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GRADUATION 2010

If you plan to graduate in May or August of 2010, you need to:

by December 1, 2009:

- + register for graduation through LOCUS
- A complete description of the application process is at: <http://www.luc.edu/regrec/graduation.shtml>
- + Pay your \$75 graduation fee (Bursar's Office)
- + Submit your **\$75 graduation fee receipt** to the IPS Office.

--By January 1, 2010:

- + Required Integration Project Selection for: MAPS, MARE, MAspirituality (Contemporary track)

Information and form is at:

http://www.luc.edu/ips/academics/maps_curri.shtml#integration

--By February 1, 2010:

- + meet with your Graduate Program Director to make sure everything is in order (**No surprises!**)



Loyola (and IPS) will be closed Wednesday, November 25 through Sunday, November 29th for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

**IPS CHRISTMAS
 OPEN HOUSE
 Friday, Dec. 4th**



**11:30A.M. – 1:30P.M.
 ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**REQUEST FOR GENTLY
 USED ART SUPPLIES**

Please deliver gently used art supplies to the IPS office for a new art teacher in a low-income Austin school by Nov. 12th. Key School is a K-8 school in Austin. It is 99% African American and 98% low income.

A new art teacher filled out her request for supplies to the school, but they were not able to provide any supplies. We are thus collecting for her. She is open to almost anything (and gently used, open boxes, etc. are welcome).

**Registration for Spring 2010
 classes is now open in
 LOCUS**



FIELD ED CORNER...

Interview Skills Workshop:

Feb. 2, 2010, 11:45- 12:45
 Beane Hall

**SPONSOR-
 A-FAMILY
 2009**

IPS is sponsoring a family of 5 this holiday season. Please consider providing the following items for this low income Chicago family:

Son, age 5

Daughter, age 3

Son, age 1

Mother

Father

**PLEASE CONTACT SUSANN
 OZAK FOR IDEAS FROM
 THEIR WISH LIST**

The father of the family has been unemployed for months, with no public aid. Family must walk from home to school every day and all of them will be thankful for appropriate clothing for the chilly winter walks.

**GIFTS, CASH OR CHECK
 WELCOME** – made payable to Randy or Susann, **by December 1st** Please stop in to the IPS office to tell Susann the item you wish to pledge.



MINISTRY AT WATER TOWER

Water Tower Campus Chaplains

Nicole Chmela, 312-915-6467; nchmela@luc.edu

Fr. Jerry Overbeck, S.J., 312-915-7186; joverb2@luc.edu

Sr. Jean Delores B.V.M., 312-915.6501; jschmid@luc.edu

MASS OPPORTUNITIES

Daily Mass: 12:00 pm, Terry Student Center Chapel

Sunday Mass: 7 pm in the St. James Chapel
(corner of Rush and Pearson)

CHARIS ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION



Saturday, December 12, 2009

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Richard J. Klarchek Information Commons, LSC

\$30/person (lunch not included)

For those in their 20s and 30s.

Details and registration at charisministries.org

LABRE MINISTRY TO THE HOMELESS

Serving in solidarity with the poor on the street of Chicago

Thursday Nights 6:30-9pm

Terry Student Center (3rd floor of Baumhart)

Each week Labre prepares and delivers food to those living on the streets of Chicago. Contact Nicole Chmela with questions: nchmela@luc.edu

WOMEN'S GROUP AT CLARET CENTER

In a therapy group women come together to share wisdom, support, empathy and empowerment. For more info on this women's group to be held on Monday evenings at Claret Center in Hyde Park contact Connie Vitale at conivitale@aol.com or 773-201-0006.



JOB OPPORTUNITY - CRS

Catholic Relief Services is actively in search of a Program Officer to work from the Midwest Regional office based in Chicago,

IL. See job description below & follow the link to apply: <https://sh.webhire.com/servlet/av/jd?ai=495&ji=2409388&sn=1>

Please note, this position is a regional position that covers 12 states in the midwest and is based in Chicago. Willingness to travel domestically and overseas is expected. Anyone with a pastoral ministry background is encouraged to apply.

HAPPENINGS AND OPPORTUNITIES

WELFARE TRAINING

Saturday, November 21st, 12:00 – 3:15pm - **FREE**



This training seminar is for anybody who works with needy families. Sidewalk counselors and crisis pregnancy center counselors especially encouraged

to attend. Presenter: Attorney Jennifer Hrycyna (J.D., Northwestern, current Skadden fellow).

