



# Santa Clara University Catalá Club

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## President's Message-Joanie Cattermole

Dear Friends and Family of Catala,

Our year is well underway. As a Club, we got to celebrate at a favorite spot, Kyoto Palace. The food is always delicious, and the presentation is even better. Thank you so much to Cathy De Maria and Julie Jaroshenko who put our luncheon together. I also want to thank Vicki Yoshihara, who is a Catala member. She and her husband, Dale, are the owners of the Kyoto Palace.

As a Club, we also got together at the SCU basketball game on February 8. We got to see a 93-70 win over San Diego! We really appreciate Rosanne Adona for putting this fun event together.

I hope to see you at our popular Annual Retreat on Wednesday, March 12, led by Fr. Jack Treacy. Please see more details on the attached invitation flyer and please note that this is the SECOND Wednesday of the month!

This March, "let the sunshine guide you and the winds carry your dreams." — Unknown

Go Broncos!  
Joanie Cattermole





## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

**Michele Arbios**  
**Kathy Bonfiglio**  
**Patty Brunetti**  
**Maureen Cronan**  
**Angie Ehlers**  
**Lynn Goodall**  
**Shirley Haggin**  
**Rina Holman**  
**Mona Lee DeVlaminck**

**Michelle Mifsud**  
**Jill Moul**  
**Kathy Re**  
**Romelia Scott**  
**Susan Shank**  
**Julie Stone**  
**MaryBeth Vellequette**  
**Maryrose Wall**

**"Giving thanks warms the soul and reminds us that life is an extraordinary privilege. Joy doesn't come from having, but from appreciating what we have."**

**MATTHEW KELLY**

### FROM THE DESK OF OUR SCU ARTS LIAISON, LISA DE LUSIGNAN

There are many exciting opportunities to experience fantastic performances at Santa Clara University. Check out the upcoming events; get your tickets at SCU Presents

#### **She Kills Monsters**

February 28 - March 9; Mayer Theatre

#### **Winter Jazz Band and Combo Festival**

March 5-6; Music Recital Hall

#### **[be]longing: Concert Choir and Chamber Singers**

March 7; Music Recital Hall

#### **Music from the Voice and Stage**

March 14; Mission Santa Clara

#### **The Bill Stevens Trio, Mike Stevens & Kristin Kusanovich**

April 4; Music Recital Hall

### FROM THE DESK OF OUR ALUMNI LIAISON CHARLENE RAISCH

Monthly Virtual Examen is scheduled for March 12 4:30 – 5:00 pm with Fr. John McGarry, S.J. Check the Alumni Calendar to sign-up. FREE/ALL ARE WELCOME!

Catala extends congratulations to our member **GINNY HAUGHEY** and her husband **RICH**, the 2025 recipients of the Paul J. Locatelli, S.J. Award. They will be recognized at the upcoming President's Dinner on April 5.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR SAVE THE DATE

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| March 5    | Ash Wednesday  |
| March 12   | Day of Reflection, Becket Hall<br>St. Thomas of Canterbury Church  |
| April 16   | Palermo Restaurant, San Jose<br>Guest Speaker: Jeanne Rosenberger,<br>Vice Provost for Student Life                |
| October 17 | Forever Fabulous Fashion Show &<br>Luncheon<br>"Celebrating 95 years of Catalá Club"<br>DoubleTree Hotel, San Jose |

We extend our Prayers of sympathy and consolation to Rosanne Adona with the loss of her brother, Dennis Dunnigan, the victims of violence, terrorism, fires and disease.

Our Prayers for Healing and Restored Good Health for Pope Francis, Joe De Maria, Lexie O'Keefe, mother-in-law of Leana Giannini, the mother of Kate Canessa, Jeanne Torre, Michelle Sola's grandson, Áedán, for our SCU Community and for all who have nobody to pray for them.



### FOOD INSECURITY at SCU

#### Bronco Pantry Update by Sue Davison

Bronco Food Pantry. Your generous contributions allow our program to provide our students access to nutritious meals and personal hygiene products.

The updated wish list is available on Amazon.com. Please scan the QR code below or go to the Amazon website to make your donation. Gift cards are also often requested and easy for our students to access.

Your generosity and kindness are so appreciated.

We will not have a 50/50 raffle at our Day of Reflection in March, so please use this QR code if you would like to donate!





Another delicious and well-attended luncheon meeting was enjoyed at our traditional favorite, Kyoto Palace! Food and service are topnotch and the teppanyaki chefs are always entertaining. Many guests lingered after dessert to continue chatting – a testament to a joyful event. Kudos to **Vicki and Dale Yoshihara** and their hospitable and talented staff! Congratulations to the newly elected 2025-26 Officers and Board members. Check out the photos, thanks to Birdie Pacelli!

