Dear Prayer Partner, please pray for:
name:
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#### **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: March 15, 2015

10:30am Mass in Memorial Church 4:30pm Mass in Memorial Church 10 pm Mass in Memorial Church

#### **Daily Liturgy:**

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

#### **Confessions:**

Sunday, from 9:15am to 10:15am at Old Union 3rd Floor offices, and 4:00pm at MemChu Vestibule, and Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30pm and 9-10:30pm Old Union, 3rd Floor, Rm 304 or 319 or by appointment: call 415-336-4203

#### 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 2014-2015 academic year:

• May 3

(prep April 25)

#### **Adoration:**

in the Sanctuary of Old Union, Tuesdays 9-10:30pm

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The CC@S App from the Catholic Community at Stanford is packed with prayer materials, media links, mass times, events, directions, donations, and additional resources for navigating a Catholic life on campus.





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# building community

## a way of life

Sunday, March 15, 2015

It has been said many times over and in a variety of ways that stewardship is based upon gratitude. Gratitude for what, we might ask? For the variety of blessings each of us receives, understanding full well that each of us is gifted in different ways and perhaps even in different measures. However, there is one gift in which we all share equally.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." (John 3:16) It is difficult for us to even conceive of the magnitude of that multifaceted gift, from God's unconditional love for us to the extraordinary gift of his son Jesus to the fabulous gift of everlasting life.

Stewardship calls us to appreciate all of God's gifts, but if we only focus on the gifts listed above, our gratitude should know no bounds. Pope Francis has said, "God never gives someone a gift they are not capable of receiving. We all have the ability to understand and receive God's gifts." We need to recognize God's gifts and especially during our preparations for Easter, find ways to show and live out our gratitude.

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Gifts As of March 10, 2015 YTD Budget Overage \$21,200 Last Week's Actual \$11,495 Last Week's Budget \$5,677



### Lent

#### **Holy Week Schedule**

Palm Sunday: March 29

10:30am (Tresidder),

4:30 & 10:00pm (Memorial Church)

Holy Thursday: April 2

8:00pm (Memorial Church)

Good Friday: April 3

3:00pm, Stations of the Cross in the Foothills (meet at Stanford & Junipero Serra) 8:00pm, Liturgy of Good Friday, (Memorial Church)

Easter Vigil: April 4

8:00pm. (Memorial Church)

Easter Sunday: April 5

10:30am (Tresidder), 4:30pm. (Memorial Church) (No 10:00pm. Mass)

#### **Reconciliation Service:**

There will be a communal reconciliation service with individual confessions this Tuesday, March 17, at 7:00 in Memorial Church.

### 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.

#### **GENERAL COMMUNITY**

### Invest in the Alternative Spring Break Team:

A team of 10 students along with Lourdes Alonso will be traveling to Seattle to live in a L'Arche Community during spring break. L'Arche communities are homes where people with and without developmental disabilities share lives together. They were founded 50 years ago by Jean Vanier in France and have 140 communities in 37 countries. Last year one of our students shared this, "L'Arche taught me that I really want two things: I want to love others, and I want to be loved by others." The ASB team would like to invite you to be part of this profound journey. Stop by the table after Mass to learn how you can invest in this wonderful opportunity to change the lives of our students.

#### **PodCasts:**

Did you know that the Sunday homilies as well as Newman Nights, the recent Faith that does Justice Symposium and other CC@S events are all podcast at http://feeds.feedburner.com/CatholicCardinalReflections? For more information, see http://catholic.stanford.edu/media/podcast or the CC@S app.

#### **ACTS and Psalm:**

An open Bible study with Fr. Daniel, at the Axe and Palm in Old Union, Tuesdays @ 3pm or Wednesdays @ 7pm. Come explore the Acts of the Apostles: The continuation of Luke's Gospel and the story of the early church. See how it applies to our lives today and how it can inspire our lives for tomorrow. (Its like scriptures with a side of fries...yumm) For more info Contact Fr. Daniel at drolland@ stanford.edu

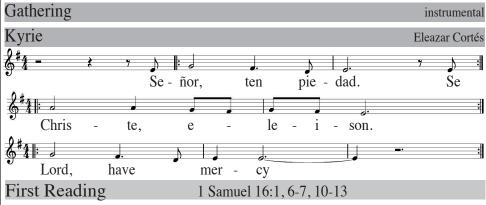
### **Hungering for the Journey-Lenten Rice Bowls:**

Join our parish community and more than 13,000 Catholic communities across the United States in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your rice bowl after Mass today, or outside our offices in Old Union. Also, download the CRS Rice Bowl app! Remember, your Lenten sacrifices change lives.



**Catholic Community at Stanford University** 

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 15, 2015



Samuel anoints David, the youngest of Jesse's sons. "The spirit of the Lord came mightily upon David from that day forward."



#### **Second Collection:**

Today's special collection is for Catholic Relief Services, the overseas arm of Catholic Charities. It brings comfort, help and needed supplies to those poorest and most desperate on our planet. Apercentage of today's basket collections will go to this wonderful group. Please be generous.

