

## 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.

#### Sunday Masses: September 29, 2013

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

#### **Daily Liturgy:**

M W F 12:20 in Memorial Church T Th 12:20 in Old Union Sanctuary

#### **Confessions**

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30pm and 9pm-10:30pm Old Union, 3rd Floor, 304 or 319 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 2013-2014 academic year:

November 3, 2013 at 4:30pm

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# Religious Ramblings Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time ESTEEM Program at Stanford: the Future is Now SEPTEMBER 29, 2013

When the Second Vatican Council said that the "laity exercise their apostolate both in the Church and in the world in both the spiritual and temporal orders," it was not thinking about secular educational institutions such as Stanford University, but it did envision an ideal program, one just like the ESTEEM program here at The Farm. For ESTEEM is a model of young Roman Catholic lay people taking responsibility for the church's mission of bringing about the Kingdom "initially here on earth, fully on the last day." Students in ESTEEM use their competence and passion to serve others, and in particular the needs of the local church.

ESTEEM is an acronym for Engaging Students to Enliven the Ecclesial Mission. It is a pilot program sponsored by the National Leadership Roundtable on Church Management. Other pilot sites include UCLA, Yale, and Michigan State. ESTEEM at Stanford aims at harnessing the skills and talents of students, to empower them with the tools and depth of perspective to serve on parish finance boards, lead youth groups, and to be of service in traditional and entrepreneurial ways to the church now and upon graduation.

Our Stanford ESTEEM participants range from freshmen to post-doctoral fellows. We meet twice monthly for 90 minutes. Our first meeting is this Wednesday, October 2nd at 7:15 pm at Hillel. The theme for the quarter is Catholic Social Teaching. The discussions revolve around the three pillars of the ESTEEM curriculum: 1. Spirituality / discernment / vocation, 2. The Catholic intellectual tradition, and 3. Developing leadership and group effectiveness skills.

Sessions have featured presentations by experts on Vatican II, Catholic theology, and the liturgy. Each student is assigned a mentor, usually a member of the CCAS Permanent Community, with whom he/she meets regularly to share ways of integrating faith with the many other aspects of their busy lives. In April, our ESTEEM "delegation" travels to Yale or another location to join students from other participating universities for a Capstone Conference. We have the opportunity to reflect on the learnings of the past year, to develop relationships across campuses, and to gather in prayer and worship.

By Silicon Valley "startup" standards, the past three years of the ESTEEM venture at Stanford have been a success. A few metrics: we have a "business plan," participants' expectations have been exceeded, and we are adding tangible value to the Catholic Community through our curriculum and emphasis on looking outward to make Christ's presence known through service, evangelization and reconciliation.

In October 1962, on the eve of the Council, Pope John XXIII offered words of encouragement to the delegates and to the global church: "the aim of the Second Vatican Council is to nurture the Church's best energies and studies... and to do our utmost to answer the needs and expectations of the world... with serenity of mind, moderation and wisdom." ESTEEM, along with many other fine initiatives here at Stanford and elsewhere, attempts to honor "Good Pope John" and his vision, and respond to Pope Francis' recent challenges to bring students' vitality to the life of the church. Here and now.

Deacon John Kerrigan johnk3@stanford.edu



"Each one should give what he has decided in his own heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

CC@S is a member-supported church. The life of our ministries depends on all of us. We have several ways you may make a gift besides the collection baskets on Sunday. You may download the free Paystik app and give a one-time gift using your credit card. Or you may give through your Paypal account at https://catholic.stanford.edu/giving/treasure.

If you have any questions, please contact M'Lis Berry at: meberry@stanford.edu.

#### **GENERAL COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### 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.

