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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

We Are Stanford’s Guest

Catholic Community at Stanford is a parish and campus ministry operating as a guest of Stanford University. Stanford graciously offers us the use of several offices as well as access to hold Masses on campus. We are extremely grateful. However, we do not receive financial support from Stanford University. Our expenses are funded from individual gifts to CC@S.

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**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time — July 25, 2021**

**Gathering**
“10,000 Reasons/Bless the Lord”

1) The sun comes up. It’s a new day dawning.
   It’s time to sing Your song again.
   Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me,
   Let me be singing when the evening comes.

2) You’re rich in love and You’re slow to anger.
   Your name is great and Your heart is kind.
   For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
   Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

3) And on that day when my strength is failing,
   The end draws near and my time has come,
   Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
   Ten thousand years and then forever more.

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We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father.


Featured event (first announced July 11)

* Lamplighters: Jesse Sullivan and Alan Chiu

“God Leads by Lantern, Not Flashlight on High Beam”

Monday, July 26, 2021 @ 7:00pm (Pacific) online via Zoom https://stanford.zoom.us/j/96778820275 see weekly email for passcode

Join us for a conversation between CC@S community member Alan Chiu ’11, and alumnus Jesse Sullivan, ’15. “Jesse founded Alter with a desire to bring together two radically different worlds: Silicon Valley, which is the tip-of-the-spear in creating the future innovation economy, and emerging markets, where opportunity abounds, yet billions still live in poverty.” Come listen to Jesse’s story of how he was called to start Alter.

This 20-30 minute short talk will be followed by an opportunity to meet in small groups and then to ask Alan and Jesse questions, all in under an hour.

There is a wealth of experiences and stories in our own CC@S community – stories that inspire and stories that enlighten.

Stories are a wonderful way to connect us and to support each other along our path of faith. Let’s let the light shine.

First Reading 2 Kings 4:42–44

A man came bringing food from the first fruits to Elisha, the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, “Give it to the people and let them eat.”

But his servant said, “How can I set this before a hundred people?” So Elisha repeated, “Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the Lord, “They shall eat and have some left.”

The servant set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the Lord.
Psalm (Ps. 145)

(speaking response)

R: You open your hand to feed us, Lord; you answer all our needs.

All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your faithful shall bless you.

They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom, and tell of your power.

(R.)

The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season.

You open your hand, satisfying the desire of every living thing.

(R.)

The Lord is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings.

The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

(R.)

Second Reading Ephesians 4:1–6

I, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

Gospel Acclamation “Celtic Alleluia”

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Gospel
John 6:1–15

Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover festival was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little."

One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to Jesus, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?"

Jesus said, "Make the people sit down."

Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all.

Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted.

When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost."

So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets.

When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world."

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.
Offertory

If you have found spiritual encouragement from our virtual Sunday Mass, please consider making an offering. CC@S relies on individual donations from supporters all over the country to fund Sunday Mass, spiritual programs for students, faculty, staff and other permanent community members.

- To make an online donation through Venmo, Venmo @stanford-catholic
- To make a tax-deductible donation through PayPal, Check, or stock transfers, see stanfordcatholic.org/give/ways-to-give

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 “Taste and See”

1) I will bless the Lord at all times. His praise shall always be on my lips; my soul shall glory in the Lord; for He has been so good to me.


Sanctus from “Mass of Creation”

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord God of hosts, Hea-ven and earth are full of your glo-ry, Ho-san-na in the high-est.

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Ho-san-na in the high-est.
Memorial Acclamation from “Mass of Creation”

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

Great Amen from “Mass of Creation”

A-men, a-men, a-men. A-men, a-men, a-men.

Agnus Dei from “Mass of Creation”

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


Infant/Child Baptisms

We are currently scheduling baptisms for infants/children for our registered parishioners. If you are seeking baptism for your child, please contact Teresa Pleins, tpleins@stanford.edu. The baptisms will be held outdoors off-campus in a lovely garden area.

Pre-Cana Preparation

Are you getting married in your home parish or elsewhere and cannot find a required pre-marriage workshop or an Engaged Encounter weekend available? If you are a student, faculty, staff member or registered member of CC@S (including alumni – all must be registered as CC@S members for at least a year) and are in need of pre-marriage prep, contact Father Xavier Lavagetto (xavierop@stanford.edu) about the possibility of doing an online program. For further information about the canonical prep requirements for a Catholic wedding, please visit our website.
Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus, we know that you are always with us.
Help us to remember your presence within us
as we await the day when we can gather in one place
to celebrate the Eucharist and share communion.

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

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

Priest’s Communion “God Bless to Us Our Bread”

Cantor/Choir

All

God bless to us our bread, and give bread to all those who are

hun - gry and hun - ger for jus - tice to those who are

fed; God bless to us our bread.

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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).
Join the Live-Stream Choir!

At the end of our live streamed Masses, singers and instrumentalists from all over the world join together to lead our community in song.

Would you like to "join" the choir?

It's not difficult and you don't have to be a recording star to join in. The music is pre-recorded and then mixed together, so your voice is blended with others.

God is calling us in many different ways these days. Perhaps Live-stream choir is a way to help others pray through song about mercy, grace, forgiveness, and hope.

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

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(In-person & live stream)

Recessional “Bread of Life/Pan de Vida”

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