A Synaxis of Latin Saints **(Plain Reading)**

December 14th

On December 14th, we commemorate Saint Hybald of Lincolnshire. Saint Hybald was an abbot in Lincolnshire in England. He is remembered as being a virtous leader of Hibaldstow and his relics still survive in Lincolnshire today.

Verses

On this day we commemorate Saint Venantius Fortunatus. Born near Treviso in the north of Italy, aged thirty he settled in Poiters in France and was ordained. He became known to Queen St Radegunde who befriended him. He was a writer and poet: the hymns Vexilla Regis and Pange Lingua Gloriosa were composed by him. He became Bishop of Poitiers at the end of the sixth century.

By the intercessions of Thy Saints, O Christ God, have mercy upon us. Amen.