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Why do we need a new translation of Mass?

Change is always difficult, but when rituals change our spiritual world can feel unstable. When facing changes, such as the new translation of the Mass English-speaking Catholics will begin using on November 27, understanding reasons behind the change helps us grow in acceptance of what's to come.

One reason the new translation of Mass will sound different is the new method used to translate it. The method, "formal equivalence," is more literal, and there are many reasons it was adopted by the Church in 2001:

1. To increase consistency among non-Latin languages for liturgy. If you have ever celebrated Mass in Spanish, you already know the phrase "and with your Spirit." Spanish speakers have been replying this way to the presider's "The Lord be with you" for generations.

2. For a fuller realization of the Latin content into English. The translation we use now sometimes "waters down" the original Latin text. This simplicity was beneficial when Catholics were first beginning to pray in their own languages after Vatican Council II. Now we're ready to hear more from our original prayer texts.

3. For higher fidelity to Latin in places where English is a source text. Some peoples of the world lack scholars of Latin to translate Mass into their language, so they use English as a source text for translation. A more faithful rendition of the Latin into English will give the world a secondary source text that can be relied upon when Latin is inaccessible.

There are more reasons, and more to learn about this upcoming change. Visit the Campus Ministry website for more information: udayton.edu/ministry. - Emily Strand
Campus Ministry Calendar

April
11 Interfaith Passover Seder
12 Table of Plenty
15 Stations of the Cross
16 SERVICE Saturday
21-25 Easter Break
21,22,23 Triduum
24 Easter Sunday
27 Hungry Hearts

Lenten Prayers for Peace and Justice
Friday Mornings During Lent
Please join Pax Christi every Friday morning at 8:30am during Lent for prayers for peace and justice at 418 Kiefaber Street. All are welcome, faculty and staff included. Questions? Contact Patrick Cashio at patrick.cashio@gmail.com

Interfaith Passover Seder
Monday, April 11, 6pm
All are invited to the Interfaith Passover Seder in the Kennedy Union Ballroom. It will feature a mock Passover Seder plus a full meal, and will be an educational event in order to increase awareness of Jewish traditions on campus. The event is open to the public and tickets are available for $5 at the Kennedy Union Box Office. We are hoping this will be a unique celebration that will turn into a long line of year-round Jewish/interfaith activities on campus! Contact Jacob Rosen at udjrosen@gmail.com with any questions.

What do we do about the Middle East and North Africa?
Tuesday, April 12, Noon
Join the CSC for a home cooked lunch and good conversation regarding the recent turmoil in North Africa and the Middle East. Please RSVP to patrick.cashio@gmail.com or call x92524

"The End of War"
Monday, April 18, 7pm, KU Ballroom
Cliff Kindy, member of Christian Peacemaker Teams, will be speaking on current global conflicts.

Join us for SERVICE
Saturday April 16
Celebrate EARTH Day events in Dayton by joining the Adopt-a-park clean-up effort on April 16 from ___ to ____! We have plenty of room for groups and individuals. Sign up in Liberty Hall 107.

A Walk for Justice and Peace
Good Friday, April 22, noon – 2pm
Come walk the Stations of the Cross connected with contemporary social justice issues. It will begin at Courthouse Square (Third and Main Streets), rain or shine. Join us for all or part of this walk around downtown Dayton.

Co-Ed Wilderness Retreat
April 15-17
Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors-- the Co-Ed Wilderness retreat, a weekend of hiking and camping in Red River Gorge. Space is limited, so register online now! Join us for a spectacular weekend of exploring God in creation! Questions? Contact Jenna at jconnorl@notes.udayton.edu

Campus Ministry Photo Contest
We are looking for photos that characterize your experiences in Campus Ministry at UD - people you have met, lessons you learned, sights you saw, or just cool photos you want to show off. Winning photos will be enlarged and displayed in Liberty Hall through next year and may be used in future Campus Ministry publications. If you win, you will receive the enlarged copy of your photo. Submit a 4x6 print or electronic copy of your photo with your name, phone, and e-mail address, and photo size (e.g. 3 megapixels) to Liberty 101 or email to crystal.sullivan@notes.udayton.edu. Deadline is April 15.

The Stations of the Cross
Fridays in Lent, 3pm
All are welcome to join us in the Chapel of the Immaculate Conception with this active walking of the way of the cross, meditating on Jesus as our Savior.

The New RCIA Group
will be starting in one week ...
If you want to be baptized as a Catholic or be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church, please call Father Jerry 229-2725 for more information. Please be aware that this new group will be aiming at Easter 2012; we do not normally take new inquirers in September when the Academic Year starts.

Death Panel Prayer Vigil
Please join the Center for Social Concern in a prayer vigil to end the death penalty in the state and in the nation at 10am on Tuesday, April 12 in the Immaculate Conception Chapel. The State of Ohio will be executing Clarence Carter on that morning. This will be the third execution in 2011.

Islam Awareness Week
April 12-16
Sponsored by the UD Muslim Student Association (MSA)
All are welcome to the week of events.
Tuesday, April 12, 7-9pm
A Dialogue with Shaikh Yasin, KU Ball Theatre followed by a Q&A session
Wednesday, April 13, 7-9pm
Banquet Dinner with Muslim Cuisine
VWK 141 RSVP required by April 10 to mmemon1@notes.udayton.edu
Thursday, April 14, 6-9pm
Cultural Event, Alumni Hall 016
Friday, April 15, 1-2pm
Congregational Prayer
VWK G11 Open to all students, faculty, staff and public
Saturday, April 16, Noon-4pm
Mosque Visit (lunch and transportation provided)
RSVP required by April 10 to mmemon1@notes.udayton.edu