...bring me to Your

tiny hill...

Psalm 43:3

Hellenic College Holy Cross New Student Orientation | JANUARY 21-22, 2016

Hellenic College Holy Cross

ORIENTATION SCHEDULE
Welcome, new students! On behalf of the community, I congratulate you on your decision to attend HCHC. I am excited that you have made the choice to call Hellenic College Holy Cross your home away from home for the 2015-2016 academic year and beyond. HCHC is committed not only to high academic standards but to your intellectual, moral, and spiritual formation. As such, you should expect the start of this academic year to be full of opportunities and challenges which will contribute to your growth as a member of our Orthodox Christian community.

New Student Orientation is scheduled for January 21-22, 2016, and is mandatory for all new students so that you can have the best possible transition into the joyful, vibrant life at HCHC. When you arrive on campus, you will begin your academic and co-curricular journey as members of a community seeking your formation and development into a service-oriented leader.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 617-850-1297 or to email me at nbelcher@hchc.edu.

Again, welcome to HCHC. I look forward to greeting you on January 21st!

Love in Christ,

Rev. Nicholas Belcher
Dean of Students
Thursday, January 21, 2016

**MOVE IN/REGISTRATION** | Polemanakos Dormitory
10:00am
Welcome to Hellenic College Holy Cross! Orientation staff will be on hand to assist students with moving in to their dorm rooms.

**LUNCH** | Condakes Refectory
12:00pm-2:00pm
Lunch will be provided for all incoming students, parents, families, and orientation staff.

**PRESIDENTIAL WELCOME** | Dowd Hall
2:00pm
Incoming students, parents, and families will meet with HCHC president, Fr. Christopher Metropulos, and the deans of Hellenic College Holy Cross.

**SMALL GROUPS** | Polemanakos Dormitory
3:00pm-4:15pm
New students will be split into small groups for staff-led ice breakers and a campus tour.

**PARENT ORIENTATION** | Dowd Hall
3:00pm-4:15pm
Parents of new students will meet with key members of the student affairs staff to learn about HCHC’s faculty, programs, and expectations. A Q&A session will follow.

**PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION** | Dowd Hall
4:15pm
New students, parents, and families will have an opportunity to mingle with HCHC faculty, orientation staff, and other incoming students. Refreshments will be served.

**VESPERS** | Holy Cross Chapel
5:00pm
Students and parents are invited to join the entire HCHC community for Vespers in the Holy Cross Chapel.

**DINNER** | Condakes Refectory
5:45pm
Dinner will be provided for all incoming students and orientation staff.

**ORIENTATION SESSION I** | Dowd Hall
7:00pm
Led by Fr. Nicholas Belcher, Dean of Students, this session will introduce new students to student leaders of campus organizations, including the Campus Activities Board, Student Government Association, and Married Student Association.

**MOCKTAIL MINGLE** | JC Room, Dormitory
9:00pm
A social event for all new students sponsored by the Campus Activities Board.
Friday, January 22, 2016

ORTHROS | Holy Cross Chapel
8:00am
Join the HCHC community in the Holy Cross Chapel.

DEANS’ WELCOME BREAKFAST | Dowd Hall
8:45am
Breakfast with the HCHC deans. Students will meet Dr. Demetrios Katos, Dean of Hellenic College, Dr. James Skedros, Dean of Holy Cross, and members of the faculty.

FACULTY ADVISEMENT | Faculty Office/Dowd Hall
10:00am
Student meetings with academic advisers.

LUNCH | Condakes Refectory
12:00pm
Lunch will be provided for all students and orientation staff.

REGISTRATION/ADVISEMENT | Registrar’s Office
11:00am-1:00pm
Students will meet with the Registrar to register for classes for the Spring semester.

PLACEMENT TESTING | Faculty Office/Computer Lab
3:00pm-5:00pm
A math exam will be offered for students who have received notification that an exam is required.

PARACLESIS | Holy Cross Chapel
5:00pm
Join the HCHC community in the Holy Cross Chapel.

DINNER | Condakes Refectory
5:45pm
Dinner will be provided for all students and orientation staff.

SHOPPING TRIP | Target
7:00pm
The HCHC vans will transport students and orientation staff to Target in Watertown for a supply run.