

# LIFE @ SJC

## SJC News - September 2023

### Welcome Back!

A big welcome to everyone returning to campus to begin the 2023/2024 school year!

Keep your eye on SJC social media and Life @ SJC letters for more information on all the fun events, fundraisers, masses, and many more things we have planned for this year!



## Fall 2023 SJC Enrolment - Record Setting!

We are proud to announce that this term has the largest Fall enrolment in SJC's history, nearly double the number from Fall 2022!

Still have some space in your Winter 2024 class schedule? Check out our [brochure](#) for a full list of the courses we offer, as well as information about our programs & awards.

### Courses & Programming at SJC

#### POPULAR CULTURE

Catholicism and Popular Culture (CHRTC 241)  
The Writings of C.S. Lewis (CHRTC 242)  
Film and Christianity (CHRTC 341)

Tolkien: The Theology of Middle Earth (CHRTC 342)

#### PERSPECTIVES ON LIVING WELL

Introduction to the Goods of Happiness (CHRTC 103)  
Sport and Religion (CHRTC 220)  
Well-Being and Resilience (CHRTC 303)

International Service Learning (CHRTC 339)

Sex, Love and Marriage (CHRTC 351)

Death, Dying and Culture (CHRTC 361)

Neuroscience, the Person and Christian Theology (CHRTC 390)

The Social Body and Christianity (CHRTC 430)

Field Placement in Christian Service (CHRTC 499)

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Theological Education of the Catholic Teacher (CHRTC 250)

Teaching Religion: Elementary (CHRTC 380)

Teaching Religion: Secondary (CHRTC 381)

Integrative Learning in Catholic Education (CHRTC 410)

#### SPIRITUALITY

Indigenous Spiritual Traditions and Christianity (CHRTC 221)

Christian Spirituality (CHRTC 292)

The Theology and Spirituality of Eastern Christianity (CHRTC 372)

Women's Spirituality in Contemporary Christianity (CHRTC 391)

#### HISTORY & WORLD VIEW

World War II and Christians (CHRTC 347)

A History of Christianity in Canada (CHRTC 348)

#### PHILOSOPHY

The Human Person: Philosophical Issues (PHIL 209)

The Art of Living Well: Meaning and the Good Life (PHIL 219)

Greek Philosophy and the Christian Tradition (PHIL 239)

Medieval Philosophy and the Christian Tradition (PHIL 249)

Moral Philosophy and the Christian Tradition (PHIL 269)

Philosophy of Language (PHIL 379)

Aquinas (PHIL 309)

Thomas Aquinas (PHIL 319)

Natural Philosophy and the Christian Tradition (PHIL 329)

Contemporary World Views and Christianity (PHIL 339)

Religious Existentialism (PHIL 399)

#### SCRIPTURE & THEOLOGY

The Bible: An Introduction (CHRTC 101)

Catholicism: An Introduction (CHRTC 100)

Dimensions of the Christian Faith (CHRTC 264)

Jesus in the New Testament (CHRTC 266)

The New Testament Letters (CHRTC 267)

The Gospels of Matthew, Mark, and Luke (CHRTC 354)

The Catechism of the Catholic Church: Theological Perspectives (CHRTC 355)

The Gospel and Epistles of John (CHRTC 358)

#### SCIENCE & RELIGION

Introduction to Science and Religion Dialogue (CHRTC 150)

Science and Religion (CHRTC 350)

#### ETHICS & MORAL THOUGHT

Catholic Moral Thought (CHRTC 272)

Social Justice and Christianity (CHRTC 349)

Bioethics and Christianity (CHRTC 352)

Business Ethics and Christianity (CHRTC 394)

Environment and Christianity (CHRTC 396)

Current Theological Issues in Advanced Bioethics (CHRTC 422)



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**FALL 2023 SPEAKER SERIES**  
ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

**SEPTEMBER 27TH**  
**SCRIPTURE SCHOLARSHIP IN ITS VARIOUS CONTEXTS**  
3:30 - 5:00 PM  
SJC Boardroom and on Zoom  
Panelists: Pastor Tyler Williams, Dr. Fred Tappenden, Dr. Ralph Körner, Dr. Shawn Flynn  
Moderator: Dr. Lorne Zelyck

**OCTOBER 25TH**  
**WOMEN'S EXPERIENCES IN CATHOLIC CONTEXTS**  
4:00 - 5:30 PM  
Zoom  
Speakers: Dr. Indre Cuglinskas, Dr. Lynda Robitaille, Dr. Anna Muddle, Dr. Jocelyn Williams  
Co-sponsored by St. Mary's University (Calgary)

**NOVEMBER 30TH**  
**NEUROSCIENCE AND FAITH**  
Time: TBA  
Location: SJC Boardroom and on Zoom  
Speaker: Dr. Sofia Carozza  
Co-sponsored by the Society of Catholic Scientists  
There will be a reception hosted after the event!

**MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON VIA SJC SOCIAL MEDIA AND ON OUR WEBSITE. STAY TUNED!**

Have some free time this fall? Join our upcoming Speaker Series events!

- Sept 27th - Scripture Scholarship in its Various Contexts
- Oct 25th - Women's Experiences in Catholic Context
- Nov 30th - Neuroscience and Faith

More information coming via SJC social media!

### Following our Social Media?

If you aren't following our Instagram, Twitter, or Facebook accounts, you are missing out! From news about upcoming events, photos from past events, and information on courses, awards/scholarships, residences and more, we try to be fairly active and would love for you to engage with us there! This last week showed many of the new SJC students!

For those who use LinkedIn, we now have an SJC Alumni LinkedIn Page. Click [here](#) to follow!

### Focus Friday!

Take a look at our social media pages for our weekly Focus Friday post. We explore some of the interesting courses that are available at our college!

### Winter 2024 Residence: Spots Available!

Looking for a place to live for Winter 2024? We have a few spaces available in our residences, and we'd love to have you! [Learn more and apply here.](#)

### Alumni Gatherings!

We had a wonderful time meeting with some SJC alumni in Calgary in August. President Flynn was able to share updates about the College and hear stories from the late 90's!

We are hoping to have more of these types of gatherings. If you would like to have an alumni gathering in your community, please contact [ferne@ualberta.ca](mailto:ferne@ualberta.ca). We are happy to facilitate gatherings of roughly 10 or more where you can hear updates about SJC, connect with alumni, and more!



### Student Mass Is Back



Student mass is back on Sundays at 7pm in the SJC Chapel!

For more information on Mass Times and more, click [here](#)!

## Upcoming Events!

Stay tuned as we are hosting two big Advancement Office events again this year: an exciting **SJC Reception** on December 5th and our second annual **SJC Spring Fundraising Breakfast** on April 20th. More information is coming soon!

## SJC Merch

Looking to represent your school on an awesome hoodie, shirt, hat or other swag?

Shop our merchandise site for some St. Joseph's College swag! The merchandise is customizable and you can choose from a variety of brands, products, and designs to show off your SJC, Ranger or Kateri pride. Additionally, 10% of all purchases help support the college directly!

Click [here](#) to shop!



## Need Summer Accommodations?

Our residence buildings are available to house groups over the summer. Do you know of a camp, class, or retreat that is looking for a home? [Contact us!](#) We would love to have you, and our facilities and meal plans are some of the best in Edmonton! 2023 was jam-packed, and dates for 2024 are already filling up.

*Quaecumque Vera Doce Me - Teach Me Whatsoever Things are True*



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