The Good Word

MEXICO TRIP INFORMATIONAL

Mexico Informational is set for Wed. Nov. 18th @ 5pm in S.A. Chapel

Dates: Feb. 27th – March 6 or 7, 2010.

Volunteer with Casa de los Angeles (Home for Angeles) by volunteering with the day care center, working with the teachers, and by working in their medical clinic which offers free services to the poor of Guanajuato. Website = [http://casadelosangeles.org/](http://casadelosangeles.org/). Students will apply, interview and be selected by University Ministry Outreach. Space is limited. Applications due Friday, December 11th. Cost will be announced at informational. Selected students will have an opportunity to earn a 1 credit from the Theology Department. For more information, please attend the informational on Nov. 18th.

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GOSPEL BRUNCH—NOVEMBER 21ST

Join in celebrating the African American community and our faith through reflection, prayer and song with your brothers and sisters. Our theme for the day is Kujichagulia, Self-Determination, and all our welcome to celebrate with us.

**Featuring:** The Lewis University Gospel Choir Praise Team, Daughters of David, Ernest Ledbetter III, and Amazing Food!

1-4 PM In the D’Arcy Great Room

**If Interested Contact:** Jewdiza Hill: 773.931.0499; Ben Holliman: 773.699.4031; Tamika Thompson: 708.856.2416; Reggie Vantrease: 708.543.0783; Lauren Williams: 773.430.7068

MISSION STATEMENT

University Ministry, in harmony with Lewis’ Catholic tradition and Lasallian identity, embraces and nurtures enlightened religious experience within our community. University Ministry’s primary focus is to be a sign and instrument of the Gospel. Therefore we proclaim and celebrate the Gospel and invite the University Community into this mission.

- November 15, 2009 -
WEEKLY EVENTS

MONDAY:
STAND Meeting
5pm
Morton Boston Room
Athletes Small Group
8pm
Common Grounds
Truth in Charity
8pm
D’Arcy Great Room

TUESDAY:
Guys Small Group
7pm
Common Grounds

WEDNESDAY:
Big Brothers Big Sisters
3-5pm
S.A. Chapel and D’Arcy Room

THURSDAY:
Girls Small Group
7pm
Common Grounds

FRIDAY:

SATURDAY:

SUNDAY:
Music Practice
7pm
S.A. Chapel

Mass
8pm
S.A. Chapel

Daily Mass:
Tuesday - Friday
12 Noon
Blessed Sacrament Chapel

NIGHT MINISTRIES IN NOVEMBER

The Night Ministry connects with Chicago’s vulnerable youth and adults, providing basic supplies, self-care supplies, free healthcare, housing and supportive services for youth, referrals to other resources, and more. Join us on Nov. 18th from 11:30—3:00PM.

ALSO:

Tues., Nov. 24th
9-12:30pm Volunteer to help pass out Thanksgiving Baskets @ Morning Star Mission
1-4pm Same as above
4-6:30pm Serve dinner @ Morning Star

Wed., Nov. 25th
4-6:30pm Serve dinner @ Morning Star Star

Sun., Nov. 22nd

THE SEASON OF ADVENT

WORLD YOUTH DAY

—NON-Ministry OPPORTUNITY—

Contact: Paul Jarzembowski
Diocesan Director of YAM if interested @ pjarzembowski@dioceseofjoliet.org

URBANA ‘09 w/ IV

There are many ways you could spend five days of your winter break. But, if you want to be challenged by the spiritual and physical needs of the world, and get connected to opportunities to meet those needs, sign up for Urbana 09. Dec. 27-31

Contact: Jen or Steve 
rutherje@lewisu.edu or  
zaticst@lewisu.edu

Look for Some Changes

The season of Advent begins November 29th, and on that Sunday the Church begins a new liturgical year. As a way to mark this new season look for some changes during our celebration of the Mass. Not made indiscriminately, these changes are meant to highlight the season of expectation. For instance, you might notice the following changes:

Lighting— The candle lit chapel symbolizes Christ’s light of hope in a hurting world; in the wreath candles show this light growing through the season.

Colors— Purple captures the spirit of repentance and preparation, along with symbolizing Christ’s royalty; The pink third candle of an advent wreath expresses the joy of the Advent season.

Christmas Giving Trees—the evergreens symbolize the eternal life offered by Christ, and the gift tags offer us an opportunity to improve the quality of life of those in the Chicago area.

“The days are coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and Judah. In those days, in that time, I will raise up for David a just shoot; he will do what is right and just in the land.” Jeremiah 33:15