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Love Scripture? Have experience or interest in drama or public speaking? If so, God may be calling you to be a Lector at Mass. Lectors proclaim God’s Word amidst the gathered assembly at Mass with reverence, passion & skill. This year, UD launches a new way of preparing Lectors with two important parts: First: a new podcast produced by Campus Ministry called ProclaimerCast. Episodes are short, informative and entertaining. How ought Lectors prepare for their ministry? Why do Lectors bow to the Altar? What is the best approach to proclaiming St. Paul’s letters? ProclaimerCast addresses all these questions and more. It’s free and available to anyone: subscribe at itunes.udayton.edu (click “launch iTunes”, enter your Novell password or click “continue anonymously”, scroll down to “UD Life” and click on “Campus Ministry”). Stay subscribed so you’ll receive new episodes as they are released.

The second part involves key people to assist you in your ministry. Lector Mentors are adult members of your Mass community who meet with you a few times before Mass when you are scheduled to Lector. They point out strengths (and maybe weaknesses), and help you hone your proclamation skills. The other key contact for Lectors are student Mass Coordinators. They help you with the mechanics (carrying the book in procession, adjusting the microphone, etc.) and get you scheduled to Lector on a regular basis. These key people ensure Lectors have both knowledge and practical skills to make God’s Word come alive for the gathered assembly.

Interested in the ministry of the Lector? Contact Emily Strand in Campus Ministry: emily.strand@notes.udayton.edu call 937.229.5750 or stop by Liberty Hall room 215. No experience required!

Quote Of the Week

Joy is the holy fire that keeps our purpose warm and our intelligence aglow.
Helen Keller
More 2 Life Retreat
November 12-14
Are you Ready to Live? Check out the More 2 Life retreat. Interested sophomores, juniors and seniors should register online on the Campus Ministry retreats webpage! Questions? Contact Jenna at Jconnorl@notes.udayton.edu

UD Interdenominational Ministry Fall Retreat
November 5-7
Our theme this semester is "Finding Faith: Discerning the Divine Daily" as we seek to hear from God on the everyday moments of life. The retreat fee of $35 covers lodging, transportation and meals for the entire weekend! Scholarships available on a first come, first served basis. Sign up today at http://www.udayton.edu/ministry/UDIM.php

Metamorphosis: The Quest Sophomore Retreat
Nov. 19-20, Governor's Island
Reflect on relationships, faith and life changes. Cost $30 covers lodging, food and transportation. Space is limited to 30 people, so register now through the Campus Ministry website. Questions? Contact Bridget.Ebbert@notes.udayton.edu or 937-229-1754.

Angels of the Amazon:
How Sr. Dorothy Stang's Legacy Lives On
Tuesday, October 26, Precious Blood Catholic Church
Sr. Jane Dwyer, SND, who served in Brazil with Sr. Dorothy Stang since 1972 will speak at this fund-raising event to benefit the Mission Services Dept. of Catholic Social Services. Thanks to the President's Office, we have free dinner tickets available; come to the Center for Social Concern, 107 Liberty Hall, to pick yours up. Dinner is at 5:30pm and Sr. Jane's talk is at 7:00pm.

Perspectives on Faith and Life
Then Sings My Soul: Encountering God Through Music
Monday, November 8, 6-8pm, by Dr. Donna Cox, Music Dept.
Free dinner and talk are followed by facilitated table discussion. Come join other students, staff and faculty to discuss important issues and enjoy a great meal in the Barrett dining room. RSVP to pfls@notes.udayton.edu by November 2.

UD Poverty Simulation
Monday, November 15, 7pm
Will you start out the month with only a $10.00 bill to meet your family's basic needs? Or, will you be one of the unlucky ones? You'll find out when you join us for a unique opportunity to experience the virtual realities of poverty in KU Ballroom. All are welcome to come, please RSVP to susan.terbay@notes.udayton.edu. Questions? Contact Kelly Bohrer at 937-229-2516.

Jobs—What Works/Who Works
Tuesday October 26, Noon
Come to the Center for Social Concern's Table of Plenty in Liberty Hall Rm. 08 for lunch and group discussion on the question: "To what extent is work a human right?" All students, faculty and staff are welcome. Lunch made and provided by the CSC staff. RSVP by October 22 to Sue Terbay at susan.terbay@notes.udayton.edu

Campus Ministry Calendar

October
10/26
Table of Plenty lunch discussion
10/30
Workers' Rights Plunge

November
5-7
UDIM Fall Retreat
6
Service Saturday
10-12
Thanksgiving Food Basket Drive Collection
12-17
Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Week
13
Service Saturday
15
Poverty Simulation
16
Table of Plenty lunch discussion
17
Hungry Hearts
18
Homelessness Plunge
19-21
SOA

SERVICE Saturdays
Volunteer with other UD students to meet the needs of our Dayton community. Join the Center for Social Concern for service projects on Saturday November 6 & 13. Visit www.udayton.edu/ministry/csc to register and find more details! Questions? Contact Kelly Bohrer at Kelly.Bohrer@notes.udayton.edu

Coming Soon!!!
Domestic Winter BreakOut sign ups
Winter BreakOuts are a great way to do something different, step out of your comfort one, learn about social justice and help out a community in need. The Center for Social Concern sponsors trips to New Orleans, Trenton, Chicago, East St Louis, and Bloomington. Please check out our website at www.udayton.edu/ministry/csc for more information and to sign up! Questions? Contact Mary Niebler at mary.niebler@notes.udayton.edu

School of the Americas Vigil (SOA)
November 19-21
Hop on the bus to join dozens of UD students, faculty and staff and 20,000 others to pray and peacefully protest to close the School of the Americas, a training facility for Latin American military personnel whose graduates have a terrible human rights record. To learn more, come to one of these info nights at 8pm: Mon. Oct. 25 in KU 207 or Wed. Oct. 27 in KU 207. For more information and to register go to campus.udayton.edu/ministry/csc

The Thanksgiving Food Basket Drive is ON!
Help provide 450 families with a Thanksgiving dinner. You or your group can donate either a basket of typical Thanksgiving Day non-perishables and $15 for a turkey, or $50 and we do it all. Drop off donations at the Campus Ministry van on Nov.11 or 12 between 12-2pm or 3:30-5:30pm in Clot near Alumni Hall. We will also collect new and gently used blankets in good condition for people living on the streets. Questions? Contact patrick.cashio@gmail.com