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Updates from CC@S / Register with CC@S

https://db.stanfordcatholic.org/sign-up-for-updates
First Reading 2 Maccabees 7:1–2, 9–14

Even their torturers marveled at the heroism of the seven Maccabee brothers and their mother who trusted in God and faced death with courage. They believed in the resurrection to life.
Second Reading 2 Thessalonians 2:16—3:5

Paul prayed that God, who consoled him, also comfort and strengthen the saints of the Thessalonian church. He asked for their prayer and gave them God's blessing.

Gospel Acclamation from “Mass from Age to Age”

When some Sadducees tried to trap Jesus with some legal questions, he showed them God's power over life and the Lord's love for the living: “God is not the God of the dead but of the living.”

New announcement

* CC@S Autumn Retreat

We invite you to join in prayer for God’s blessings on the 20 participants and 4 directors who are participating in our CC@S retreat next weekend at El Retiro Retreat Center (Friday, November 11–Sunday November 13). They will be united in prayer for our community as well!

New announcement

* Mass in Spanish

Next Sunday, Nov. 13, 3:00 PM
Old Union 3rd floor Sanctuary Chapel
All are welcome!
For more info, contact Jesus Olivares, jesse24o@stanford.edu

New announcement

* Volunteer at Palo Alto's Opportunity Center

As disciples of Jesus, we are called to help our brothers and sisters in need. We hope to gather volunteers to cook and serve breakfast Monday, November 7 and Monday, November 14 for Palo Alto’s Opportunity Center, where brothers and sisters who are less fortunate go to receive a warm meal. We have slots to cook breakfast from 7 am to 8:15 am and to serve breakfast from 8:30 am to 9:30 am.
For a link to the sign-up, see:
https://stanfordcatholic.org/opportunity-center

“Lift up Your Eyes”— Words from Psalm 121. Music: James Hansen
Apostles’ 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.

Standing at Sunday Liturgy

Because Memorial Church is without kneelers and has a hard, slanted floor, our diocesan-approved custom to express our unity during the eucharistic prayer is that those who are able stand during the eucharistic prayer. If some choose to kneel or need to sit, let us all be at peace and of one heart during the prayer. Also, Catholics of the San Jose Diocese remain standing before communion during “Lord, I am not worthy…”

Ways to Give

AT MASS: Offering boxes are at the doors as you leave Mass

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Make your check payable to: “Catholic Community at Stanford” or “CC@S”

GIVE ONLINE:
through our secure, online form via PayPal (see stanfordcatholic.org/give/ways-to-give) or through Venmo (@stanford-catholic)
If you need any help with your donation, please contact M’Lis Berry at meberry@stanford.edu

Their Stories: You’re the Hero

Hopefully you’ve had a chance to read our annual impact report that shares our students’, alumni, and community members’ stories. If you haven’t read the stories yet, find them on our website: stanfordcatholic.org/annual-report-2021

Offertory “In God Alone”

1) Then I saw a new earth, a new heaven, and the first heaven and earth disappear. No more war, no more hate, no more hunger, no more thirst, no more loss, no more fear.

2) No more pain, no more death, no more weeping, earth and heaven are one on that day. For I saw all our tears form a river, and I saw every tear wiped away.

Sanctus from “Mass from Age to Age”
(All who are able, please remain standing during the eucharistic prayers.)

Memorial Acclamation from “Mass from Age to Age”

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

Great Amen from “Mass from Age to Age”

Amen, amen, amen.

Agnus Dei from “Mass from Age to Age”

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

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

grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.


Receiving Communion

Those who wish to receive communion on the tongue should meet the priest by the angel ambo at the end of communion so that he can easily sanitize his hands when needed. When receiving please present an open and steady hand or tongue.

Receiving Communion in the hand was the practice of Jesus and the early Church. We have one mention of communion on the tongue in the 6th century, but the common practice remained in the hand well into the 9th century. Obviating the need for washing their hands as well as out of a sense of greater respect, communion on the tongue became more common until it became the norm in the 16th century. Our Bishop, wishing to honor people’s devotion, has removed his Vatican-sanctioned prohibition of receiving on the tongue.

First announced October 23

Taizé Prayer for Peace

Tuesday, November 8, 7:00-8:00 PM
Memorial Church

Gather together to pray for peace in our world and in our lives.

Meditative prayer in the beautiful candle-lit Memorial Church.

New announcement

Save the Date:
Sunday, December 4
Early Holiday Liturgy

A special Advent liturgy followed by Christmas carols. (Replaces 4:30 and 9:00pm Masses on Dec 4.)
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.

We will be examining scripture, history, theology, morality, spirituality and more. Let’s explore! Requirements: Good questions and a prayerful heart!

stanfordcatholic.org/learn/religious-education-adults#rcia
Liturgical Ministries

Our community welcomes all to liturgical ministry! Prayer and praise come together in worship, as we serve God and one another. And you meet new friends!

There are opportunities for the following: **Altar Servers, Greeters, Singers** (singers able to sing in languages in addition to English are especially encouraged), **Instrumentalists** (all instruments welcome), **Tech Crew** (work sound board, live streaming)

Training is provided. Flexible scheduling.

For more information, contact Teresa, tpleins@stanford.edu

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Catholic Marriage, Family and Individual Therapy

The Jesuit Institute for Family Life provides marriage counseling, individual and couples, family counseling, and group counseling for married couples. New skills are often needed and old obstacles to growth must be understood and worked through before effective human relations can be realized.

For an appointment, phone 650-948-4854 or see www.jiflinet.com

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Contact the Diocese of San Jose Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults (OPCVA), by phone at 408-983-0113, or online at https://opcva.ethicspoint.com. All reports are confidential. See https://www.dsj.org/ministries/protecting-gods-children/ for more information
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