

Campus Update Monday, November 6, 2017



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Veterans Day Observance & Award Ceremony

You're invited to the Veterans Day Observance and Award Ceremony on Friday, Nov. 10 from 10:30-11:30 a.m. This ceremony will recognize two veterans from the USJ community, and celebrate the veterans who have served and protected our country.



Campus Ministry Updates

Nov 8 (Wed): Mass at 12:05 pm - Chapel Bells at 12pm. Looking for volunteers, you can contact loolon@usj.edu for more information

Nov 8 (Wed): Wellness Wednesdays at 5:15pm at the Christ Church Cathedral – Zumba, prayer - reflection, and light meal w/sharing- Free event

Nov 9 (Thurs): Adoration at 6:45pm in the Sacristy

Nov 10 (Friday): Evening Prayers for St. Cecilia with our USJ Chapel Choir – 7:30pm at the Connor Chapel of Our Lady

Nov 12 (32nd Sun): Mass at 6 pm at the Chapel

2017 Hesburgh Lecture featuring Dr. J. Matthew Ashley

You're invited to the 2017 Hesburgh Lecture, featuring Keynote Speaker: J. Matthew Ashley, Ph.D. His lecture, entitled, "A Pope on the Margins: Pope Francis's Vision for the Church" will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2017 at 7 p.m. in the Second Floor Reception Room, Bruyette Athenaeum at the University of Saint Joseph.

Click here for more information:
<http://www.usj.edu/campus-update/2017-hesburgh-lecture-featuring-dr-j-matthew-ashley/>

The 2017 Hesburgh Lecture

"A Pope on the Margins: Pope Francis's Vision for the Church"

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Bruyette Athenaeum
University of Saint Joseph

This lecture examines Pope Francis's pontificate by looking at how his experience as a Jesuit and as an Archbishop in Argentina has shaped his vision of the Church as a principal sign and instrument of God's mercy in the world, especially "on the margins."

This lecture is free and open to the public.

2017-18 Student Speaker Series Launch: Doug Glanville

The University of Saint Joseph is delighted to announce that Doug Glanville – “former Major League Baseball player, ESPN analyst/commentator, and author – will be speaking on Tuesday, Nov. 14, 2017 at 6 p.m. in the Hoffman Auditorium. Glanville’s speech, entitled, “Responding to Injustice in Ways that Work,” will touch on sports, communication, and social injustice. In addition to his speech, Glanville will be signing copies of his book, “The Game from Where I Stand.” Signings will take place before and after the event. This is a free event open to the USJ community and general public.



Diversity Survey Win a \$20 Gift Card

Two years ago, the USJ community participated in an online survey to share their views about diversity and inclusiveness on campus. We listened and made changes that reflect how the University of Saint Joseph is committed to ensuring a campus climate that values, respects, incorporates, and affirms the diversity of our students, staff, and faculty. This is the time to assess if the diversity climate has changed in the last two years. The University needs to identify what we are doing well, and also areas where there is room for improvement. This survey is intended to obtain information on important areas of diversity, including: culture, ethnicity, and race; age and ability; sexual and gender expression; socioeconomic status; and religion and spirituality. Your responses will be submitted and tallied anonymously as part of the final report. To express our appreciation for your efforts, at the end of the survey, all participants can access a separate web page and print a 20% coupon for the USJ Bookstore; additionally, all students may enter a drawing to win one of 10 \$20 VISA gift cards; completion of the survey is point eligible for your Jay’s Network community. Please complete the survey so that we can use the results as a guide for further enhancing diversity and inclusive excellence on campus. Here is a link to the survey. Please complete the survey as soon as it is convenient for you.

Survey link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/USJDiversity2017-18>

International Education Week

International Education Week (IEW), Nov. 13-17, celebrates the benefits of international education and exchange worldwide. The University of Saint Joseph is participating in this initiative by holding IEW events open to the University community and the public. Click [here](#) to download the schedule of events.

Spring 2018 Registration Dates

To view the Spring 2018 Registration Dates for graduate and undergraduate students, please click [here](#).

Gengras Center 14th Annual Holiday Wreath Sale

The Gengras Center 14th Annual Holiday Wreath Sale is now through Nov. 15. Delivery will take place Monday, Nov. 20 in the greenhouse. To place an order, please download the wreath order form online (www.gengrascenter.org) and return it to Caroline Wilson at the Gengras Center.

Click [here](#) to download the flyer, and [here](#) to download the order form.

Celebrating Women in Democracy

The University of Saint Joseph Women’s Leadership Center & The Connecticut Women’s Hall of Fame Invite You To Join Us For:

Powerful Voices: Connecticut Women Changing Democracy

Tuesday, Nov. 28, 2017, Registration at 5:30, Program at 6:00 p.m.

Join us as we commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the election of Ann Uccello ’44 as Mayor of Hartford, the first woman in the United States to be elected Mayor of a capital city.

As a role model and leader in our community, **we invite you to bring guests.** There is no registration fee, but **pre-registration is required. Free parking is available.**

RSVP to [Rudeena Basden](#) by **Friday, November 11, 2017.**
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Crystal Room, Mercy Hall
1678 Asylum Avenue
West Hartford, CT 06117

For more information on the University of Saint Joseph and the Women's Leadership Center please visit:
www.usj.edu

For more information on the Connecticut Women's Hall of Fame please visit: www.cwhf.org

NCPA Fundraising Event

National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA) student chapter at USJ School of Pharmacy is hosting a "Snack N' Study" fundraising event on Monday, November 13th, anytime from 4PM to 7PM at Chick-fil-A in West Hartford. We encourage all USJ students and faculty—undergraduate and graduate alike—to join us for some food and fun outside of the stresses of school! Bring yourselves, family and/or friends to support the students of NCPA.

Please be sure to notify the staff that you are there for the USJ-SOP NCPA event, if you do attend. Hope to see you all there!

Chick-fil-A West Hartford
509 New Park Ave. West Hartford, CT 06110

Click [here](#), to download the flyer.

Come Enjoy A Taste of The McAuley

Attached please find two invitations from our friends and neighbors at The McAuley, West Hartford's Only Life Plan Community. If you or someone you love is considering making a move in the not-too-distant future to independent or assisted living, one of these November events might give you more insight into what life is like at The McAuley. Each event has seating limits, so if you are interested in attending, please be sure to R.S.V.P. either by phone or online as directed on the attachments.

Click [here](#), and [here](#) to download invitations.



New Employees and Promotions

The following is information for New Hires/Rehires as of 10/23/2017:

Stacey Downing, B.S., Associate Director Student Financial Services, Student Financial Services

The following is information for Promotions & Status Changes as of 10/23/2017: N/A

Thanksgiving Hours for the O'Connell Center

Wednesday	11-22-17	6:30am to 6pm
Thursday	11-23-17	CLOSED
Friday	11-24-17	CLOSED
Saturday	11-25-17	10am to 6pm

Have a wonderful Holiday from the O'Connell Center Staff!

Register for the 2nd Annual Blue Jay 5k Run

Join us for the 2nd Annual Blue Jay 5k Family & Friends Fun Run/Walk on Sunday, Nov. 12 at 10 a.m. All proceeds will be donated to Hands on Hartford in Hartford, CT.

Click [here](#) to download your registration form.

Discounted Tickets for the Hartford Symphony Orchestra

Visit the Hartford Symphony Orchestra's upcoming Masterworks concert, Mozart & La Mer, Nov. 10-12 at The Bushnell in Hartford. Tickets are just \$10 for all students! For more information about this concert, visit:

<https://hartfordsymphony.org/concerts/mozart-la-mer/>

Click [here](#) to download the flyer.

