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Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara University

JST EVENTS

Shabbat CockTale Party

The Shabbat Lay Intentional Community of Oakland invites you to our end of the year party this Saturday! You are invited to bring a bottle of your favorite beverage as well as a good story to share. Formal attire is encouraged.

However, you are welcome to come as you are! For directions, contact Catherine at cholcombe@scu.edu

Saturday, May 6 | 7:00pm | Shabbat Lay Intentional Community

Contextual Theology, Mission & Prophetic Dialogue

This lecture will reflect on the mutual relationship between doing contextual theology and prophetic dialogue.

Dr. Steve Bevans, SVD, will present, and respond to a panel including Ms. Su-Chi Lin (Taiwan, GTU Ph.D. student), Sr. Rosalia Meza, VDMF (Mexico and USA, JST STD Student), and Dr. Bienvenu Mayemba, SJ

(Abidjan, République de Côte d'Ivoire, JST Visiting Professor).

Tuesday, May 9 | 7:00pm | Gesù Chapel

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Farewell Celebration for Rob McChesney, SJ

Join us at Soup Supper on Tuesday, May 9 as we bid farewell to Rob McChesney, SJ, and give gratitude for his years of service to JST as Director of the New Directions program and Director of Intercultural Initiatives.

Tuesday, May 9 | Soup Supper | Manresa

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MTS Proseminar Research Presentations

Students in the MTS Proseminar will share the results of their research with the JST community. All are welcome!

Darin Meyer, SJ, "Gratitude, Discernment, Action;" **Lindsey West**, "Unique and Belonging: Ecclesial Integration of the Autism Community;" **Anna Dos Ramos**, "Renewal Retreat for Volunteers of the 'No One Dies Alone' Program;" **Jeremy Dunford**, "Teaching Creation and Evolution in a Catholic High School;" **Amy Taylor**, "Understanding World Religions in Six Objects: A High School Religious Studies Course Curriculum;" and **Steve Baronian**, "Grief and Healing: Traditional Christian Practices."

Friday, May 12 | 1:00-4:00 with a 15 minute break at 2:25pm | *Manresa Lounge*

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Society for the Phenomenology of Religious Experience: Emerging Scholar Series

Jingjing Li - *Ālambana-pratyaya* and the Question of Other Minds in Later Chinese Yogācāra

Jingjing Li, a researcher from McGill University in Canada, will explore the question of minds in the Yogācāra school of Buddhism. Jingjing will present via ZOOM. For more information, contact webinars@sophere.org

Friday, May 12 | 10:00am-noon | La Storta Room

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MA, MABL and MTS Presentations

Three students from the M.A., M.A.B.L. and M.T.S. programs will each present their final thesis/paper/project.

Sterling Spence, MA, "The Liberation Nonprofit: the Radical Responsibilities of Faith-Based Organizations;"

Amy Taylor, MTS, "Understanding World Religions in Six Objects: A High School Religious Studies Course Curriculum;" and **Lucia Tosatto**, MABL, "What Does it Mean to Say that the *Niddah* is *Tome*? An Investigation

into the Conceptualization of Menstrual Impurity in Leviticus 15."

Tuesday, May 16 | 6:45pm | Manresa

Celebrations of the Conclusion of the School Year

Friday, May 19, 5:15pm– Baccalaureate Mass in Gesù chapel with reception following in Manresa

Saturday, May 20, 11:00am– Lay Sending Liturgy in Gesù Chapel

Saturday, May 20, 3:00pm– Commencement in PSR Chapel, with reception following in Manresa.

SCU & GTU EVENTS

Journeying Together: Faith, Spirituality, and Mental Health Conference

This day-long conference on faith and mental health issues, includes an ethical framework for effective response. 8 panelists will be featured. Participants will be inspired to end the silence of faith communities about mental health disorders, reduce discrimination of mental illness, and will leave with skills and resources for advocating. For more information and for the link to register visit see the [JST event calendar](#).

Wednesday, May 10 | 9am-4pm | Santa Clara University, Locatelli Center

GTU Commencement

This event abounds with academic regalia, music, a few speeches and time to introduce each graduate to the community when they receive a diploma and the hood of their degree. For more information, and schedule of events visit <http://gtu.edu/studentsgtu-commencement>

Thursday, May 11 | 4:00pm | Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary (PLTS)

Finals Study Break!

The GTU library will host fun and de-stressing events in the library during finals week.

Mon. 5/15, 12-12:45pm, Yoga. Lily Manderville (CARE Programs Manager) will lead a yoga session. Comfortable work clothes recommended, yoga mats provided. There will be coloring pages available before and after class.

Tues. 5/16, 9am-noon, Be crafty. Bring a project you've been too busy to work on all semester—such as knitting, crocheting, a scrapbook or anything else!

Wed. 5/17, all day, Sharpen your brain. There will be tables for jigsaw puzzles, crosswords, sudoku, jumble, and more.

Thurs. 5/18, 9am-noon, Play some games. Bring in your own or enjoy our board games. We will be debuting the Luther game for serious players, but most will be fun and simple.

Fri. 5/19, 1pm, Laugh. Join for a showing of the satirical British comedy, *Life of Brian*.

These events will be held in the **Collaborative Learning Space of the GTU Library (2nd Floor)** and are open to all!

COMMUNITY EVENTS

The Annual Gathering for the Adult Catechumenate:

Turning Hearts toward God: The Lenten Practice of Baptismal Preparation

How does the Spirit turn our hearts toward God? How do faith communities engage those to be baptized in this turning? What maps and patterns of practice guide it? Come hear from the following three speakers to stimulate reflection: Team RCIA's, Nick Wagner and Diana Macalintal; Presbyterian, Paul Galbreath; and Episcopalian, Donald Schell.

Learning the Way of the Adult Catechumenate

A full training event will be held with the Annual Gathering of catechumenate practitioners. This intensive immersion into the highly experiential process is the primary way the process of the catechumenate is understood and embraced. Training is geared for congregational teams new to the Adult Catechumenate or for new team members. Space is limited, and scholarships are available to seminarians and first call pastors.

Tuesday June 27– Thursday June 29 | Mercy Center in Burlingame, California

For more information and to register for these events visit www.journeytobaptism.org. **Deadline to register is May 10.**

What Does it Mean to be Catholic?: Call for Papers on Catholic Identity

The Lane Center at USF invites people working in ministry in a variety of Catholic contexts to contribute a short essay (3000 words) to a multi-volume series on Catholic identity. Essays should highlight challenges, questions, tensions, and/or opportunities that they experience around Catholic identity.

Prospective authors with questions may email Erin Bringham, Ph.D., Director of the Joan and Ralph Lane Center for Catholic Studies and Social Thought at embringham@usfca.edu

Essays are due August 15, 2017. For details see <http://www.usfca.edu/lane-center/call-for-papers>

Presider Schedule

Mon. 5/8 8:00 Spiranec

Tues. 5/9 8:00 Lee

5:15 Pham/Vaca

Wed. 5/10 8:00 Nshimbi

5:15 Matambura

Thurs. 5/11 8:00 Mukunzi/Ekeno

5:15 Mukunzi/Ochwo

Fri. 5/12 8:00 Sunur

5:15 Hadley

Sat. 5/13 8:30 Dillard

