



Did You Know?

Attention current and enthusiastic SMC students: Admissions is looking for current students to host future Gaels for the Night-n-Gael events March 7–8 and April 4–5. The Admissions office is holding two admitted student overnights which welcome hundreds of students deciding if SMC is the right college for them. These programs allow high school students to spend the evening with current Gaels and fellow admitted students exploring what life is like at SMC. Their interaction with students can be the crucial factor in whether or not they choose to attend SMC. **Sign up here.** Questions? Contact Jenna Sciarrino at jcs22@stmarys-ca.edu or extension 4526.

Do you have a little-known tidbit or story about Saint Mary's? Send it to **Campus News**.

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Lasallian Reflections



For the week of **Feb. 6.**

Help SMC #BeatTheZags All Day Saturday



The men's basketball team (ranked #18 nationally) plays Gonzaga (#1) Saturday at 5 p.m. in McKeon Pavilion (it's ESPN's featured game of the week!). The Athletics Department has planned a full day of events, [from a Live College Game Day show 8–9 a.m. in McKeon](#) (with free coffee, hot chocolate, and pastries at 6:30 a.m.), followed by a free pancake breakfast, a barbecue in front of McKeon Pavilion at 2:30 p.m., and a beer garden 2:30–4:30 p.m. Post-game, Sodexo will open Oliver Hall for late night food for students.

College Launches Bold New Commercial



Get a sneak peek at the [College's new 30-second commercial](#), which will debut during ESPN's basketball coverage of this weekend's game between Saint Mary's and rival Gonzaga. The ad highlights SMC's world-class education and will be aired across all of Saint Mary's digital media platforms.

Visionary of the Year Scholarship Winner

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Blake Cairney, the recipient of the \$10,000 Chase Adam Visionary of the Year Scholarship for 2017, credits his late father, a successful businessman, for his continuous pursuit of higher education. Cairney, senior vice president of lending operations at Sacramento Credit Union, is a student in the Trans-Global Executive MBA Program (TGEMBA).



New Brothers Join Saint Mary's



The Brothers Chris have arrived. Brother Christopher Brady '75 (near left), a longtime school principal and administrator, has returned to SMC, where he enrolled as a postulate in 1970 as the school transitioned to being co-ed. "We ushered in women to the College, to academics, the dorms...the whole social life." Brother Chris Patiño, 10 years out of college, said he encounters Christ most clearly in

young people. His role as director of vocation ministry for the Lasallian District of San Francisco New Orleans coincides with his move to SMC, which he feels is God's hand at work.

Help Name a New Library Service

Help Saint Mary's choose a short, catchy name for a new digital repository at the library for academic, scholarly, and creative works, administrative documents, electronic journals, and other information content produced by and for the SMC community. Many colleges and universities name this new service "digital commons." We need your help choosing a better name. [Vote now for one of the suggestions or write in an alternative.](#)

View from Jan Term



Students work at the Shechen Monastery in Nepal as part of the Jan Term course, "Journey to Kathmandu: The Living Tradition of Himalayan Buddhism from Tibet to Nepal to the West." Students explored topics near and far during last month's Jan Term—[check out this photo gallery.](#)

Go Gaels

Blick Guides Gaels to Solid Performance at Amer Ari

Connor Blick '18 led the Gaels on Saturday afternoon with a 4-under 72 showing and Saint Mary's finished 12th of 21 teams to conclude the 26th Annual Amer Ari Intercollegiate.



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Religious Services

- Sunday Mass in the Chapel is at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.
- Daily Mass takes place Mon.-Thurs., 5:15 p.m., and Fri. at 7 a.m.
- Sacrament of Reconciliation is Sun., 7-7:45 p.m., or by appt.
- St. Giles Episcopal Eucharist is each Sunday at 9 a.m.

Religious Services Schedule

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