

Catholic Community at Stanford

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The **mission** of the Catholic Community at Stanford (CC@S) is to develop and form well educated, passionate, and faithful Catholic leaders in order to bring positive change to their disciplines, communities, Church, and world.

Services

Sunday Masses: February 21, 2016

10:30am Mass in Tresidder Oak Room Spanish Mass in Memorial Church 4:30pm Mass in Memorial Church 10pm Mass in Memorial Church

Daily Liturgy: 12:20pm

M T W and F in Memorial Church Thursdays in the Old Union Sanctuary

Confessions:

Sunday: 9:45am to 10:15 at Old Union 3:45pm to 4:15 at MemChu Vestibule

Tuesday:

1:30pm to 3:00pm at Old Union 9:00pm to 10:30pm at Old Union or by appointment: call 650-291-4590

Marriage:

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

Infant Baptisms:

Baptism is celebrated once per quarter.

For more information, please contact Teresa Pleins tpleins@stanford.edu.

Baptisms for the 2015-2016 academic year:

• May 15, 2016

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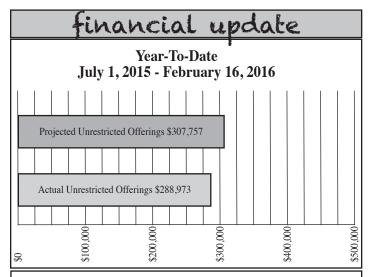
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building community

Lenten Preaching Series

This year's Lenten theme is "Beyond Chocolate: Deepening our Commitment to Jesus during Lent". Each week, the Sunday homily will reflect on one aspect of this commitment, helping us to focus on prayer, discipleship, inclusiveness, compassion and mercy. We hope to make this Lent more meaningful than ever for our community, through reflection on the Sunday readings, both in Mass and in our individual or group prayer experiences.

On this Second Sunday of Lent we will be called to deepen our commitment to follow Jesus and become disciples. Prayer helps us to discern what each of us, with our unique gifts and talents can do personally to advance the work of the Kingdom of God. The title of Father Xavier's homily is "I am calling YOU".



Projected Unrestricted Offerings 2015-2016 Fiscal Year: \$422,062

Projected Unrestricted Offerings July 1, 2015 to February 16, 2016: \$307,757

Actual Unrestricted Offerings for July 1, 2015 to February 16, 2016: \$287,973

Offerings Over/Under Projection: <\$18,784>

announcements

1% Prayer Challenge:

This Sunday we will continue the 1% Prayer Challenge. Those who sign up will be given a bracelet as a tangible reminder to pray 1% of each day. Anyone who submits an email as well will also receive prayer suggestions and reflections through two or three emails a week. Please join us in making this a very special Lent this year, as we live Jesus in our hearts.

announcements

Liturgical Events For Lent And Holy Week:

Lenten Reconciliation Service: March 10, 7:30 pm, Memorial Church

Palm Sunday, March 20:

10:30 am Mass, Tresidder Oak Room, 4:30 pm Mass, Memorial Church

Holy Thursday, March 24:

Mass of the Lord's Supper & Adoration, 8:00 pm, Memorial Church

Good Friday, March 25:

Ecumenical Service, noon, Memorial Church.
Father Xavier preaching.
Outdoor Stations of the Cross, 3 pm, meet at the
Stanford Ave entrance to the Dish.
Liturgy & Veneration of the Cross, 8:00 pm,
Memorial Church.

Holy Saturday, March 26: Easter Vigil, 8:00 pm, Memorial Church.

Easter Sunday, March 27:

10:30 am Mass, Tresidder Oak Room 4:30 pm Mass, Memorial Church 10:00 pm Mass, Memorial Church

Hungering for the Journey-Lenten Rice Bowl:

This Lent our community will participate in CRS Rice Bowl, a faith-in-action program that will help you experience Lenten spirituality by living in solidarity with people in need around the world. As we, the global Church, continue our prayerful walk through this Holy Year of Mercy, it is especially appropriate to come together in prayer as a family this Lent, reflecting on how we can live this call to mercy more abundantly. Use your cardboard CRS Rice Bowl and Lenten Calendar to guide your Lenten prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Be sure to visit crsricebowl.org to watch videos of the people and communities whose lives your Lenten gifts are changing through CRS Rice Bowl. We will be collecting your CRS Rice Bowls at the end of Lent, so stay tuned to learn more.

Come And See:

Are you curious about what the students have been doing this year in Encounter Christ small groups? Come and see what it's all about. Hear from our students what their experience has been like. Ask questions of the team from Evangelical Catholic who have been helping us throughout the year. We are getting ready to launch Encounter Christ small groups for the Permanent Community. It's a great opportunity to see if this is something for you! We will gather in the Round Room, directly after 4:30pm Mass, today, February 21st.