#### **Liturgical Ministries:**

A great New Year's resolution might be to become involved in the liturgical life of our community, serving as an altar server, communion minister, greeter, lector, or choir member. Training is provided. Assignments are generally every 3-4 weeks. For more info, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

#### **Eucharist For The Homebound:**

We are starting a new ministry here at CCAS. If you are unable to make it to us for Mass, any one of several volunteers would be honored to bring you the Eucharist at your home. If you are interested in the service, or if you would like to volunteer to be one of our special Eucharistic Ministers, please email Nancy Greenfield (ngreenfield875@gmail.com)

#### **New Choir Members Welcome!**

Would you like to be involved with a spirit-filled group that supports Sunday Masses? Consider joining any of the choirs, either as singers or instrumentalists. There is a wide range of music, cookies at rehearsal, and an upcoming retreat! For more info, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu

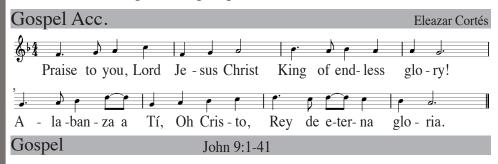
#### Young Adult "Making Choices-Dealing with Transitions" Retreat:

Sat. March 21, 2015 (10am-4pm); for women & men (ages 18-40); at the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Motherhouse, 43326 Mission Blvd. (entrance on Mission Tierra Pl), Fremont, CA 94539; Facilitators: Sisters Ingrid Clemmensen and Mary Yun; Suggested donation of \$15 includes lunch, refreshments and materials (payable at the door); Register online at www.msjdominicans.org or www.bit.ly/YAretreatreg; for more info call 510-933-6335.

#### Second Reading Epl

Ephesians 5:8-14

"Once you were in darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as children of the light, taking no part in the unfruitful works of darkness."

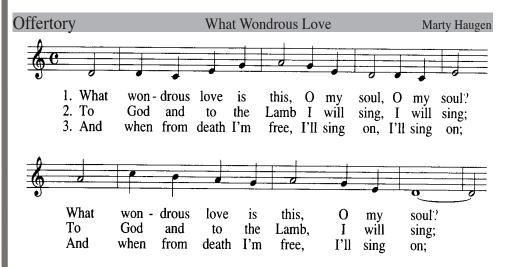


Jesus cures a man born blind. The man testifies to Jesus' healing power and comes to believe that Jesus is the Messiah.

#### 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.





#### 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!

We are both parish and campus ministry serving Stanford students, faculty, and staff as well as the many non-students who have chosen to make CC@S their home. We are served by the Dominican Order, and are called to share the love of Christ through study, prayer, community, and service. We want to develop and form well-educated, passionate, and faithful Catholic leaders who live out the love of Christ.

## Korean Catholic Community At Stanford (KC@S):

KC@S (/ka:s/) is a Korean catholic community at Stanford consisting of a number of Korean under/grad students, post-docs and community members at Stanford. During the academic year, we have a Friday night prayer meeting with various topics and activities to deepen our faith in addition to a weekly lunch gathering. New students and summer visitors are all welcome to join us. For more information, contact Kyoungjin at kjlee99@ stanford.edu.

#### Grads and Undergrads

#### **Spring Ocean Getaway:**

April 17-19. Grad and Undergrad students, mark your calendars for our spring retreat, April 10-12. We're heading to Point Montara Lighthouse for a weekend adventure. Register on our website today as spaces will be limited.

#### **Catholicism 101:**

will return in the Spring

#### **Undergrads**

#### **Spaghetti Dinners:**

Spaghetti Dinners become Lenten Meals, Thursdays. Join us on Thursdays for a simple Lenten Meal as we share food and stories from around the world. Weekly meals during Lent will feature recipes from Tanzania, Nicaragua, Niger, Lebanon and the Democratic Republic of Congo. We will be in the Common Room on the 3rd floor of Old Union from 5:15-6:15pm every Thursday, even during finals week.

#### **Young Adults**

#### **Dinner at Crepevine:**

Tues. March 17th at 7:30pm, 300 Castro St., Mountain View. The Young Adult group meets for its monthly social gathering at the Mountain View Crepevine location. Please confirm your attendance on our Facebook Page "Young Adult Circle" or contact us at yacircle@gmail.com.

#### **Volunteer Opportunities**

#### St. Anthony Padua's Dining Room:

The CCAS is committed to serving the needy and homeless at St. Anthony's Padua Dining Room in Menlo Park. If you would like to volunteer on Saturday, March 28 or April 4 from 8:30 - 1pm or a subset thereof, please contact gary.glover@stanford.edu (650 302 6902) to discuss and/or have a volunteer position reserved for you. We serve every first and fourth Saturday of the month, so plan ahead and let Gary know at least by the preceding Wednesday. Jesus gave sight to the blind man, and you can give light to the poor at St. A's.

#### **National Rebuilding Day:**

Save the Date: Sat, 4/25. The Catholic Community at Stanford is once again participating in National Rebuilding Day through the organization Rebuilding Together Peninsula, www.rebuildingtogetherpeninsula. org The assignment this year is in San Mateo(near Foster City) and includes yard work, some light construction and painting. This service event is open to all in the CCAS. All day shifts will run from 8:30am to 4:30pm, with some half day shifts available. Space is limited. Contact the Construction Captain, Larry Hu, hudat@stanfordalumni. org for more info or to sign up.

## Rice Bowls





#### Communion

#### Lead, Kindly Light

Maureen Briare

Lead, Kindly Light, amid the evening gloom and darkness of the night. Lead, Kindly Light, keep thou my feet, O Lord,

I need not see the distant scene; one step enough for me.

O lead me, Lord, lead me on;

along the narrow way until the night is gone.

O lead me, Lord, unto the radiant day.

With child-like faith, Lord, lead me home to you, to rest forever in your grace Lead, Kindly Light, lead, Kindly Light

Recessional instrumental