#### **Religious Education Registration:**

Registration for our religious education program for children (ages 3-12) will be held following both the 10:30 and 4:30 Masses on September 29. A junior high level class will be added this year, with the possibility of confirmation included. Programs are open to the children of current students, faculty/staff families, and registered, active parishioners. For more information, please contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

#### **Infant Baptisms:**

Our next celebration of baptism is Nov. 3 during the 4:30 Mass in Memorial Church. There is a required preparation course for parents on Oct. 26, 10-11:30 a.m. Baptisms are celebrated for all families of current students, faculty, staff, postdocs, and registered community members. For more info, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

## Assistants Needed for Children's Sunday Morning Religious Ed Program:

Many of the community's children take part in a Montessori-based religious education program on Sunday mornings. The children range in age from 3-13. Several volunteer assistants are needed to help the full-time catechists as the children work with various materials (books of the Bible, parables, prayer corner, learning the parts of the Mass, etc). Sessions run 8:45-10:20am, being in early October, and break during academic breaks. This is an excellent ministry if you like children and enjoy watching them learn about God and their faith. For info, please contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

#### Gently used Kindles & Nooks Needed for Children's Program:

The children's religious education program is in need of several used e-readers to load materials on for our older children. If you have recently upgraded and have an older version sitting around taking up space, we could certainly put it to good use! Tax info available for your donation. Please contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

## Small Faith Group for the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius:

Thursday at 7:30pm for the group session and 10-20 minutes individual daily prayer. Join us our small faith group to practice St. Ignatius spiritual exercise. The book, The Ignatian Adventure by Kevin O'Brien, SJ, is used as a guideline. If you are interested, contact Eun-Soo at eschoi@stanford.edu.

#### **New Choir Members:**

Come be involved in one of the "front and center" ministries! The music ministries at all Masses are open for new singers. A special need is women for the 4:30 Mass. Rehearsal is on Wednesday night during the academic term No auditions required, training and audio files available for most music. We would love to have you involved. For more info, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu.

#### Reading Group, Monday, Sept. 30th:

We'll meet, as usual, at the Gelpis' house on campus (870 Tolman Drive) at 7:30 on Monday, Sept. 30th to discuss Walker Percy's outrageous comic novel from 1971, "Love in the Ruins." All are welcome to join the conversation.

#### **ESTEEM:**

-Announcements for September 29, 2013-

(Engaging Students to Enliven the Ecclesial Mission) is accepting applications for the 2013-14 program. ESTEEM provides undergraduate and graduate student leaders with theological and spiritual formation and leadership-effectiveness skills to better serve the Catholic community now and after graduation. We meet twice a month (Wednesday evenings). Contact Stephanie Phipps (sphipps@stanford.edu) or Matthew Colford (mcolford.edu) for further information.

#### Friday Prayer Group:

"One-Friday-morning-a-month" prayer group meets at Old Union on campus. All are welcome! If interested call Jo Owen (650) 529-1105 for more details.

#### **Newman Nights**

Each Tuesday evening, 7:30pm, the CCAS' Center for Theological and Spiritual Formation (CTSF) offers presentations on the breadth and depth of Catholic Theology. Newman Nights are open to the entire community with special break-out sessions for RCIA, Confirmation, permanent community members, and students.

10/8: What We Learn about God from Genesis I

Fr Xavier Lavagetto OP

10/15: How do We Envision the Faces of God in Our Lives?

Bishop Robert McElroy

10/22: Empires, Kingdoms, & Zealots:

How Political was Jesus of Nazareth

Prof. Catherine Murphy

#### Next Spanish Mass - Sunday October 6 - 3pm

La misa en español se celebrará en la capilla de Memorial Church. Todos serán bienvenidos. Quien quiera formar parte del coro favor de comunicarse con Guillermo: gcolombetti@yahoo.com También necesitamos Lectores y Ministros de Eucaristía.

#### **UNDER GRADS**

#### **Undergrad Women Small Group:**

"Calling all Catholic women! If you are interested in growing closer to God, learning more about Catholic women throughout the ages, and building relationships with other Catholic women in your community, please consider joining our women's small group. Contact Megan O'Brien (meobrien@stanford.edu) for more details."

