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University of Dayton. Campus Ministry
Jesus in the Midst of our Lives

In this Sunday's Gospel reading Jesus once again appears to his disciples. At first the disciples do not recognize Jesus standing on the shore as they returned at dawn from fishing out at sea. It is only when Jesus commands them to cast out their nets and they come back so full of fish they were not able to pull them in that they recognize that it is indeed Jesus their Lord, risen from the dead.

How often is Jesus in the midst of our lives and we do not see him or believe him to be there? How much does he want to give us, if only we are open and willing to allow him to love us and bless us? God does not intend for us to go through this life alone. When we are frustrated and disheartened, we can remember that the Apostles also felt these emotions, but Christ did not leave them alone. He returned to them and filled them with the Holy Spirit, giving them strength and courage to go out and proclaim the Good News. God provides us the same strength and courage to face our fears and anxieties when we have the humility to ask for his help.

As we near the end of this semester, let us be mindful of the many ways that Jesus appears to us each day through our beloved community, through the budding trees, chirping birds and lighter days and to be thankful that we have a God who loves us so much that he sent his Son Jesus into this broken world, to cast out the darkness and to be our eternal Light.

Lauren Farrell, Graduate Student
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Sundays Readings
Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41
Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13
Revelation 5:11-14
John 21:1-19

“Do you love me?” and he said to him,
“Lord, you know everything;
you know that I love you.”
Jesus said to him,
“Feed my sheep.”
John 21:17

Quote Of the Week

Let us then courageously put ourselves to work, not letting ourselves be frightened by the greatness of the task.
Adèle de Batz de Trenquelléon

Sunday Worship Times
Immaculate Conception Chapel
10 am Mass
Noon Mass
6 pm Mass
8 pm Mass
McGinnis Center
9 pm Mass
Marionist Hall Chapel
6 pm Interdenominational Worship Service

Weekday Mass Schedule
Tuesdays 9 pm Stuart
Wednesdays 9 pm Marianist
Thursdays 9 pm Manycrest
Monday-Friday 12:05 pm Immaculate Conception Chapel

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Tuesdays, Fridays 11am-Noon Immaculate Conception Chapel

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Monday - Thursday
5:30pm-9pm
Alumni Hall Chapel
Faculty/Staff Wilderness Retreat
May 10-12
Go take a hike! Spend time at the end of the semester reflecting on where you are in life and your role as a faculty or staff member on campus as you are led through the stunning beauty of Red River Gorge, Kentucky. Hiking by day & sleeping under the stars at night, experience a weekend of community, prayer, faith, and simplicity. Cost: $65. Fee includes all meals and transportation. Backpacks can be provided as well. Financial assistance is available. Questions? Contact Allison Leigh at 937-229-4813 or aleigh1@udayton.edu or Mike Bennett at 937-229-4241 ormbennett3@udayton.edu

Campus Ministry Photo Contest
We are looking for photos that characterize your experiences in Campus Ministry at UD: people you have met, lessons you learned, sights you saw, or just cool photos you want to show off. Winning photos will be enlarged and displayed in Liberty Hall through next year and may be used in future Campus Ministry publications. If you win, you will receive the enlarged copy of your photo. Submit a 4x6 print or electronic copy of your photo with your name, phone, and e-mail address, and photo size; e.g. 3 megapixels to Crystal Sullivan at csullivan1@udayton.edu or Liberty Hall 101. Deadline is April 19.

Attention: Graduates!
Do you want to continue UD's tradition of learning, leading, and serving in your future career? If so, visit http://tinyurl.com/udgradpledge and sign the Graduation Pledge of social and environmental responsibility. Also, if you are considering full-time volunteering after graduation, please let Nick Cardilino know soon at ncardilino1@udayton.edu

Mass of the Holy Spirit
Tuesday, April 16
Immaculate Conception Chapel 12:05pm
At the liturgical opening of the Stander Symposium, we celebrate together through Mass, which calls down the Spirit's gifts of Wisdom, Learning and Creativity to be the animating force for the research and creative performances we celebrate at Stander. All are welcome to attend.

FOCCUS
Facilitating Open Couple Communication, Understanding, and Study
Pre-Marriage Inventory is designed to assist engaged couples in learning more about themselves and each other by providing individualized feedback regarding key issues faced by most married couples. The inventory is one of the pre-Cana requirements for marriage in the Catholic Church. Colleen Brown, Campus Minister for Liturgy and Sacraments, is a trained facilitator. If you are a UD student, faculty, or staff member and would like assistance in preparing for your marriage by completing the FOCCUS, contact Colleen at 229.2019 or brownc21@udayton.edu

IHOP: Intense Hour of Praise
April 19, 8pm in Marianist Chapel
IHOP consists of singing Praise and Worship music for an hour followed by delicious pancakes and fellowship. This is a great time to draw closer to God during this Lenten season. Questions? Contact Carson Smith at smithc12@udayton.edu

For more details and applications on all of the above, go to www.udayton.edu/ministry or call Campus Ministry at 229-3339 or the Center for Social Concern at 937-229-2524.