Sargent Shriver National Center of Poverty Law, 50 E. Washington St., Suite 500, Chicago .

RSVP to Nora: nad@nora-doherty.com

HEALTH CARE FOR AMERICA NOW!

CHANGE COMES TO CHICAGO: NATIONAL ACTION FOR HEALTH CARE REFORM

Tuesday, November 17th - 12:00 Noon

12:00 PM - *March Begins:* Blue Cross H.Q.

(300 E. Randolph)

12:30 PM - *March Ends & Rally Begins:* Renaissance Hotel (1 W. Wacker)

Join people from ALL ACROSS THE COUNTRY as we TAKE ON the Insurance Industry at their national conference in downtown Chicago!

Tell the Insurance Industry:

“Get Out of the Way! We Demand Real Health Care Reform!”

For more information, contact:

Jessica at (312) 427-2114 x. 206 or

jessica@citizenaction-il.org

CENTER FOR CHRISTIAN LIFE ENRICHMENT: SINGLES WORKSHOP

November 20, 7:00 p.m.

Philadelphia Church, 5447 N.

Clark

Cost: \$25; Bring a friend for free!

Presented by Lyndi Wood and Andrew Mercer

The *WE A.R.E. Singles* workshop will teach you how to Atract positive attention, Recognize the power you wield in relationship, and Empower you for personal growth and success through a combination of hands-on learning, dynamic activities, and personal reflection.



DREAMWORK: AN INVITATION TO PASTORAL COUNSELORS

November 14, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., IPS Office
In the counseling setting, dreamwork can provide a personalized exploration of a client's inner and outer lives. This one-day introductory training uses a three-stage model to allow the pastoral counselor to become familiar with facilitating dreamwork in a therapeutic setting. Contact Karol Weigelt (773)206-4741 or koldfront@msn.com

UPDATE

FEBRUARY 15, 2010 IS THE DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR THE MAY 2010 IMMERSION TO KENYA



**IMMERSION COURSE TO KENYA
OPEN TO IPS STUDENTS
May 14-30, 2010**

WHAT: A life-changing immersion course on Social Justice and Pastoral Ministry in East Africa

WHEN: May 14 - 30, 2010

WHERE: Nairobi, Kenya, East Africa

HOW MUCH: \$3,250 & the tuition for a 3-credit course, plus personal incidental expenses

CONTACT: Robert (Bob) O'Gorman at 312-915-7485 for application or more information or rogorma@luc.edu



NATIONAL
DAY
OF
ACTION

NOVEMBER
19TH

INTERFAITH WORKER JUSTICE NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION TO STOP WAGE THEFT

On Thursday November 19th [events will be held across the country](#)--from a press conference on Capitol Hill to local actions in Miami, Los Angeles, New York,

Minneapolis, Northwest Arkansas, Bangor, Maine, Madison, Wisconsin, and elsewhere. [Find out how you can get involved](#) in putting an end to this national scandal! To coordinate with us or to find out more, contact Cara Gold at 773-728-8400, ext. 34 or cgold@iwj.org.

THE LIGHT SHINES IN THE DARKNESS AN ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION



Jack Shea

December 5, 2009

9:00a.m. - 4:00p.m.

**Mundelein Auditorium
Lake Shore Campus**

The Advent-Christmas season is a paradox. In the midst of increased stress and busyness, it invites us to wonder and to reflect. We will accept this invitation and spend a day "treasuring the Christmas mystery in our hearts." Using the Gospels, poems, stories, and spiritual teachings from world religions, we will explore how the light shines in the darkness, even though the darkness does not understand it and seeks to overcome it. The day will conclude with an Advent Prayer Service.

Join us at: Mundelein Center Auditorium, 1032 North Sheridan Road, Lake Shore Campus

The fee is \$75. Gathering coffee compliments of World Library Publications. Lunch and snacks are included in the fee. Registration will be capped at 300 attendees so register early! On-campus parking is available for \$7 (cash only). **Registration material:** www.luc.edu/ips. For more information, call Susann at 1-800-424-1238 or email sozuk@luc.edu. Go to:

http://www.luc.edu/values/campus/vt_lakeshore.html for an interactive campus map. Mustard Seed Bookstore will be staffing a book table of relevant resources.