

"A little bit of mercy makes the world less cold and more just." - Pope Francis

# SJC News - October 2019

### Father Terry To Leave SJC in June

Archbishop Richard Smith of Edmonton has issued a letter announcing that Fr. Terry Kersch, the President of SJC, will be stepping down from that role on June 30, 2020.

For the full text of the letter, <u>click here</u>. We wish Fr. Terry all the best in his future endeavours.



#### SJC at the U of A Open House

We had a great time at the annual U of A Open House on Sat. Oct. 19th. Our team of SJC residents, faculty and staff talked to lots of prospective students, many of whom took a tour of our residences and enjoyed a meal in our dining hall. Here we see profs Matt Hoven and Lorne Zelyck discussing some deep philosophical or theological point (or so it seems).



#### **Feeling Disconnected?**

Why not join the group who will read through and discuss Jean Vanier's "Becoming Human," an exploration of forming connections with others on a personal and a global level. <u>Read more</u> <u>here</u>.



## Help Dealing with the Stress

Did you know that U of A students can visit a Registered Provisional Psychologist for FREE at St. Joseph's College on Tuesdays, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon? Our two campus ministers are also available if you need a listening ear. To schedule appointments with the psychologist or campus ministers, email: sjccm@ualberta.ca



## Fall Retreat Coming Up

Join SJC Campus Ministry and the Catholic Students' Association for a two-day retreat November 9th and 10th. This is the perfect opportunity to grow as a community and learn more about your faith. The retreat will include talks on prayer and the Holy Spirit. For more information and to RSVP, <u>Click</u> here!

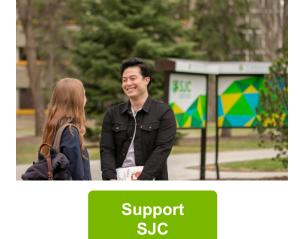


### **Books from SJC Profs**

Professors at SJC have been busy writing lately. Three books have either just appeared or will be appearing shortly: Dr. Shawn Flynn's "<u>A Story of YHWH</u>", Dr. Lorne Zelyck's "<u>The Egerton Gospel</u>" and "<u>The Human Person</u>", co-written by Dr. Matt Kostelecky.



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God is a God of the present. God is always in the moment, be that moment hard or easy, joyful and painful. - Henri Nouwen



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