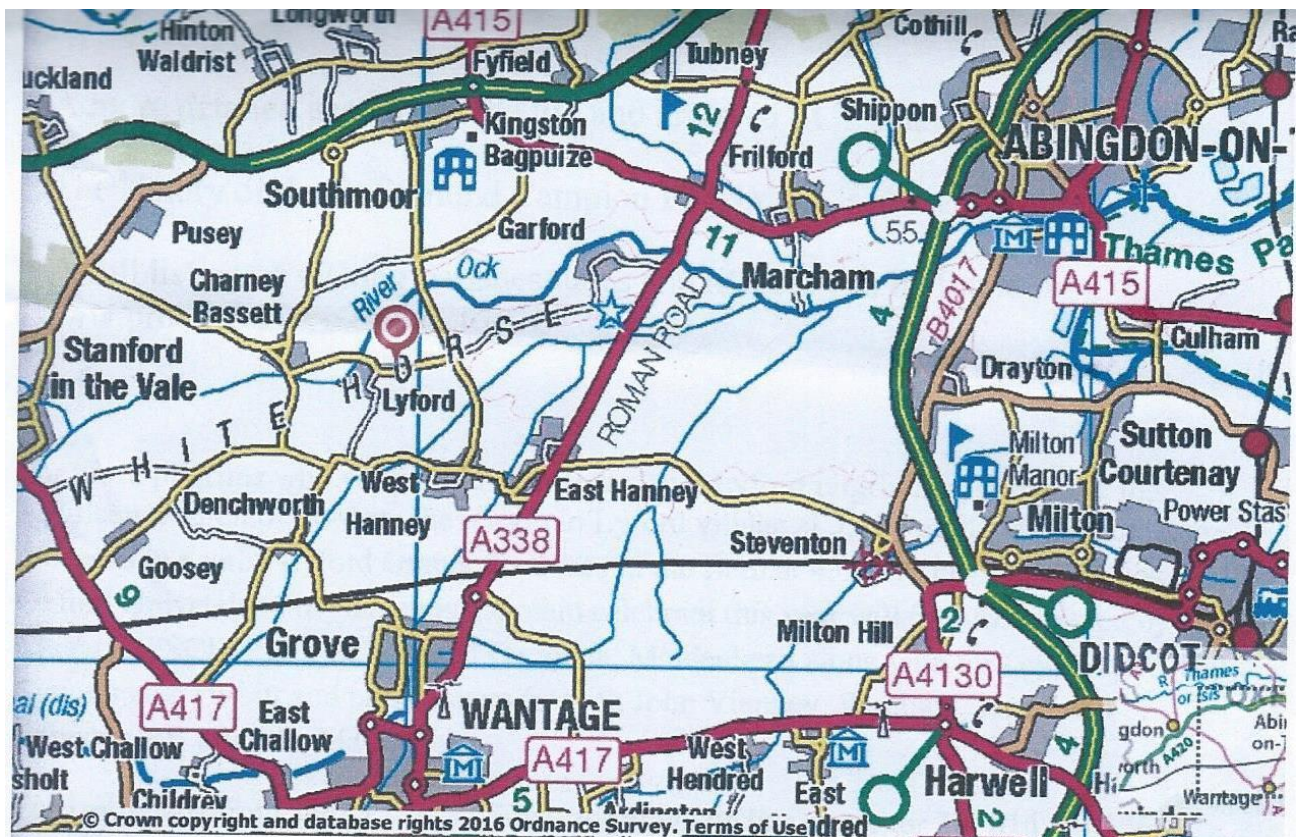


## LYFORD GRANGE MASS 2017

For this year's Mass, Fr Dushon Croos, SJ, Oxford University Chaplain, is the main celebrant for the St Edmund Campion Pilgrimage Mass to be held at Lyford Grange, near Wantage on Sunday 2nd July 2017 at 4.00pm. It was at the Grange that the Jesuit priest Edmund Campion was captured before being transported through the Thames Valley to London and put on trial. Campion was subsequently hanged, drawn and quartered with Alexander Briant and Ralph Sherwin on 1st December 1581. All three were canonised by Pope Paul VI in 1970 being included within the Forty Martyrs of England & Wales.



The Lyford Grange Pilgrimage Mass is part of a sequence of daily Masses that nearly mirrors the route that Campion followed on his way to London. It includes Stonor (where Campion hid his printing press), Abingdon, Henley High Wycombe, Maidenhead, Reading Windsor, Staines (and this year's additions Oxford and Farnborough) and finishes at Tyburn Covent on Sunday 23rd July. Mass is celebrated at over 50 locations.

The following photo's show recent pilgrimages at Lyford and the five celebrants of the 2016 Mass comprising Bishop Philip Egan, Canon Peter Turbitt, Fr Dushon Croos, Mgr Andrew Burnham and Fr Jose Clavera.



A more detailed account of the life and [Arrest of Edmund Campion and The history of the Edmund Campion Pilgrimage<Click>](#) together with [A full list of visiting parishes/dates and Masses <Click>](#). Can also be found on [www.province30.co.uk](http://www.province30.co.uk) <click>

For those pilgrims who would like to join the Lyford pilgrimage, it starts at the anglican church of St Mary the Virgin in Lyford village at 3.30pm, the procession then proceeds to nearby Lyford Grange for Mass in the Barn at 4.00pm. Fr Dushon Croos SJ, from Oxford University Chaplaincy is the main celebrant this year will be accompanied by Fr Jose Claveria FSCB, PP of St Edmund Campion Maidenhead along with Fr Kevin Jones and Canon Peter Turbitt and parishioners from St John Vianney, Wantage. There will be refreshments after Mass. Further details from John Lynn on Email [johnlynn@live.co.uk](mailto:johnlynn@live.co.uk) or Tel 01628 636668