Friday, April 8, 2016

Check in -

Hotel Accommodations



A block of rooms has been reserved at **The DuPont Circle Hotel**, 1500 New Hampshire Ave, NW, at a group rate of \$259. **Reservations must be made on or before the cut-off date of March 7, 2016** in order to be eligible for the group rate. To reserve, call at (202) 483-6000 and refer to the "Merton College Room Block." The Dupont will be the headquarters for the weekend.

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Washington National Cathedral Evensong Featuring the Merton Choir



The Merton Choir will sing Evensong at the Washington National Cathedral, 3101 Wisconsin Ave, NW. The program will include music written especially for the Merton Choirbook. Bus transportation to the Cathedral will be provided. Please meet the bus at the front entrance of the Dupont Circle Hotel no later than 4:45 pm.

DINNER OPTIONS:

6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Drinks and Dinner - Cactus Cantina



Meet your bus outside of the Cathedral at 6:30 pm for transport to the *Cactus Cantina*, 3300 Wisconsin Ave NW, for a casual evening with Mertonians of Tex-Mex and other offerings. MC3 will be your host in the *Garden Room*.

6:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Reception and Dinner – Library of Congress



Oxford University invites you to attend a Reception and Dinner at the Library of Congress in the Thomas Jefferson Building, 10 First St SE to welcome Professor Louise Richardson as Vice Chancellor. (Preregistration and payment of \$125 per person required.) Meet your bus outside of the Cathedral at 6:30 pm. Business attire requested.

Saturday, April 9, 2016

9:30 am – 12 Noon



Annual Meeting of the Board and Members: Merton College Charitable Corporation (interested guests are welcome) Continental breakfast served at 9:00 am in the Georgetown Room on the second floor of the Dupont Hotel. Meeting begins at 9:30 am.

12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

George Washington's Mount Vernon



Mertonians are invited to a private guided tour of Mount Vernon, one of the nation's most beloved historic sites. Mount Vernon offers a glimpse into 18th century plantation life through beautiful gardens and grounds, and intriguing museum exhibits honoring George Washington's life and legacy. A box lunch will be provided. The bus will leave the front of the Dupont Hotel at 12:30 pm and return to the hotel by 4:30 pm.

6:30 pm for 7:30 pm

Cocktail Reception and Dinner – The Cosmos Club



Mertonians will gather at *The Cosmos Club*, 2121 Massachusetts Ave. NW for their traditional Reunion Dinner. The Cosmos Club, founded in 1878, is a private social club for men and women distinguished in science, literature and the arts or public service. The Reception will be held in the *Members Dining Room* and dinner will be in the *Crentz Room*. Jackets and ties are required for gentlemen (business attire).

Sunday, April 10, 2016

11:00 am - 2:00 pm



Sunday Brunch -

Mertonians and their guests are invited to attend a Sunday Brunch at the home of Marla and Nick Allard, 3211 "R" St., NW. Casual attire.