

The week ahead, in the Calendar:

Friday 2ND

ADVENT FERIA

Saturday 3rd

St. FRANCIS XAVIER SJ

Sunday 4th

SECOND SUNDAY of ADVENT

Monday 5th

ADVENT FERIA

Tuesday 6th

St. NICHOLAS

Wednesday 7th

St. AMBROSE

Thursday 8th.

The IMMACULATE CONCEPTION of OUR LADY

Mass each term-time day in the Maria Assumpta Chapel: 13.30 Mon—Wed, Fri & 13.00 Thursday (“The College Mass”).

CHAPLAINCY DROP-IN

Both your Chaplains hope to be available to you, if ever we can help with anything, and each week we set aside “office-hours” when we will be about the place.

Fr. Dave is normally on campus Tuesday to Friday and Fr. Rocco Monday to Thursday; each with specific hours of availability on those days.

Please see the availability schedules, posted outside each Chaplaincy Office (Chaplaincy North & Chaplaincy South!)

CHAPLAINCY NEWS in brief

1: Tea with the Chaplains: NEW VENUE: “Other Room” in the basement. Bring your lunch & join us!

2: Weekly Ecumenical Prayer continues as usual on Monday afternoon, now in the **Other Room**.

3: FAIRTRADE: We have begun to use fairly traded products for our “Tea with the Chaplains” (see below).

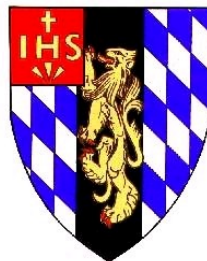
4: Eucharistic Minister training and commissioning: just starting. Please see Fr. Rocco for more information

5: Advent Reflection Time: another opportunity, here on campus, on Sat. 10th Dec, 3-6pm., led by Chaplaincy Team members. Quiet time & guided prayer to prepare for Christmas.

6: Taize prayer: we’re thinking of doing this soon—watch this space! Who would like to help?

TEA WITH THE CHAPLAINS today after College Mass, “Other” Room.

Do join us for tea, coffee, biscuits & good conversation. Bring your lunch along! We’ll always welcome help with setting up & clearing up . . . *Fr. Rocco, Fr. Dave*



Heythrop College

Ad Maiorem Dei Gloriam

Chaplaincy Newsletter

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Heythrop Schola Cantorum College Advent Service

Following the enthusiastic response to our **College Advent Service** last year, the event will be repeated on **Thursday 15th Dec**, at **6:30pm**, in the **Maria Assumpta Chapel**. The service will consist of the celebration of Solemn Vespers, with the *Heythrop Schola Cantorum*. **Fr James Sweeney CP**, Acting Principal, will preside at the celebration. All students and staff are most welcome to bring guests!

Pre-Christmas Party

The College Advent Service on 15th Dec. will be followed by a **Pre-Christmas Party** sponsored by the **Heythrop Student Union** and the **Chaplaincy**, with home-made mince pies, mulled wine and non-alcoholic alternatives, and Carols and music provided by the *Heythrop Schola Cantorum*. Please do join us from 7:30pm onwards in the **Walker Room**.

Please take this Newsletter with you.

This newsletter is posted on the College Website and is available at Reception.

College Eucharistic Celebration—Thursday 1st December.

Saints Edmund Campion SJ, Robert Southwell SJ & companions, martyrs

Celebrant: Fr. Dominik Markl SJ

Saint Edmund Campion is the Patron Saint of the British Jesuits and one of their most illustrious forebears. A Londoner, born in the year the Jesuits were founded (1540), he was one of the first Jesuits to be assigned to the English Mission. A brilliant scholar at Oxford, he subsequently carried out his ministry to English Catholics in secret, hunted down by agents of the Elizabethan Crown. Betrayed & arrested near Oxford, he was executed by hanging, drawing & quartering at Tyburn (present-day Marble Arch) on this day in 1581.

Saint Robert Southwell, from Norfolk, became a Jesuit in Rome in 1578 & returned to the English Mission in 1586. Noted *inter alia* as a gifted & gentle poet, he too was betrayed and executed like Campion, at Tyburn, in 1595.

Today's feast commemorates in all 10 Saints and 18 Blessed, revered for their fidelity & fearless zeal in ministering to their fellow Catholics in a time of great persecution.

Hymns for the celebration of Mass today

Entrance: 881, vv.1-3; **Kyrie:** recited, using new translation;

Psalms: 258 (verses canted); **Alleluia:** 64, vv.1-4;

Sanctus: recited; **Acclamation:** recited

Lamb of God: recited; **Communion:** 111, vv. 1,2,5 & 6.

Final: 910.

Liturgy of the Word

1st Reading: Isaiah 53: 3-7 "... yet it was our sufferings that he endured."

Psalms: sung.

Gospel: John 17:11b-21 "... that they may all be one."

The NEW TRANSLATION of the ROMAN MISSAL is now in use throughout the RC Dioceses of England & Wales. Please use the cards supplied (pick up one at the door) for this Mass.

It has been a tradition at Heythrop to stand rather than kneel during the Eucharistic Prayer.

Please feel free to stand or kneel according to your personal sensitivity.

VOLUNTEERING SERVICE at Heythrop

GAP-YEAR and FIXED-TERM VOLUNTEERING: come and find out about Gap Year and shorter term volunteering here or abroad with various agencies. We will look at 1 month, 3 months and 1 year opportunities. Tuesday 6th December 1.30 - 2.30 in Rahner Room

All welcome — Kim Burke, HCL Transition Manager.
Enquiries to k.burke@heythrop.ac.uk or to Fr.Dave.

ADVENT QUIET REFLECTION TIME

Prepared & presented by
Fr.Rocco, Fr.Dave & members of
the Heythrop Chaplaincy Team



Here on campus, Saturday 10th December, 3pm-6pm; no charge

An opportunity for some quiet time and guided meditation on the meaning of Advent

"O come, o come, Emmanuel ..."

Two Advent worship opportunities offered to us by neighbours & friends

IMPERIAL COLLEGE SERVICE OF CAROLS by CANDLELIGHT

Wed 14th, 6-7pm, Holy Trinity Church Prince Consort Rd., South Kensington Campus of Imperial.

The RC Chaplain, Fr.Miguel (More House chaplaincy), extends a welcome to all of us from Heythrop

FULHAM AND HAMMERMITH CHORAL SOCIETY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Music of Charpentier, Vaughan Williams and Carols for Choir and Audience

Saturday 10th Dec 2011 7.30pm
Holy Innocents Church, Paddenswick Road, Hammersmith W6

Tickets £14: see flyers or hcs.org.uk



The Chaplaincy Team is considering the introduction of Taizé prayer to our weekly schedule.

Watch for more news!



As we were about to print this week's Newsletter, we received the news of the death of **Sr.Hilda Denyer ra**, of the community of Assumption Sisters here in Kensington Square. Sr.Hilda passed peacefully to God just after noon on Wednesday. She had been ill for some weeks. We pray for the repose of her soul and we thank God for all the ways she generously served so many.

Requiescat in pace