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* A Message from Fr. Xavier

Dear Catholic Community at Stanford,

As you know, Stanford University has been more careful than Santa Clara county when it comes to COVID. Once again, Memorial Church is closed for in-person religious services. Our community’s Masses will only be online for the next few weeks. We will be offering the opportunity to receive communion outside, as well as the opportunity for confessions. For those living off-campus, communion can be brought to your home.

It is important in these still stressful times to connect with a small group. Student small groups will meet online or in other ways that meet university guidelines. Former and ongoing permanent community small groups are encouraged to connect.

As always, don’t hesitate to reach out to anyone on our staff for pastoral counseling. And let’s all find other ways to connect with each other as we journey together.

See next page for our community’s revised schedule.

Look for grace in every moment!

The Baptism of the Lord — January 9, 2022

Gathering  “Christ In Me Arise”

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Gloria  from “Mass of St. Ann”

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.


First Reading  Isaiah 42:1–4, 6–7

“Here is my servant whom I love. I, the Lord, formed you with justice,” said Isaiah. “I open the eyes of the blind, free prisoners and make you a light for all.”

Masses and Sacraments
January 2022

Sunday Mass
•  For undergrads: 10:30am Mass on Zoom
  https://stanford.zoom.us/j/95418448282?pwd=RllIRktUZWU10F-dlb0svZ3pJY0wyQT09
•  4:30pm (Pacific Time) Live Stream
  https://stanfordcatholic.org/sunday-mass
•  Sunday Mass will not be held in person during January 2022 or until further notice.

Opportunities to Receive Communion
•  Sundays between 9am and 10am in Old Union Courtyard
•  Fridays between 1pm and 2pm in Old Union Courtyard
•  For those living off-campus, Communion can be brought to your home. To arrange this, contact Teresa Pleins (tpleins@stanford.edu)

Weekday Mass
•  12:20pm (Pacific Time) On Zoom:
  https://stanford.zoom.us/j/262778603
  Password for Zoom Mass: 202020
  Weekday Mass will not be held in person during January 2022 or until further notice.

Confessions and Adoration
•  Confessions Fridays, 1pm–3pm in Old Union (3rd floor, room 304) or in courtyard outside Old Union
  No adoration during January 2022 or until further notice.
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, 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.

Psalm “The Vaults of Heaven” (Ps. 19)

1) The heavens proclaim the glory of God and the firmament shows forth the work of his hands. Day unto day takes up the story and night unto night makes known the message.

2) No speech, no word, no voice is heard, yet their span goes forth through all the earth, their words to the utmost bounds of the world.

3) There he has placed the tent for the sun; it comes forth like a groom coming from his tent, like a champion rejoicing to run its course.

4) At the end of the sky is the rising sun; to the furthest end of the sky is its course, there is nothing concealed from its burning heat.

Music: Joseph B. Smith

Second Reading Titus 2:11–14; 3:4–7

Through the grace of God’s appearance, we have been saved “through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit...through Jesus Christ our savior.”

Gospel Acclamation

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When Jesus was baptized, the heavens opened and a voice said, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.”
Offertory “We Will March Thro’ the Valley”

If you have found spiritual encouragement from our 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.

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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

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Offertory

Memorial Acclamation from “Mass of Creation”

Sanctus from “Mass of Creation”
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.

Last time

world, grant us peace.


Communion  “Come to the Water”

1. Let all who thirst, let them come to the Lord: without money.
2. Let all who toil, let them come to the Lord: without labor.
3. Let all the poor, let them come to the Lord: without children.

1. Water. And let all who have nothing, bring them all to the Lord: without bring.
2. Water. And let all who are weary, bring them all to the Lord: without find.
3. Water. Bring the ones who are laden, bring them all to the Lord: without might.

1. Why should you pay the Lord? Easy the load and
2. How can your soul find rest? Easy the load and
3. Except for the Lord? Easy the load and

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Exploring Catholicism / RCIA

Weekly on Thursdays at 7:30pm
online via Zoom
https://stanford.zoom.us/j/96519367930
(for passcode, contact Fr. Xavier, xavierop@stanford.edu)

The RCIA (The Rite of the Christian Initiation for Adults) is a weekly class for those:

• Curious about Catholicism,
• Thinking about becoming Catholic,
• Catholics who were not confirmed,
• Anyone who wants an adult perspective on the Catholic Adventure.
• Drop-ins welcomed.

https://web.stanfordcatholic.org/learn/religious-education-adults#rcia
Communion “This Little Light of Mine”

Words and Music: Harry Dixon Loes, 1895-1965

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Recessional “We Are the Light”

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