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#300LaSalle Kickoff

The Office of Mission will hold a kickoff event for #300LaSalle at Saint Mary’s on Tuesday, March 5, at 4 p.m. in the Chapel Plaza. #300LaSalle is a yearlong international celebration of the spiritual and educational legacy of Saint John Baptist de La Salle on the tercentenary of his entry into eternal life. Lasallians throughout the world will come together in 2019 to celebrate the Year of Lasallian Vocations with the theme "One Heart. One Commitment. One Life." Join together for a special prayer service and Mardi Gras celebration. Read More Here
If you’re on the Saint Mary’s campus during an earthquake, do you know what to do or where to go if you are required to evacuate a building? The SMC Incident Management Team (IMT), led by Vice Provost Jane Camarillo, is committed to promoting the safety of all community members during an emergency. On Wednesday, March 27, at 1 p.m., during community time, the IMT will conduct a campus-wide emergency evacuation drill so members of the community will know where to evacuate in the event of an emergency. Maps the like one at right will be forthcoming. Read More

Celebrate Women's History Month

Women’s Center Turns 20

Join the Center for Women & Gender Equity as it celebrates 20 Years of Victories (for its 20th anniversary), on International Women’s Day, March 8, in Hagerty Lounge. The daylong event features discussions; a lunch and keynote speech by 97-year-old Betty Reid Soskin, the nation’s oldest park ranger; an alumni get-together, and a ribbon cutting and reception. Read More Here

Happy 25th to WaGS

Women’s and Gender Studies (WaGS) celebrates its 25th anniversary this year, beginning with a historical exhibit at the Library in March. The exhibit features posters of WaGS speakers and other events over the past quarter century, along with images of students past and present. The Library also features books written by SMC women faculty and WaGS speakers.

RHA Town Hall

In partnership with the Office of Residential Experience and Student Involvement and
Leadership, the Residence Hall Association invites the campus community to attend a Town Hall on Monday, March 4, at 7 p.m. in Hagerty Lounge. Come join us to share your experience about living on campus, and get a chance to win cool prizes, including an early appointment time for room selection next month. Through RHA's Town Hall events, initiatives like improved laundry systems and access to printers in the residence halls have been implemented on campus. If you have any feedback or would like to propose new residential experience initiatives, join us at RHA's Town Hall. Read More

Peter Cole “Dockworker Power” Discussion 3/11

Join labor historian Peter Cole as he shares his knowledge of and research on dockworkers on Monday, March 11, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Soda Center's Claeys Lounge. Cole studies the unions in West Oakland, focusing on race, class, and other defining social issues. In his recent novel, Dockworker Power, he explores the history of dockworkers' activism, their role during the 1980s anti-apartheid movement, and how the union helped shape the Bay Area. Read More Here

View - Opening Night for Spring Exhibits at SMCMoA
Visitors enjoyed an evening of fine art and fine food at Saint Mary's College's Museum of Art’s Spring Opening Night. Exhibits on display include Bay Area artist Foad Satterling’s Things Known, featuring paintings drawn from his life experience in and of nature; and David Otis Johnson's Noctambulist, an alluring display of neon installations. Both artists were in attendance. The exhibits run through June 9. Read More Here

In Memoriam

As many community members know, Brother Dominic Ruegg ’41, FSC (John Anthony Ruegg), a De La Salle Christian Brother for 83 years, passed away peacefully on Feb. 15 at the Holy Family Community, Mont La Salle, California. Brother Dominic had celebrated his 100th birthday on August 31, 2018. A memorial service for Brother Dominic will be held on Tuesday, March 5, at 7 p.m. in the College Chapel. A reception in Brousseau Hall will follow the service.

This Week on Campus

Events

- 3/5 - #300LaSalle Kickoff Celebration, 4 p.m., Chapel Plaza
- 3/6 - Pathways to Science Speaker Series: Dr. Lauren Esposito
- 3/6 - Ash Wednesday Services
- 3/7 - Meditation in the Galleries
- 3/7 - Interview Workshop
- 3/9 - CMEA Solo/Ensemble Festival
- 3/11 - Dockworker Power: Race and Activism, with Peter Cole
- 3/12 - Staff Council Meeting
- 3/12 - Solidarity Supper
3/13 - Annual English Dept. Career Night 2019
3/14 - LAB - Supper With Social Scientists
3/15 - Annual Sacramento Gaels, Dons, Broncos St. Patricks Day Luncheon
3/17 - Study Salons - Midterms 2019

More Events | Student Organizations Activities

Religious Services

- Sunday Mass in the Chapel. View the schedule.

De La Salle Reflection

- For the week of March 4.

Go Gaels

Women's Beach Volleyball Scores

Fresh off of receiving a No. 18 ranking by Dig Magazine, the Gaels exerted their dominance on Saturday, defeating San Francisco by the score of 4–1. Three of the four wins for the Gaels were taken in straight sets, as the No. 2, 3, and 5 pairs never allowed the Dons to take a set. First years Chandler Cowell and Selbie Christensen registered their team-high, third victory of the season and are now 3–2 on the year. Read More Here
MBB | Gaels Put Up a Good Fight Against #1 Zags

Saint Mary's kept the game close during the first half and led by as much as four, but were undone by a scoreless drought in the final period. "They are a very good team, and I think our offense hurt us in the second half," said Coach Bennett. "I thought [Matthias] Tass really helped us, and [Jordan] Hunter was also very good defensively. We did a good job competing in the first half against the best team in the country, so that is good progress." Read More Here

Did You Know?

The History Department and Women and Gender Studies Program will present a panel on Oral History and Gender in honor of Women's History Month, on Thursday, March 7, at 4:45 p.m. in the Faculty and Staff Dining Hall. Join History Professor Gretchen Lemke-Santangelo, Seminar Professor Jesse Turner, and USF Professor Kathryn Nasstrom for a stirring and timely discussion. Oral histories have transformed our understanding of the past, our families, and our present day. You will become a better interviewer and
consumer of information by attending this event.

Do you have a little-known tidbit or story about Saint Mary’s? Send it to Campus News.

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