

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS

### OCTOBER

#### OCTOBER 7: PRAY THE ROSARY AT 8:30AM



We'll offer a brief "clinic" and rosaries will be available if needed. For more information, contact Anne Jaskoski at [awinsomespirit@verizon.net](mailto:awinsomespirit@verizon.net).

#### OCTOBER 8: PRACTICING CHRISTIAN - FOLLOWING JESUS IN THE 21ST CENTURY AT 9:15AM EVERY SUNDAY IN OCTOBER

Come to a five-week series for adults that explores the promises we make in Baptism including:

- + being in community with fellow pilgrims
- + turning towards God daily
- + embodying the Gospel of God's love for all people
- + serving others in Jesus' name
- + working for justice and peace

Join us in the Music Room from 9:15-9:55am on any and all of the five Sundays in October.

#### OCTOBER 8: BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

All animals are welcome on on Founders Meadow behind Founders Hall for this joyous event! Invite your furry, feathered or finned friends and their humans!

Some pets need more blessings than others.



#### OCTOBER 13: MUSIC GUILD CONCERT AT 8PM

The Music Guild's season-opener will feature music by Kodaly, Mozart and Saint-Saens. Guest pianist Inna Faliks, head of the UCLA Piano Department, will perform. Get your tickets now at [musicguildonline.org](http://musicguildonline.org).

#### OCTOBER 15: EVENSONG AT 4PM

Evensong is a musical service geared towards prayer, contemplation, and receiving the word through music. This service will feature excerpts from Orlando Gibbons' *Short Service*, William Bairstow's beautiful *I sat down under His shadow*, and the *Preces and Responses* by Tudor composer Richard Ayleward.



#### OCTOBER 24: SPY DINNER



To serve, provide food or offer a donation to grateful young people at our monthly dinner, contact Kathy ([kbitting@stmatthews.com](mailto:kbitting@stmatthews.com)) or send your check to the Parish Office today.

#### OCTOBER 26: CHRISTMAS FAIRE PLANNING MEETING AT 8:30AM

Join us in Founders Living Room to get involved and learn more about our annual event (coming November 17) to support our Outreach Partners in a fun and festive setting.

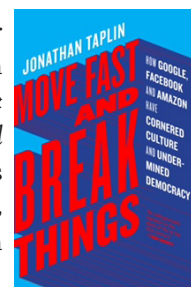
#### OCTOBER 28: ALL-PARISH WORK DAY AT 9AM

Join us for a couple of hours to beautify the grounds, help with general clean-up, rake leaves, and polish the Columbarium. You bring the gloves and we'll bring the donuts!

### NOVEMBER

#### NOVEMBER 2: SAINTS ALIVE SPEAKER SERIES AT NOON: BREAK THE INTERNET

All are welcome at our monthly speaker series, continuing on November 2. Jonathan Taplin, author of *Move Fast and Break Things: How Google, Facebook and Amazon Cornered Culture and Undermined Democracy*, shares his take on the Internet and its impact on arts, entertainment and culture. Tickets will go on sale on October 15!



#### NOVEMBER 4: PRAY THE ROSARY AT 8:30AM

If you miss out in October, you can Pray the Rosary on the first Saturday of every month at St. Matthew's.

#### NOVEMBER 17: CHRISTMAS FAIRE AT 6PM



Save the date for our annual Christmas Faire on Friday, November 17 from 6-9pm in Sprague Center. Look for more details about underwriting, donations and other ways to participate coming later this month!

#### NOVEMBER 19: CONFIRMATION INFORMATION MEETING AT 4PM

All young people in grades 9 and 10 and their parents are invited to learn more about Confirmation at St. Matthew's in the Music Room from 4-6pm.