GENERAL COMMUNITY

Holy Week Ministers Needed:

Holy Week falls during Spring Break this year, and many of our regular liturgical ministers will be away. If you are going to be on campus and could help serve the community during Holy Week as a greeter, lector, communion minister, choir member, usher or altar server, please contact Teresa Pleins, tpleins@stanford.edu. Training will be provided. The liturgies of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday are profoundly spiritual and life-giving. Come be a part of these graced moments in the life of the Church.

Permanent Community Prayer Group For Lent: Encountering Christ

Nancy Greenfield will be gathering together those who are interested in a Lenten commitment to pray together once a week as a small group. We hope to spend a little less time talking about Jesus and a little more time talking to Jesus. The group will meet around 9am on six Saturday mornings in Lent from February 13 through March 19 at Nancy Greenfield's house (1140 Bay Laurel Drive, Menlo Park). Please email Nancy at ngreenfield875@gmail. com if you are interested, and she will get back to you with details. If you have questions or want to discuss the possibilities of this group, call her at 704 0787.

Are You New? Welcome to CC@S!

Thank you for stopping by! Whether you're just visiting us or are looking for a new parish home, are interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church or are returning to the practice of your Catholic faith, we're happy you're here!

Interested in Exploring the Catholic Faith?

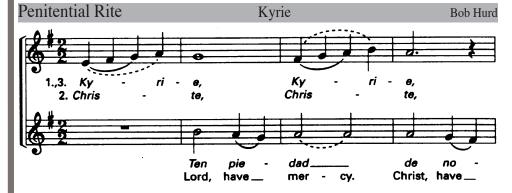
For those thinking about becoming Catholic, for Catholics who haven't been confirmed and for fellow travelers and explorers! RCIA (Rite for the Christian Initiation of Adults) Tuesdays at 7:15pm on the 3rd Floor of Old Union.

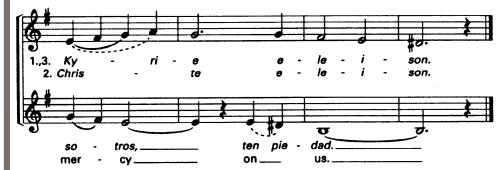


Catholic Community at Stanford University

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT FEBRUARY 21, 2016

Gathering instrumental





First Reading

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

God appeared to Abram and made a covenant to his faithful servant, promising many descendants and much land. Abram put faith in the Lord, who credited it to him as righteousness.



Verses

- 1. The Lord is my light and my help; whom should I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom should I shrink?
- There is one thing I ask of the Lord; for this I long: to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.
- 3. I believe I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living; hope in God, and take heart. Hope in the Lord!

Second Reading Philippians 3:17-4:1

Paul urged the Philppians to follow his example: "Therefore, my brothers and sisters whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, in this way stand firm in the Lord."

4:30 Choir Looking For Basses:

If you sing bass, we need you! Singing with the choir gives you an up-close way of celebrating Mass with a group of new friends. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights, 8-10:00pm in Old Union. No auditions! For info contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu. (other voices are also welcome to join)

Korean Catholic Community at Stanford (KC@S):

KC@S (/ka:s/) consists of a number of Korean under/grad students, post-docs and community members at Stanford. We have Friday night prayer meetings with various topics and activities to deepen our faith in addition to lunch gatherings on campus. New students/visitors are all welcome to join us. For more information, contact Kyoungjin at kjlee99@stanford.edu.

Rosary:

Daily at 9pm, (10pm on Tuesdays during Adoration), Third Floor of Old Union.

Grads

Grad Bible Study:

Every Sunday at 6:30pm. We will be reading Acts of the Apostles this quarter. Contact Chiara (cgiam@stanford.edu) for more information.

Catholicism 101:

Tuesdays, 7pm. Grads and young adults are welcome to enjoy dinner and an engaging discussion around Catholic topics. This quarter, join us in the Nairobi Room at the Graduate Community.

Upcoming topics include:

Feb 23 - Fr. Augustine - Dominican Prayer

Mar 1 - Quinn -The history of "The" Inquisition

Mar 8 - Interfaith conversation with the Muslim community



Jesus took Peter, James, and John up a mountain to pray. There he was transfigured before their eyes. A cloud overshadowed them, and a voice said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him."

Offertory

No Body But Yours

Christ has no body, No body,

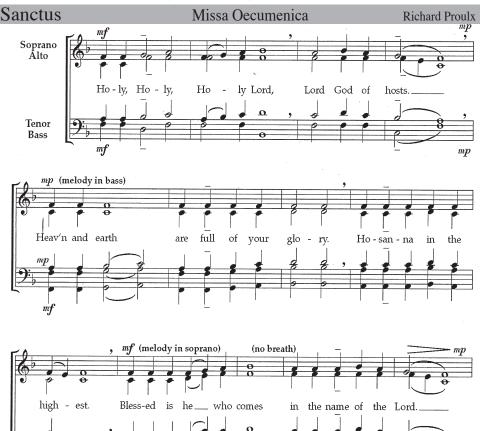
No body now but yours; No hands,

No feet on Earth but yours.