#### Vallombrosa Retreat Center

Vallombrosa Center is sponsoring the following events:

#### "Engaging the Heart"

#### Vallombrosa Catholic Marriage Preparation:

October 26, 2013, 9am to 4pm

Catholic marriage preparation involves several steps, one of which is the Pre-Cana Program. This program takes several forms, and each parish decides what is required: an Engaged Encounter Weekend, or a one-day session which meets the diocesan requirements. Vallombrosa staff have worked with the Archdiocese of San Francisco and the Diocese of San Jose to create a one-day Pre-Cana Program which will include presentations/ workshops by Catholic professionals on various aspects of married life, such as Intimacy, Communication, Spirituality, Role Expectations, and Sexuality. In each workshop there will be time for a couple to work together on issues they wish to discuss. This one day Pre-Cana Session will meet on a Saturday every other month.

## **Weekly Readings**

Monday, September 30 Zec 8:1-8 Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23 Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday, October 1 Zec 8:20-23 Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday, October 2 Neh 2:1-8 Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 Mt 18:1-5, 10

Thursday, October 3 Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Lk 10:1-12 Friday, October 4 Bar 1:15-22 Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9 Lk 10:13-16

Saturday, October 5 Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 PS 69:33-35, 36-37 Lk 10:17-24

Sunday, October 6 Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 Lk 17:5-10

#### GRADS

#### Catholicism 101, Dinner and Discussion, Monday 7pm:

All grad students are invited to join us for the first Catholicism 101 of the quarter. Catholicism 101 is a forum for graduate students and young adults that fosters community and open discussion of relevant issues impacting Catholics. We meet in the Nairobi Room on the 2nd floor of the Graduate Community Center. This week a panel of grad students from different disciplines will share their experience of living their faith at Stanford. Dinner will be served at 7pm. For more information, contact Lourdes at lalonso@stanford.edu

#### **Grad Bible Study:**

Sundays: Dinner at 6:30pm, Study 7-8pm, Rosary afterwards. All are welcome to a grad student Bible study. For more information contact cgiam@stanford.edu.

#### YOUNG ADULTS

#### **Dinner at Pluto's:**

Tues. Oct. 15th at 7:30pm, 482 University Ave., Palo Alto The Young Adult group meets for its monthly social gathering. Please confirm your attendance on our Facebook Page "Young Adult Circle" or contact us at yacircle@gmail.com.

#### Young Adult Mass and Halloween Dinner Party:

Tues. Oct. 29th at 7:30pm, St. Simon Church, 1860 Grant Rd, Los Altos. The Young Adult Circle will be gathering for our annual Halloween Mass followed by a Halloween themed dinner party. This is one of our more popular annual events. If you have questions or would like more information on the Mass, please contact us at yacircle@gmail.com.

#### **Pure Fire Young Adult Retreat:**

Hosted by the Diocese of San José Young Adult Ministry, Menlo Park Oct.18-20. Find direction on your spiritual journey at the Pure Fire Retreat, and discover a community of faithful and faith-curious young adults from all over the Bay Area. For more info visit the website www.dsj.org/purefire or directly contact purefire@dsj.org.

For more info, see our website, www.YoungAdultCircle.org, check the Facebook Fan Page "Young Adult Circle", or contact us at yacircle@gmail.com.

## Week at a Glance

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#### **Eucharistic Adoration and Rosary:**

Tuesdays, 9pm to 10:30pm Old Union, Third Floor Sanctuary

#### **Volunteer Opportunities**

#### **Volunteering in the Hospital Chaplaincy:**

Would you be interested in bringing Holy Communion to Catholic patients in the Stanford Hospital several times a month, on the days of your choice? Take advantage of the forthcoming training for Hospital Chaplaincy volunteers. Our Community actively supports this program. Many volunteers from CC@S, students as well as permanent members, already participate in this ministry, and Fr. Nathan and Fr. Xavier are on call for emergency spiritual care needs of the patients several times a month. The training for new volunteers, organized by the Stanford Hospital, will be held on Saturday, October 19, from 9 am to 5 pm. One-year commitment is expected (or one-school-year if you are a student). To learn more about this ministry, and to get info on how to sign up, please write to CC@S member, Harv.Galic@gmail.com

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

The CCAS is committed to serving the needy, elderly and homeless at St. Anthony's Soup Kitchen in Menlo Park. If you are interested in volunteering on Saturday, Oct. 5 or Oct. 26 from 8:30 - 1pm or a subset thereof, please contact gary.glover@stanford.edu to discuss and/or have a volunteer position reserved for you. The CCAS serves every first and fourth Saturday of the month, so plan your schedules in advance, and let Gary know at least by the Monday before. In the gospel today the Pharisees and scribes reviled Jesus for eating with "tax collectors and sinners"; but like Jesus, we can help feed our needy.

