



STUDENT NEWSLETTER: SEPT 1 2017

Hi all,

Welcome to the September edition of the Westminster College Student Newsletter! This newsletter will be produced weekly and circulated via email. A hard copy will be available in the student common room.

Blog Request

As I mentioned last month, I am currently working on setting up a student blog. Thank-you to those that have already shared something for the blog. I still need some reflections on our summers – now that we are getting closer to term time, please get in touch. 😊

Important Dates

- Friday 1st September – Living Ministry Programme placements begin.
- Wednesday 20th September – Students return from lunchtime.
- Friday 22nd September – College away day - families welcome. It would be great to see as many people there as possible. Clare Priory and surrounding area. This will be a relaxed day, with the chance to retreat or simply enjoy and explore a peaceful, rural town. Lunch will be provided.
- Monday 25th September – Morning prayers and official induction activities start.
- Friday 29th September – 6pm – Community Agape Dinner – all welcome.
- Thursday 5th October – CTF Teaching Begins.
- Tuesday 10th October (and then fortnightly) – Federation Worship.
- Wednesday 18th October – 6pm – New Senatus Inductions.
- Saturday 11th November – Open Day. All welcome. More coming soon on how to get involved.

In between induction events listed, there will be a number of CTF, Common Award and DivFac events and classes that some students will need to attend. Details tbc. In the 'spare' afternoons (for those who have them!) we will be encouraged to help sort out the common room, prepare a book sale, decorate the chapel and much more!

Responses to Feedback

Thankyou to those who have fed back to me on our newsletters. Re Finance: Fiona has apologised that we got our remittance advice before our grant breakdown letters! It was a system error! Please let me know if you don't have either of these yet!

Prayer Requests

Please let me know if you would like any prayer requests to be included in my next newsletter, which will be circulated next Friday.

This month, please pray for Robert Pope, who takes up his post today, and for Sam as she returns from her sabbatical. Please also pray for LMP students and their supervisors as they begin this weekend. Let's also remember all those who are arriving at – or returning to – Westminster over the coming weeks. We also give thanks for the marriage of Stephen and Tolu and remember Luca, our wonderful chef, who will celebrate his marriage at Westminster tomorrow.

Guest Message

If you would like to write a guest message for one of the 4 student newsletters going out in September, please get in touch. It could be a topical reflection, news, prayer, poetry or art. Let me know your ideas and I will do my best to get them in here.

In the meantime, you might want to check out Peter's blog post here:

<http://www.westminster.cam.ac.uk/church/westminster-college-cambridge-walking-the-way-into-the-future>