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Dehonian Spirituality

“The Sacred Heart of Jesus is more brilliant than the sun, all aglow with burning love.”

Leo John Dehon, SCJ, Crowns of Love for the Sacred Heart III,
1st Mystery, 4th Meditation

Announcements



Fall Dehon Lecture

The superior general of the Priests of the Sacred Heart, Fr. Carlos Luis Suárez Codorni, SCJ, remarked, "THIS IS A SPECIAL HOUSE," at the October 4th Dehon Lecture. The topic of his talk was "Moved by the Word." He discussed how, in addition to the words found in the Bible, the wisdom and theology shared with him in the words that come from other people's lived experiences had also moved him.

To watch the Dehon Lecture, click [here](#).

Prior to the lecture, Fr. Carlos was the main celebrant of an intercultural liturgy hosted by SHSST's English and Culture Studies Program (see below).



Multicultural Mass

The ECS Fall I Program 2023 students conducted a Multicultural Mass on Wednesday, October 4. The mass represented the diversity of the Universal Church through the various languages and cultural styles of ECS Fall I students. The Sacred Heart community, including the ECS volunteers, joined the Mass.



Multicultural Fair

On October 5, the Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology's English and Culture Study students held their yearly Culture Fair. It is an opportunity for the students to highlight the customs, history, and cuisines of their own countries. Sacred Heart students, employees, and families took part in the fair

that featured international cuisine, live Brazilian music, and a Taekwondo demonstration from the South Korean booth.



Priest Convocation

At the request of Bishop Jeffrey Walsh, Dcn. Steve Kramer gave a week-long Convocation for the Priests of the Diocese of Gaylord, Michigan from September 24-28. The theme was, "The Word of God Leads Us into Eucharistic Adoration". He presented six, one-and-a-half-hour talks during the week. The focus was how the Word of God, so central in priestly life, transitions us into the celebration and adoration of the Eucharist. Approximately 50 priests were in attendance. It was held at The Augustine Center in Conway, Michigan.

Looking Forward

Oct 9-13 Fall Break

Oct 18 Ministry of Acolyte

Oct 23 ECS Fall II Begins

Oct 27 Board of Director's Meetings

Nov 1 All Saints Day: Non-School Day; Employee Holiday

Nov 2 Day of Reflection (All School: Faculty & Staff off-campus)

Nov 15 SHSST Candidacy

Nov 22-24 Thanksgiving Break (Nov 23-24 Employee Holiday)

Dec 6 Sacred Heart Christmas Potluck

Dec 7 Last Day of Classes; ECS Fall II Ends

Dec 8 Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Non-School Day; Employee Holiday

Dec 11-12 Exam Days

Dec 13-Jan 7 Christmas Break

Dec 15 Sacred Heart Christmas Social

Dec 22 Christmas Eve Transferred: Employee Holiday

Jan 1 New Year's Day: Employee Holiday
Jan 2-4 Preaching Conference
Jan 8 All Residential Seminarians Arrive
Jan 8-9 Orientation for New Seminarians
Jan 10-14 SHSST Seminarian Retreat
Jan 15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; Non-School Day; Employee Holiday
Jan 16 Classes Begin; ECS Spring I Session Begins
Jan 17 Prayer for Christian Unity
Feb 14 Day of Reflection (All School)
Mar 1 ECS Spring I Ends
Mar 3-10 Spring Break
Mar 11 ECS Spring II Session Begins
Mar 13 Ministry of Lector
Mar 17 Lux Center Public Lecture
Mar 18 Lux Center Morning Lecture
Mar 19 Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Non-Class Day
Mar 24-Apr 1 Easter Break
Mar 29 Good Friday: Employee Holiday
Apr 3 Easter Lunch
Apr 8 The Annunciation of the Lord; Non-Class Day
Apr 10 Day of Reflection: (All School: (Faculty & Staff off-campus)
Apr 17 Diaconate Promises; Employee-Recognition Dinner
Apr 30 Commencement Rehearsal; Graduate/Admin Dinner
May 3 Last Day of Class; ECS Spring II Ends; Commencement
May 6-7 End of Year Exam Days
May 8 Faculty Council Dinner
May 13 May Session Begins
May 22 Board of Director's Meeting
May 24 End of Year Picnic
Jun 14 May Session Ends
June 8-24 Holy Land Expedition
June 26 ECS Summer I Session Begins



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