

What is Spiritan Campus Ministry?

Spiritan Campus Ministry is much more than a group of individuals or an agenda of programs or opportunities for service. It is the Spirit of Duquesne University...the Spirit that moves, that leads, that guides.

SCM serves all students, faculty and staff—whatever their faith—by helping them understand and engage the University mission and Spiritan tradition so they can share it with each other, their communities and the world beyond.

Pastoral Care- Spiritan campus ministers are trained professionals, lay and ordained, men and women, who are available to serve the needs of Duquesne students, faculty, and staff, especially on issues of faith, relationships and life's struggles.

Feel free to contact Spiritan Campus Ministry anytime, but especially when...

- you are worried about grades
- you are in conflict over friends or roommate
- you have questions about your sexuality
- you have concerns about your family or friends
- your faith is challenged
- you or someone you know is ill
- you have questions on morality
- you are facing issues of death and dying
- you or someone you know is experiencing an unplanned pregnancy
- you need spiritual direction
- you are considering becoming Catholic, or need preparation to receive the sacraments of Eucharist, Confirmation and/or Reconciliation

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SPIRITAN CAMPUS MINISTRY EVENTS: Weeks of October 23 – November 5, 2011

MONDAY, OCT. 24	RCIA	Laval House	4:30 p.m.
	Faith Journey Through Fantasy Lands	Assumption Hall	4:30 p.m.
	Faith Alive	Spiritan Campus Ministry Center	7 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 26	Staff Scripture Sharing	Laval House	Noon-1 p.m.
	Chapel Choir	Chapel	4:30 p.m.
	Fair Trade Open Mic Coffee House	Starbucks-Student Union	8:30 p.m.
THURSDAY, OCT. 27	Bible Study	Spiritan Campus Ministry Center	9 p.m.
MONDAY, OCT. 31	Faith Alive	Spiritan Campus Ministry Center	7 p.m.
TUESDAY, NOV. 1	University Closed – All Saints Mass	Chapel	Noon and 9 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2	All Souls Mass	Chapel	7:45 a.m., Noon, & 9 p.m.
	Staff Scripture Sharing	Laval House	Noon-1 p.m.
	Chapel Choir	Chapel	4:30 p.m.
THURSDAY, NOV. 3	Off the Beaten Path	Off Ramp	6:30 p.m.
	Bible Study	Spiritan Campus Ministry Center	9 p.m.
FRIDAY, NOV. 4	Sophomore/Junior Parent weekend	Events throughout the weekend	

Spiritan Campus Ministry Center Hours: Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m. to Midnight ♦ Saturday-Sunday: Noon to Midnight



DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY

Spiritan Campus Ministry

Sunday, October 23 - Saturday, November 5, 2011

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS NOVEMBER 1

We all know people who, although very humble, give an authentic, admirable and inspiring example of holiness to those close to them. It is right and fitting to celebrate them by associating their memory with that of the saints who are named by the church, as well as countless others that no such register could possibly contain, even if they were known. The idea of holding a feast to celebrate all holy women and men seems to have started in the early centuries of Christianity. In this time, saints were proclaimed by members of their villages and towns. Pope Gregory IV in 844 A.D. set Nov. 1 as the date to celebrate the life and sacrifices of all the saints. In the tenth century, the first canonizations took place, with official statements by the pope that these men and women have shown love, joy, and service to others and Christ. In more recent times, the process of canonization has become a very thorough procedure involving many years of investigation and

reflection. The number of canonized saints is relatively small, yet the martyrology includes over 10,000 names. Today is something far more than a remembrance of the good people who lived on earth. It is a shared celebration of the communion of saints, including ourselves, and of our recognition that all creation is united in the spirit.

FEAST OF ALL SOULS NOVEMBER 2

November is traditionally the month for remembrance of all the dead. We especially remember those loved ones who first loved us, handed on the faith to us and gave us enduring examples of compassion, courage, integrity and service. Masses for the Feast of All Saints and All Souls will be celebrated on Tuesday, Nov. 1 at Noon and 9 p.m. and Wednesday, Nov. 2 at 7:45 a.m., Noon, and 9 p.m. in the Chapel. The 9 p.m. Mass on Nov. 2 is a Memorial Mass remembering deceased family and friends of Duquesne University students.

CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass

5:30 p.m.

Sunday Masses, 11 a.m. & 9 p.m.

6 p.m., Towers multi-purpose room

Monday – Friday, 11:30 a.m.

Reconciliation

Daily Masses

7:45 a.m. & Noon



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RESPONDING TO THE WORD

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – October 23

This world was created out of God's love for all humankind. As people in the world we are all connected by this binding love. How am I demonstrating that Christ-like love for my neighbor, the marginalized, and most in need?

- Exodus 22:20-26
- 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10
- Matthew 22:34-40

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – October 30

As we come to the end of this Liturgical year, the readings call us to reflect on the importance of our leadership roles within the community. Each one of us is called to use our gifts and talents to be leaders in some way. How am I using my leadership role in a way that supports and encourages those in my community?

- Malachi 1:14b-2:2b,8-10
- 1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9,13
- Matthew 23:1-12

WELCOME!

