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Gathering  “I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say”


Kyrie  from “Missa Oecumenica”

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First Reading  Exodus 20:1–3, 7–8, 12–17

God spoke all these words:
I am the Lord your God,
who brought you out of the land of Egypt,
out of the house of slavery;
you shall have no other gods before me.
You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God,
for the Lord will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.
Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy.
Honour your father and your mother,
so that your days may be long in the land
that the Lord your God is giving you.
You shall not murder.
You shall not commit adultery.
You shall not steal.
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour.
You shall not covet your neighbour's house;
you shall not covet your neighbour's wife,
or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey,
or anything that belongs to your neighbour.

Psalm (1:00 Outdoor Mass)  (Ps. 19)

(s spoken response)
R: Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.
The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul;
the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple.
(R.)
The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart;
the commandment of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eyes.
(R.)
The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever;
the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.
(R.)
More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold;
sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.
(R.)

New announcement

* Reading Group

Our next meeting will be on Monday, April 12th at 7:30pm (Pacific) via Zoom to discuss Pierre Teilhard de Chardin’s *The Divine Milieu*. Chardin was a Jesuit priest who became a renowned archeologist and then wrote the books, including *The Divine Milieu*, that brought him a broad audience and recognition as one of the most inspired and inspiring theologians in the modern Church. Anyone not on the mailing list who wants to join the conversation should contact Albert Gelpi (agelpi@stanford.edu). The Zoom link will be sent to the list closer to the date of the meeting.

First announced February 21

* Saturday Theological Reflections

Saturdays at 7:00pm, online via Zoom
https://stanford.zoom.us/j/91411867435
For passcode, see weekly email or contact Fr. Xavier (xavierop@stanford.edu, 650-291-4590)


The book is not required since it is expensive from Amazon ($34-$40). Very short readings will be posted on the web site each week. Some topics:

- The Sermon on the Mountain and Christian Virtue Ethics: How Do We Get There?
- Politics As A Marginal Perspective
- Justice & Social Justice
Their Stories: You’re the Hero

Hopefully you’ve had a chance to read our email that shares our students’, alumni, and community members’ stories. If you haven’t read the stories yet, you can pick up the link to them on our home page at stanfordcatholic.org

St. Anthony’s Padua Dining Room

During this time of pandemic, CC@S continues to help prepare take-away hot meals for those in need at St. Anthony’s Padua Dining Room in Menlo Park (http://paduadining-room.com) every first and fourth Saturday of the month. However, to reduce the risk of virus transmission we are not able to accept new volunteers, currently. Please stay tuned for volunteer opportunities to resume. For further information, please contact gary.glover@stanford.edu (650-302-6902).

Marriage Preparation

Were you going to be married at Stanford’s Memorial Church or were you being prepared by the Catholic Community at Stanford to be married elsewhere but now are unable to find a wedding prep program? If so, contact Fr. Xavier (xavierop@stanford.edu) about the possibility of joining our online program.

Psalm (4:30 Live Stream) “If Today” (Ps. 95)

Words from Psalm 95, adapted by Bob Hurd. Music by Bob Hurd and Joe Bellamy.

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 1:18, 22–25

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.

For God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human strength.
The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, “Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father’s house a marketplace!”

His disciples remembered that it was written, “Zeal for your house will consume me.”

The people then said to him, “What sign can you show us for doing this?” Jesus answered them, “Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.” They then said, “This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?” But Jesus was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

When he was in Jerusalem during the Passover festival, many believed in his name because they saw the signs that he was doing. But Jesus on his part would not entrust himself to them, because he knew all people and needed no one to testify about anyone; for he himself knew what was in everyone.
Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, [bowing:] 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

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Sanctus

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Memorial Acclamation from “Missa Oecumenica”

We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection until you come, until you come again.

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Great Amen from “Missa Oecumenica”

Amen, amen.

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Agnus Dei from “Missa Oecumenica”

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

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Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus, you promised to be with your church until the end of time. Help us to believe that you are with us now in our hour of need.

We long to experience your presence more deeply and more intimately, even when we can’t gather together as your church to celebrate the Eucharist.

Deepen our belief that you are present within us and that you bind us together in communion with you.

May our communion with you and one another move us to reach out to others, especially those who seek justice.

We know that you abide with those whom you created. Never let us forget your love. Amen.

Communion “Amazing Grace”

Words: John Newton, 1725-1807. Music: NEW BRITAIN, from Columbian Harmony, 1829
Recessional

“To Love Like You”

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For more info, contact Teresa (tpleins@stanford.edu)

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