



ORDO SUPREMUS MILITARIS TEMPLI HIEROSOLYMITANI

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Grootprioraat Terra sub Mare

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I have the pleasure of informing you that this year's international meeting of the OSMTH will be held from Friday September 2nd till Sunday September 4th 2011. The place of gathering will be the city of 's-Hertogenbosch in the south of the Netherlands.

This letter provides you with some preliminary information. The official invitation and registration forms will follow around mid May. This letter serves to inform so you can make your travel arrangements and hotel booking.

Preliminary Program

Friday September 2nd

Till 17.00 pm Arrival and registration of participants
Evening Reception at the Town Hall, Vigil, dinner

Saturday September 3rd

Morning Meeting (only for (Grand)Priors), tourist trip
Midday Mass with investiture, 'Sint Jan' Cathedral, 's-Hertogenbosch
Evening Gala dinner at 'Kasteel Maurick'

Sunday September 4th

Day Individual visit to the Old Town of 's-Hertogenbosch
Departure of participants

Travel

By Air

You can fly into Amsterdam Airport ("Schiphol"), take the direct Intercity train (twice per hour) from the terminal building to 's-Hertogenbosch (about 1 hour). From the railway station in 's-Hertogenbosch take a taxi to the hotel (fixed fee € 7,50).

Some budget airlines fly into Eindhoven Airport. From the terminal building take public transport (bus) to the Railway station of Eindhoven. From there take the Intercity train to 's-Hertogenbosch (about 15 minutes).

By Car

's-Hertogenbosch is located at the crossroad of the Dutch Highways A-2 and A-59. Hotel Vught is located along the A-2 south of 's-Hertogenbosch.

By Train

The 's-Hertogenbosch railway station, a major station in the Dutch rail road network, is nearby the hotel. From the station, take a taxi (flat fee of € 7,50) to the hotel.

Hotel accommodation

The 'Van der Valk Hotel 's-Hertogenbosch-Vught' is the centre of this gathering. Enclosed is a registration form in English to book your hotel room(s). Several rooms are blocked at a special rate for Templers. Reservations and payment should be made directly to the hotel and separate from your registration for the gathering (later).

Internet

Some interesting sites to have a look at:

- About the city of 's-Hertogenbosch: www.s-hertogenbosch.nl
- About the tourist attractions in 's-Hertogenbosch: www.vvvdenbosch.nl
- About the 'Sint-Jan' Cathedral:
[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St. John%27s_Cathedral,_%27s-Hertogenbosch](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St._John%27s_Cathedral,_%27s-Hertogenbosch)
- About the hotel: www.valk.com/vught
- About the Gala dinner location: www.maurick.nl

All knights and Dames of the Grand Priory Terra sub Mare are looking forward to meeting you coming September in 's-Hertogenbosch.

Fraternal regards,
OSMTH – Grand Priory Terra sub Mare

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