Yours are the eyes with which he looks, He looks compassion on this world. Yours are the feet With which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands With which he blesses all the Earth.

Yours are the hands; Yours are the feet; Yours are the eyes. You are his body.

Christ has no body, No body, No body now but yours.





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.

Next Spanish Mass Sunday - March 13 - 3pm

Undergrads

Undergrad Dinners:

Fridays at 5:15pm Students are invited for our weekly spaghetti dinners in room 200 of Old Union. Join us for a free meal and meet new friends every Friday.



Volunteer Opportunities

St. Anthony Padua's Dining Room:

The CC@S serves free hot meals to those in need at St. Anthony's Padua Dining Room in Menlo Park every first and fourth Saturday of the month. If you would like to volunteer on Saturday, Mar. 5th or Mar. 26th from 8:30 - 1pm or a subset thereof, please contact gary. glover@stanford.edu (650 302 6902) by the Wednesday before for information or to have a volunteer position reserved for you. God loves those who love the least of their sisters and brothers.

Young Adults

Young Adult Mass:

Tues. Feb. 23rd at 7:30pm, St. Simon Church, 1860 Grant Rd, Los Altos. The Young Adult Circle will be gathering for Mass in the Small Chapel at St. Simon Church in Los Altos. Celebrate the Eucharist with young adults (20's and 30's, single or married) from this and neighboring parishes with fellowship to follow.

For all events, please confirm your attendance on our Facebook Page "Young Adult Circle" or contact us at yacircle@gmail.com. These and other upcoming events can be viewed at www. youngadultcircle.org.

The Reading Group:

The next meeting of the reading group will be at the home of Albert & Barbara Gelpi on campus (870 Tolman Drive) on Monday March 7th at 7:00pm (please note) instead of 7:30, because it is a movie night. We'll be looking at John Huston's 1979 film of Flannery O'Connor's "Wise Blood".

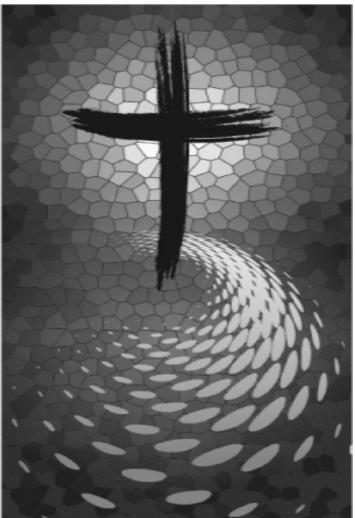
We will also listen to O'Connor reading her short story "A Good Man Is Hard to Find." If you are not familiar O'Connor's short stories, you might want to read a couple of other stories in addition to "Good Man,". We suggest "Greenleaf," "Revelation," and "Parker's Back."

Undergrads and Grads Sons of St. Joseph, Catholic Men's group:

Our goal is to strengthen our own faith in Christ as well as to bring others closer to Him through service to the community. We meet weekly to discuss a passage of the Catechism, and we host various fellowship events throughout the year. Meeting times are at 3 pm on Sundays behind the Math corner. Both grad and undergrad are welcome. Contact James at jcapps@stanford.edu for more info.



Recessional instrumental



Lenten Fasting Regulations: Abstinence:

abstinence from eating meat is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during Lent. All persons are bound by the law of the Church to abstain from the day after their 14th. birthday.

Fasting:

The Church's law of fast binds on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. The law of fasting obliges from the day after one's 18th. birthday until the day after one's 59th birthday. Fasting means that one full meatless meal per day may be eaten. Two other meatless meals may be taken sufficient to maintain strength, but together they should not equal a full meal. Liquids, including milk and fruit juice, may be taken between meals. If health or ability to work are affected, fasting does not oblige.

Private, self-imposed observance of fasting on all week days of Lent is strongly recommended. Pastors and parents are to see to it that children who are not bound by the laws of fast and abstinence are educated in an authentic sense of penance, conversion and reconciliation.

Low Gluten Hosts:

Our low gluten hosts are approved for use in the Catholic Mass by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. They are made of wheat starch and water. The gluten content of our low gluten wafer is below 20 parts per million. The baking of the low gluten wafers is done in a dedicated bakery using positive air pressure to create a room that is totally free of contaminants. The equipment is dedicated to the low gluten baking and is not used for regular altar bread production.

Each individual should assess their own personal tolerance level to the small amount of gluten present in these wafers. **Note: these wafers are LOW GLUTEN. They are not Gluten Free**, since these are not approved for the Catholic Mass.