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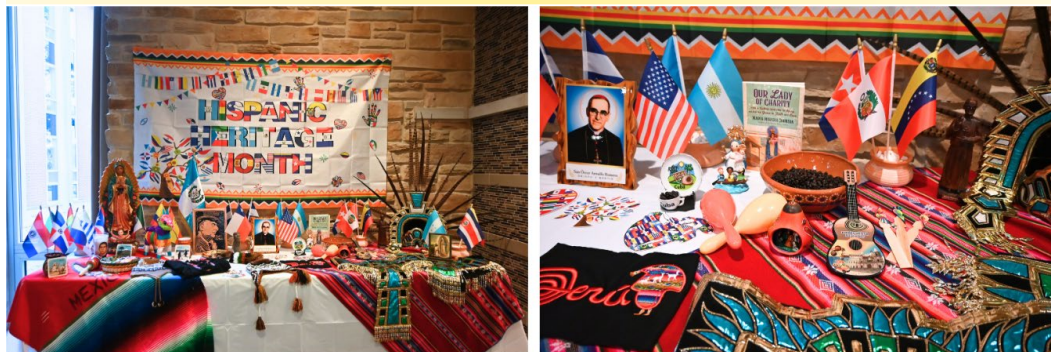


Dehonian Spirituality

“Mary is the Mother of Sorrows, she is the Queen of Martyrs; she suffered more than others did. A few moments in the amphitheater, a few hours of suffering were enough to make martyrs. The martyrdom of Mary lasted her whole life. The prophecy of Simeon has been fulfilled: ‘your soul will be pierced by a sword’.”

Leo John Dehon, SCJ, *The Year with the Sacred Heart*, March 30

Announcements



Celebrating Hispanic and Latino Heritage Month

Hispanic and Latino Heritage Month is celebrated from September 15 to October 15. During this time, we celebrate the diversity of our nations and the contribution of countless Hispanics living in the U.S. Fr. Jose Gonzalez, Director of the Hispanic Ministry Preparation Program, along with ECS students, put together a display in the Sacred Heart lobby for all to admire during this month. Additionally, the all-school Mass on Wednesday, September 18 was in Spanish and many of the Hispanic students sang. Let us continue to embrace diversity

and hospitality as a sign of love for our brothers and sisters, as we celebrate the Hispanic Heritage Month.



The Hebrew-Jewish Calendar

On September 25, Mr. Liran Gerassi, Director of the Lux Center, led a meet and greet followed by a presentation on the Hebrew-Jewish calendar. He specifically spoke about the High Holy Days to the Sacred Heart faculty, staff, and seminarians.



International Seminarian Luncheon

The Fall 2024 International Seminarian Luncheon was held on Thursday, September 26. Rev. Mr. Anton Nickolai, SHSST's Vice President for Institutional Advancement, spoke to students about the methods of and rewards for bridging cultures in parish life. 12 different nationalities are present among the seminarian student body in the 2024-2025 Academic Year.



Faculty and Staff Colloquium

On Wednesday, September 18, Sacred Heart faculty and staff participated in two different colloquiums. The faculty colloquium was led by Dr. Steven Shippee, Professor of Systematic Theology. His talk was about the spirituality of Buddhism. The staff colloquium was led by Fr. Andrzej Sudol, SCJ. He led a discussion on interculturality. Thank you, Dr. Shippee and Fr. Sudol for sharing your expertise on the topics presented!



Cor Unum Apostolic Saturday

On Saturday, September 14, the Cor Unum students in their second year of study participated in “Mr. Bob’s Under the Bridge” outreach service. This was part of their first Apostolic Saturday of the year. Their Apostolic Saturdays will focus on living and expressing the theology learned in the classroom in the actual contexts and communities, namely, the communities around the Basilica of St. Josaphat.



It is Sacred Heart's great pleasure to announce the recent book review published by Ms. Ann Owen, Digital Services Librarian:

- Review of *Your Roadmap to a Conversion-Centered Catechumenate: A Report from the Trenches* by John McGlynn. *Catholic Library World* 95, no. 1 (August 2024): 40-41.

You will also find a copy of the review [here](#). Congratulations, Ms. Owen!



Holy Week Pilgrimage to Spain

April 11-April 21, 2025

Join Fr. Raúl Gómez-Ruiz, SDS, former President-Rector of Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology, on a pilgrimage to Spain! Experience the history, spirituality, and culture of this beautiful place during Holy Week 2025. We will visit Toledo, Madrid, and other sites, all while exploring the Hispano-Mozarabic Rite (the ancient liturgy of Spain).

Info Session: Thursday, October 3 at 7:00pm
SHSST, Room 201

Interested? Please contact Fr. Raúl Gómez-Ruiz, SDS, at rgomezruiz@shsst.edu or raul.gomez@mailssds.org.
\$500 deposit due at registration **no later than November 29**

Visit: <https://www.scopiatours.com/Spain2025> for detailed information

\$3,122 double occupancy, \$3684 single occupancy**
+ \$1420 (if seeking 2 course credits) or + \$336 (if auditing)

The cost includes airfare, ground transportation, lodging, breakfast daily, two group meals. **Estimated cost is subject to change. Partial scholarships may be available if taken as a course.

Looking Forward

Oct 02 Multicultural Mass

Oct 04 ECS Culture Fair

Oct 16 Dehon Lecture

Oct 23 Ministry of Acolyte

Oct 25 Board of Directors

Nov 06 Day of Reflection (All School: Faculty & Staff off-campus)

Nov 13 Candidacy to Holy Orders

Dec 13 Employee Christmas Evening Social
Jan 07-Jan 09 Preaching Conference
Jan 22 Christian Unity Evening Prayer
Feb 05 Day of Recollection (All School: Faculty & Staff off-campus)
Mar 05 Day of Recollection (All School)
Mar 19 Ministry of Lector & Board of Directors
Mar 23 & Mar 24 Spring Lux Center Public Lecture & Lux Center Morning Lecture
Apr 23 Easter Lunch & Student Council Appreciation
Apr 30 Employee Recognition
May 07 Grad/Admin Dinner
May 09 Commencement
May 14 Faculty Council Dinner
May 21 Board of Directors
May 23 End of Year Picnic
June 13-June 27 "In the Footsteps of Peter and Paul" Pilgrimage



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