Latin Mass Community Excursion in London, on Saturday 28th May 2011:

On the occasion of the First Solemn High Mass of our newly ordained English priest Fr Matthew McCarthy, FSSP (3rd from right below at his diaconal ordination last year). It is very important to show support, especially as there are so few priests ordained in England, let alone in the EF form. About 10 FSSP clergy will attend.

Schedule:

9am: Departure from St William of York, Reading, in hired coach

10.15am: Arrival at St James' Church ('Spanish Place', 22 George Street, London W1U 3QY)

10.30am: optional art tour at the Wallace Collection by Fr de Malleray (conveniently located across the street from St James' Church) – or free time

12noon: prayer at the Tyburn Tree near Marble Arch (12mn walk from St James' Church) and visit of the Martyrs' Crypt in nearby Tyburn Convent

12.30pm: community picnic lunch in Hyde Park (please bring packed lunch) and free time

2.30pm: Confessions at St James Church

3pm: Beginning of newly ordained English FSSP priest Rev Fr Matthew McCarthy's First Solemn High Mass

4.30pm: First Blessings and Refreshments in Basement

6pm: Departure

7pm: Arrival at St William of York, Reading

(Picture: Deacon McCarthy sings the Epistle at Downside Abbey last August during the LMS training session for clergy.)

Cost: £7.90 per person for return journey (booked bus fits 57: empty seats = money wasted. Please come on board and ***give what you can***)

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