Spiritan Campus Ministry would like to offer a warm welcome to all the parents and families on campus for the Sophomore/Junior Weekend!

COME HEAR OUR STORIES. BE INSPIRED!

OPEN MIC NIGHT FAIR TRADE COFFEEHOUSE

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 26, 8:30 P.M.
UNION STARBUCKS

Duquesne Students for Fair Trade, in collaboration with Spiritan Campus Ministry, will be hosting an evening full of music, poetry, and most importantly, stories about how Fair Trade impacts people all over the world. Come, grab a cup of Fair Trade coffee and listen to some truly inspirational stories!

If you would like to perform, contact Kate Lecci at X5093 or leccik@duq.edu or just stop by the event and sign up!

FAITH JOURNEY THROUGH FANTASY LANDS

MONDAY, OCT. 24, 4:30 P.M.
ASSUMPTION HALL

Join us for a discussion on how the fantasy literature we know and love can play a part in our own faith journeys. For this installment, we will be looking at the Lord of the Rings Trilogy, the Ring of Power, and the effect that being invisible or unseen has on our moral actions. FJTL was initially created for Honors college students, however if you are not an honors college student but would like to attend, please contact Luci-Jo DiMaggio at dimaggi171@duq.edu. Light refreshments will be provided.

STUDENT REFLECTION

FAITH ALIVE RETREAT

— Katie Bienas, Junior English Major



Left to Right (Top) Kaitlyn Brocket, Lindsey Byrd, Barbara O'Donnell, Megan Zeilke, Katie Bienas (Bottom) Andrea Murray, Sabrina Turkel, Melissa Unger

Over the weekend of Oct. 7, Spiritan Campus Ministry hosted the annual Faith Alive Retreat in Bethel Park under a theme of "Hope." Because many upperclassmen, who are getting ready to graduate and live in the real world attended, the theme resonated with participants.

A main facet of the retreat was learning how to articulate our hopes about different things such as our faith, our communities, and our world. Through the activities, we learned that although we have many hopes, they are sometimes hard to put into words. We all made individual pictures to display our hopes in a visual form, but we also put together a movie featuring interviews with participants. Watching the movie gave us an opportunity to see our own articulation of what we want from life. Overall, this retreat boosted everyone's morale to finish out the semester, and it made us all more hopeful about life as grown-ups.

Faith Alive meets Mondays at 7 p.m. in the Spiritan Campus Ministry Center. All are welcome to join in the conversation!

A PRAYER FOR THE COMMUNITY OF SAINTS



We give thanks for all the saints,
Signs of hope for us In a time when
hope is often difficult to discern.

We give thanks for the communion of saints,
Our living body – Hope in the flesh
Our communities of faith.

We give thanks for the saints that surround us,
For our own call to sainthood,
We give thanks for all the saints,
Signs of hope for us In a time when hope is
Often difficult to discern.

We give thanks for the saints that surround us,
For our own call to sainthood,
That challenge of baptism,
That creative, disruptive grace,
That instinctive turning toward the human family.

We are images of each other, We are a ruckus chorus
Announcing the kingdom of God: Hear it and know
It calls us home.

— Jane Deren, *Education for Justice*

COMMUNITY CONVERSATION WITH RESIDENTS OF THE GREATER HILL DISTRICT COMMUNITY

On Thursday, Nov. 3 at 3 p.m. in Assumption Hall, there will be a conversation with community members from the August Wilson Foundation. Come learn about all the Hill District has to offer in its rich history and current community building efforts. The Honors College will be hosting the event. *For more information*, or if you would like to attend, please contact Luci-Jo DiMaggio at dimaggi171@duq.edu.

SCM TWITTER AND FACEBOOK



SCM launched our Twitter page! Follow us at SCMduq (http://twitter.com/?lang=en&logged_out=1#!/SCMduq) to get instant updates on events and more information on all that we offer!



If you don't already, **LIKE us on Facebook** at Spiritan Campus Ministry-Duquesne University. It's the fastest way to get updates on all of our events and to be a part of the conversation!

WEDDINGS IN THE CHAPEL

SATURDAY, OCT. 22

Jill Benford and James Drenzo
Ashley Scekeres and Alan Reichl

SATURDAY, OCT. 29

Kelli Giles and Matthew J. Lee
Briana Wensel and John Doherty



SAVE THE DATE

FAITH JOURNEY THROUGH FANTASY LANDS

Monday, Oct. 24, 4:30 p.m.
Assumption Hall

OCTOBER- DECEMBER



COMMUNITY CONVERSATION WITH AUGUST WILSON FOUNDATION MEMBERS

Thursday, Nov. 3, 3 p.m., Assumption Hall

LIBERMANN LUNCHEON

Wednesday, Nov. 16, Noon, Africa Room

FAIR TRADE COFFEE AND CHOCOLATE TASTINGS ON CAMPUS

Nov. 14-17
Various Times and Locations throughout Living
Learning Centers and Commuters' Lounge

FAIR TRADE AWARENESS WEEK

Nov. 28-Dec. 1
Be sure to check back for a full listing of events and
opportunities on campus to learn about Fair Trade!



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