Future dates: (all Saturdays)

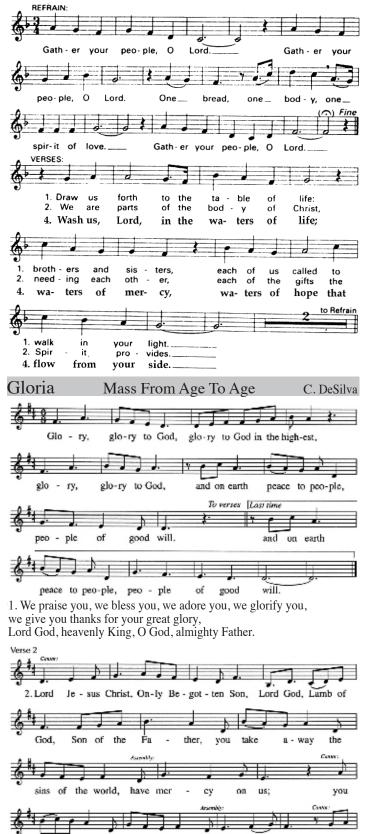
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Gathering

#### The Catholic Community at Stanford University

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 29, 2013

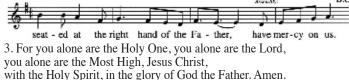
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Gather Your People



#### First Reading Amos 6:1, 4-7

Amos, God's prophet, rejected the individualist, consumerist values of lazy, greedy, unjust people who ignore the right of the poor. Their life of ease ill be ended.



#### Second Reading 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Paul exhorted Timothy to seek integrity, love, and gentleness. He wrote, "fight the good fight of faith. Hold firm to the everlasting life to which you were called."

Gospel Acc. Alleluia: Our God Is Speaking D Haas

### Gospel Luke 16:19-31

Jesus told the story about the rich man and Lazarus so that his listeners would repent and put their faith in God. Then they, too, like Lazarus, will rest in the bosom of Abraham.

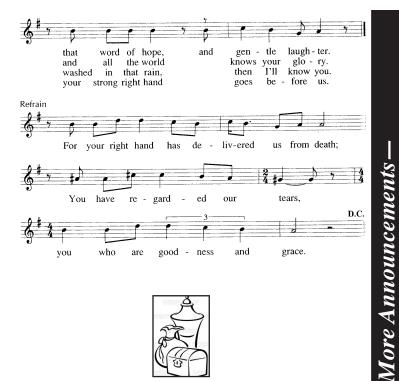
## Apostle's Creed

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.





If you suspect financial mismanagement or misconduct in your parish or in the Diocese of San José, please contact: EthicsPoint: dsj.ethicspoint.com or hotline telephone number 1-888-325-7863. Teresa Conville, 408-983-0241 or email:tconville@dsj.org.

**Gregorian Chant and Mass:** 

The St. Ann Choir, founded Fall 1963 at St. Ann Chapel, has been singing Gregorian chant and classical polyphony for the liturgy for fifty years now, and we will celebrate this with a Mass on Sunday, October 6 at St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Waverley at Homer, Palo Alto, 12:00 noon. The choir will sing the Mass for Four Voices by William Byrd and the Gregorian Chants for the day.

With thanks for your consideration,

William Mahrt Choirmaster, St. Ann Choir Associate Professor, Dept. of Music

#### **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-doc 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 lunch gathering on Thursday. For more information, contact Kyoungjin at kjlee99@ stanford.edu.

**Catholic Community Podcast:** 

You are invited to subscribe to Catholic Cardinal Reflections, the podcast of the Catholic Community at Stanford. We feature Sunday homilies, theological reflections, Newman Nights and the lectures from our class on the Second Vatican Council. Subscribe on iTunes or through catholic.stanford. edu/media/podcast

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