AGE OF AQUINAS

a Bay Area group for Christian singles 40+

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Next Shoreline hike: Saturday, November 7, 9:00 am
Next Edgewood hike: Saturday, November 7, 9:00 am
Thanksgiving dinner: Thursday, November 26, 11:30 am

Hike Report - Shoreline:
Even the latecomers beat the sun this morning. The air was thick with fog and the sky was a soft grey overcast. Nonetheless quite a few hikers, including two first-timers, showed up in the chilly air and warmed it with friendship and conversation.

Back at the café our numbers grew, as usual. The cool thing about this group is that folks may come when the can and leave when they have to. Nobody's ever "late"!

I'm looking for a volunteer to write the hike report next week (Nov. 7) as I'm not going to be able to make it. I have a retreat to attend. Let me know by reply if you'll compose a few words about next week's Shoreline hike. Thanx!

Coming up: Next Saturday is another regular Shoreline hike, plus the regular first-Saturday Edgewood Park hike. And don't' forget the "Little House" Thanksgiving dinner under the auspices of Peninsula Volunteers. See below for details. For the latest on *all* the upcoming events, visit: http://paloaltocatholic.org/aofa.html.

The new Yahoo Group called Age-of-Aquinas continues to grow. You can check it out at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/age-of-aquinas. Eventually these hike reports and all Age of Aquinas email communication will start coming from that address.

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Saturday, November 7, 2009 @ 9 am: *Shoreline Park Hike & Coffee* - Mountain View
Meet at *Lakeside Cafe* in Mountain View's Shoreline Park at 9 am. We'll start off from there and walk for about a half hour, then turn around and walk a half hour back to the café for coffee and/or brunch about 10:00 or 10:15 am. You don't have to make the hike to come to coffee! The hikes go on regardless of temperature, sky condition, or precipitation state!
Directions to Lakeside Café:
From northbound 101, take the Shoreline Blvd exit (*CAUTION!* Slow down! Tight off-ramp curve!) and turn right at the light (NOTE: *No* right on red).
From southbound 101, take the Shoreline Blvd exit and turn left at the light.
Once on Shoreline Blvd, follow it about 2 miles to the Lakeside Cafe parking lot. We will gather near the breezeway between the cafe and the aquatic center.
Map:
http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result?addr=3160+n+shoreline+blvd&csz=mountain+view+ca++94043
More information: Visit http://paloaltocatholic.org/aofa.html, call Randy on 408.739.2881 or Email: age-of-aquinas@paloaltocatholic.org.

***** These hikes are every Saturday *****

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Saturday, November 7, 2009 @ 9:00 am: *Edgewood Park Hike and Coffee* - Redwood City

Meet in the INNER parking lot of Edgewood Park at 9 am.

*Look for the **"Age of Aquinas *** Gather Here"** sign.*

This is a hike that will take you up and down, in sun and shade, amidst grasses, trees and wildflowers, for about an hour and a quarter. Afterwards gather at a nearby eatery, about 10:30 am, for coffee, brunch, or lunch. Since the paths are not paved, if it's pouring down rain, we won't hike.

Time: 9:00 am.

Directions to Edgewood Park:

From the 101, take the Whipple Ave exit and travel through town West to Alameda de Las Pulgas. There turn right and go about 1/4 mile to Edgewood Rd. There turn left and follow Edgewood about 2 miles to the Park Entrance on your left.

Map: http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result.php?q1=i-280+at+edgewood+rd+redwood+city+ca+94062.

From I-280, take the Edgewood Road exit and go East toward Redwood City about 1/2 mile to the park entrance on your right.

Map: http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result.php?q1=i-280+at+edgewood+rd+redwood+city+ca+94062.

More information: Visit http://paloaltocatholic.org/AofA.html, or contact Josephine, 650.619.4024, or Randy, age-of-aquinas@paloaltocatholic.org.

***** Hikes are on the 1st Saturday of the month*****

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Thursday, Nov 26, 2009, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm: *Little House Thanksgiving Dinner* - Menlo Park

Sponsored by Peninsula Volunteers

Help support the Peninsula Volunteers help those less fortunate this Thanksgiving by coming to the "Little House" Thanksgiving dinner. Stay tuned for more information.

Time: 11:30 am till 1:00 pm

Cost: $12.00 if reserved by November 6, $15:00 until November 18.

Location: 800 Middle Ave, Menlo Park, CA 94025

Map: http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result.php?q1=800+middle+ave+menlo+park+ca+94025

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