one year to comply.

We cannot comply with this unjust law. People of faith cannot be made second class citizens. We are already joined by our brothers and sisters of all faiths and many others of good will in this important effort to regain our religious freedom. Our parents and grandparents and this generation’s immigrants did not come to these shores to help build America’s cities and towns, its infrastructure and institutions, its enterprise and culture, only to have their posterity stripped of their God-given rights.

In generations past, the Church has always been able to count on the faithful to stand up and protect her sacred rights and duties. I hope and trust she can count on this generation of Catholics to do the same. Our children and grandchildren deserve nothing less. For these reasons, I would ask two things of you. First, as a community of faith we must commit ourselves to prayer and fasting that wisdom and justice may prevail, and religious liberty may be restored. Without God, we can do nothing; with God, nothing is impossible. Second, I would also recommend and ask you to visit www.usccb.org/conscience, to learn more about this severe assault on religious liberty, and how to contact Congress in support of legislation that would reverse the Administration’s decision.

Please join me in taking this action as soon as you can, indeed in the very near future. I pray God’s blessings upon you, your families and your loved ones, even as we renew our pursuit of the God-given gifts of freedom that we always pursue.

With every best wish and kind regard, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Patrick J. McGrath
Bishop of San José

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in order to bring them joy and purpose. The workshop will take be for you. The Called & Gifted workshop is a two-day event if you have ever wondered how you could help provide housing. Please email Lourdes if you have any expenses for lodging and transportation. For more information ranging from personal growth to theological topics. Experience Learn about a variety of topics offered by nearly 200 speakers to Anaheim, CA for the 2012 Religious Education Congress. and a group from the Catholic Community at Stanford will travel annual gathering of Catholics in the nation! This year, Lourdes in his people. You would be scheduled approximately every rewarding, as you have the opportunity to meet the face of Christ welcome all who pass through our doors on Sunday. It is very need 6 more friendly faces to complete our greeting ministry roster at the 4:30 Mass. This is such an important ministry, as we you’ve managed to survive the first quarter at Stanford and can now think about the REST of your life, please contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu. Service can take place around your schedule. The rewards for ministry are great—serving the Lord, deepening your bond to the community, making new friends! We are looking for 4 students to help with the ministry of altar serving for the 4:30 Sunday Mass. You would be scheduled about every 4 weeks and trained for special liturgies such as Holy Week, in addition to the Sunday Masses. Altar servers arrive at 3:45 to help with set up. This is a vital ministry to our liturgies, so if you could help out once a month, we would be grateful. For info, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

We need 6 more friendly faces to complete our greeting ministry Greeting Ministers Needed for 4:30 Mass: We welcome anyone who is interested in joining the choir, serving as lectors, greeters, altar servers, or eucharistic ministers. If you have a lunch meeting on Thursday this winter quarter. For more interested in growing in faith. This Friday we start the bible study with Mark using the supplementary book, Yeo-Jung. It would be great to read the first chapter of Mark and the book. We also have a lunch meeting on Thursday this winter quarter. For more information, contact Eun-Soo at eschoi@stanford.edu.

We need your help! As many of you know, we are proud to say that 12 students are joining Fr Isaiah on the physical and spiritual adventure to El Salvador! So far, we have raised over $2,385 of the needed $16,000. Also, some of the students will need some camping gear again. If you have any 50-65 Liter camping packs, 40 degree sleeping bags, or 1” sleeping mats (a la Thermarest) that you are willing to give up for a week, they will be put to good use! If you would like to be part of the mission, please see Fr Isaiah or donate at catholic.stanford.edu

Alternative Spring Break Trip: El Salvador: We welcome anyone who is Korean or able to speak Korean interested in growing in faith. This Friday we start the bible study with Mark using the supplementary book, Yeo-Jung. It would be great to read the first chapter of Mark and the book. We also have a lunch meeting on Thursday this winter quarter. For more information, contact Eun-Soo at eschoi@stanford.edu.

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Where faith intersects with contemporary issues. “How does the Church help you make moral decisions?” A discussion led by Brother Peter J Hannah, OP, student brother of the Western Dominican Province.

Br. Peter will lead us into that very difficult, but very fascinating, area of our Catholic faith: the nature of the Church, and in particular the nature and function of her teaching Magisterium. In principle, Catholics believe something quite extraordinary about the Magisterium, namely that it enjoys protection from all error by a special charism of the Holy Spirit. This has a very controversial implication for our contemporary cultural context, namely, that Catholics are bound in conscience to believe anything the Magisterium teaches. Yet curiously, Catholics simultaneously believe in the inviolability of every person’s conscience, that one cannot believe or do something that goes against conscience. What if my conscience leads me to believe the Magisterium is wrong on something? Br. Peter will help us sort through this difficult area, which will involve the broader questions of “ecclesiology” (what the “Church” is), moral theology (how I know what is right or wrong), and the relationship between faith and reason. Ultimately our Catholic faith neither asks us to abandon reason nor violate conscience, so understanding what the Magisterium is within these assumptions becomes a vital part of understanding who we are as Catholics. Br. Peter will present material but also encourage open discussion. Come ready to participate! Meeting at the Common Room of Old Union, on February 7, Tuesday Night at 7:30pm

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Valleymonts Retreat Center

Valleymonts Retreat is sponsoring the following retreats, workshops and events:

**February 12, 2012:** Valentine Mass for Married Couples 10:30am – noon. Celebrate your marriage at Valleymonts Center during a special Valentine Mass. The Mass begins at 10:30am with Fr. Kevin Gaffey as presider and music provided by members of the Valleymonts Choir. Light refreshments will be served in the dining room following Mass. All are welcome.

