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Pulitzer Prize-Winning Poet to Visit Campus



Author and professor Tyehimba Jess will speak on campus Wednesday, 7:30-9 p.m. in the Soda Center, as part of the [Creative Writing Reading Series](#) hosted by the MFA in Creative Writing Program. Jess, who won a Pulitzer Prize for his 2017 book of poetry, *Olio*, will read and perform, followed by a Q&A with poet and Associate Professor of English Matthew Zapruder.

Montini Fellow to Speak on Higher Education



The 2017-2018 Montini Fellow William Sullivan will deliver his address, "[Liberal Learning as a Quest for Purpose](#)," Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Soda Center, sponsored by the Bishop John S. Cummins Institute for Catholic Thought, Culture and Action. Sullivan, recognized for his contributions to higher education and especially Catholic higher education, will focus on how liberal arts and liberal learning enhance the understanding of life's purpose that involves both self-development and service to others.

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De La Salle Reflections



For the week of **Oct. 23**.

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Tim Farley Awarded for SMC Advocacy Work

The Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) has awarded Tim Farley, director of government and community relations, the 2017 Edwin Crawford Award for Innovation. [Farley is being honored for his advocacy work](#) and leadership in elevating Saint Mary's profile among California legislators and staff. The College's government and community relations program—which helps meet two of the strategic plan's primary goals, Claiming Our Competitiveness and Defining Our Place—is considered one of the state's most effective and serves as a model for other colleges.



Leadership for Social Justice Conference



Human rights advocate and former Black Panther Ericka Huggins will give the keynote address at the Leadership for Social Justice Conference on Saturday. The event—presented by CILSA—is \$15 for students, faculty, and staff; \$20 for the general public. Interested in only the keynote address from 3-4:30 p.m.? It's free for the SMC community. [Register now.](#)

Star Party Tonight

[Come gaze at the stars tonight](#) through three telescopes with Astronomy Professor Brian Hill, Professor Hans de Moor, and General Counsel Larry Nuti at the Geissberger Observatory above campus. After watching Saturn and the sliver of a moon set at 6:30 p.m., there will be a discussion and viewing of Cepheus and the Cepheids (including their influence on 1920s thinking) between 7 and 7:30 p.m.



Keep Our Campus Green

Join campuses across the country and celebrate Campus Sustainability Week. Professor Joel Burley will [discuss climate change and extreme weather events](#) on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in Hagerty, and Al Gore's *An Inconvenient Sequel* will air Thursday at 6:30 in Claey's Lounge. For more information, contact Riley Smith at rms7@stmarys-ca.edu.

Pathways to Meaningful Careers Panel

Want to make a difference in your career? Career and Professional Development Services and SOLA present a nonprofit career panel on Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Soda Center. Panelists from organizations like the YMCA will discuss the current nonprofit landscape, skills needed for the industry, and more. [RSVP on GaelLink.](#)

View



Rachel Law '18 (left) and Erin Osanna-Barba, director of sexual assault prevention, wear purple to commemorate National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. The color purple is a symbol of peace, courage, survival, honor, and dedication to ending violence.

SMC In the News

- NYC culture blog [The Awl](#) features new poetry by [Matthew Zapruder](#).
- LA Times interviews [Kavya Maddali '18](#) about contested election of state college Republicans.

Go Gaels

Men's Basketball Set to Raise Money for Fire Victims

Saint Mary's men's basketball announced today the team will play an [exhibition game Wednesday, Oct. 25 at McKeon Pavilion](#) against Fresno State at 8 p.m. Donations to North Bay Fire Relief, a victim's fund assisting those affected by recent wildfire tragedies in Northern California, will be accepted in the lobby before and during the game.



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Religious Services

- Sunday Mass in the Chapel. [View the schedule.](#)
- St. Giles Episcopal Eucharist is each Sunday at 9 a.m.

Let us remember that we are in the holy presence of God.