**February 26, 2012:** The Catholic Church in the World 2012: Healing in the Church 2:00pm – 4:00pm

Tom Plante, professor of psychology at Santa Clara University, will speak on Sexual Abuse in the Catholic Church: A Decade of Crisis, 2002 - 2012. A leading expert on the clergy sex abuse, Mr. Plante will have just returned from a worldwide conference in the Vatican on the crisis, and will give us his ideas on how far we have come in dealing with this devastating passage in our church’s history.
Monday, February 6
1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13
Ps 132:6-7, 8-10
Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday, February 7
1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30
Ps 84:3, 4, 5, 10, 11
Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday, February 8
1 Kgs 10:1-10
Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40
Mk 7:14-23

Thursday, February 9
1 Kgs 11:4-13
Ps 106:3-4, 35-36, 37, 40
Mk 7:24-30

Friday, February 10
1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19
Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15
Mk 7:31-37

Saturday, February 11
1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34
Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22
Mk 8:1-10

Sunday, February 12
Lk 13:1-2, 44-46
Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11
1 Cor 10:31-11:1
Mk 1:40-45

More Announcements

Grads
Grad Community Center, Mondays at 7pm
Join us on Mondays for Grad Christianity 101, a forum for graduate students and young adults that fosters community and open discussion of pressing issues impacting Catholics worldwide. Come for dinner and an engaging conversation. We meet in the Nairobi room at the GCC at 7pm. For more information, contact Chris at ckark@stanford.edu.

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
FEBRUARY 5, 2012

First Reading      Job 7:1-4, 6-7

Job lamented his “months of misery and troubled nights.” Could human life on earth be no more than drudgery?

Psalm 103    What Is Your Name          David Haas

What is your name? O where can we find you? E-ter-nal
God, we want to see you. Give us to-day a sign of your love,
then. E-ter-nal God, we want to see you. Give us to-day a
sign of your love, then. For what the heav-ens are for the earth,
that is your love for those who be-lieve. Give us to-day a sign of your
love, then. You are for-give-ness for all our fail-ures, jus-tice and
right-eous-ness for all this world. You, the for-give-ness for all our
fail-ures, give us to-day a sign of your love, then. You know us
well, you have not for-gotten that we are yours and you are our God.

Gloria              Mass From Age To Age            DeSilva

Glo-ry, glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God is the high-est,
glo-ry, glo-ry to God, and on earth peace to peo-ple,
To verses [Last line]

Second Reading    1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23

By preaching the good news, Paul said, he willingly made himself a slave to all in order to win them over. He did everything for the sake of the good news.
Memorial Acclamation: Mass From Age To Age

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Gospel
Mark 1:29-39
Jesus healed ill people and exorcised possessed people. So many sought him that he had to seek out deserted places for prayer and rest.

Apostle’s Creed
I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory
Care For Me Hervé Kieffel
Extend to me your love that never fails for I find myself among lions who crave for human flesh, their teeth like spears and arrows.
They rigged a net, a trap to bring me down, but I will not fear, O Lord, to you I’ll sing my praise: awake my soul to song.
I call to the most high, to God, my hope and my salvation: send help to free me, free me from all fear.
Awake my harp and lyre so I can wake the dawn! I lift up my voice in praise, for your love reaches heaven’s edge, your unfailing love the skies!

Invitation to Prayer
Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.
People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the glory of all his holy Church.

Sanctus Mass From Age To Age DeSilva

Memorial Acclamation: Mass From Age To Age
When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Amen Mass From Age To Age DeSilva
Amen amen amen amen.

Lamb of God Mass From Age To Age DeSilva
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us, Lamb of God.
Lamb of world, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us, Lamb of God.

Invitation to Communion
Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.
People: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.
Dominican “Come & See” Vocations Weekend:
Have you thought about entering religious life or studying for the priesthood? Come to the Dominican Vocations Weekend at St. Albert’s Priory in Oakland, California. 4pm Friday, March 9 – 1pm Sunday, March 11. St. Albert’s is the house of studies for the Dominicans in the Western US. Meet the brothers studying for the priesthood, visit the school and novitiate, listen to presentations on the religious and priestly life, and spend time in prayer. For more information or to register contact Fr. Steven Maekawa, OP. (510) 596-1821, vocations@opwest.org