

DIOCESAN NOTICES – 19TH SEPTEMBER 2021

INFORMATION EVENT ON THE PERMANENT DIACONATE – BY ZOOM: Wednesday 20th October at 8pm. An event for those who feel you might have a calling to the Permanent Diaconate or just want to know more about this ministry. For further information and log-in details contact: [david.arblaster@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: david.arblaster@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) "target="blank">david.arblaster@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

INTRODUCTORY COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION: exploring the relationship between Catholic faith and reason. Tuesday evenings from 21st September – 19th October at Hinsley Hall. Please contact [gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

FAITH IN ACTION AWARDS INFORMATION MEETING: Meetings for all Faith In Action Award Leaders and those interested in running the Awards Scheme in your Parish or School will be held at Hinsley Hall on Tuesday 28th September and Wednesday 6th October, 2-4pm or 7-9pm on each day. Please book your free place at [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

REVELATION: The Youth Service's monthly event for young people in Years 8-13 is back! An evening of prayer, music, games and fellowship focusing on the theme of 'Creation.' Thursday 7th October, Hinsley Hall, 5:30-7:30pm. For further information, email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

ST WILFRID'S WAY 2021: First aiders needed on the annual diocesan walking 'camino' between Leeds Cathedral & Ripon. Friday 8 & Saturday 9 October. Please can all pilgrims planning to join either day of the walk or any of the pilgrims' masses & devotions at historic sites along the way, email [office@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: office@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to register an interest.

LEEDS DIOCESAN MISSION MASS: Saturday 25th September 2021 at 12.45pm St Joseph's, Batley Carr. Guest Speaker Fr Emmanuel Mbeh MHM.

NAZARETH - A FAMILY FRIENDLY MASS COMMUNITY: Are you a Catholic family with young children who would like to meet others in your situation for worship? Come to the launch of the Family-friendly Mass Community at St Patrick's church Elland, on Sunday October 3rd at 1.30pm. Further details from Katie McNamara-Hall 07712 127036.

BRIERY ONLINE ZOOM MEDITATIONS on Thursday from 7.30pm to 8.15pm. We open at 7.15pm for a chat and start promptly at 7.30pm. It is a simple format of praying with the Sunday Mass Readings and sharing in small groups. Zoom link Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82009483498?pwd=OUMraDBqUy9YRmxseHdVekpyWlVlVQ09>
Meeting ID: 820 0948 3498 Passcode: 421659

MINDFULNESS IN THE CHRISTIAN TRADITION, Tuesday, 28th September 2021, 10am – 3.30pm. An invitation to experience some Mindfulness practices. Led by Angela Rogerson, this retreat is suitable for those new to mindfulness and experience practitioners. The suggested offering is £35 per person inclusive of lunch and tea/coffee. For further information please contact The Briery at [briery@btconnect.com](mailto: briery@btconnect.com) or telephone 01943 607287

ONLINE WEEKS OF GUIDED PRAYER: Monday 27th September to Friday 8th October, 2021. 2 weeks. First week: online meetings from 7.30pm to 8.30pm covering introductions and different ways of praying. Second week: commitment to daily prayer time and individual online meeting with prayer guide (about 30 mins each.) Suggested Offering £50. Further information: www.briery.org.uk, 01943 607287 or [briery@btconnect.com](mailto: briery@btconnect.com).

WAYS OF PRAYING – Although this is part of Online Week of Guided Prayer these online zoom sessions are available to everyone. Tuesday 28th September – Lectio Divina, Wednesday 29th September – Examen, Thursday 30th September – Imaginative Contemplation and Thursday 7th October – Praying with Art. There is no need to book for these sessions just come along and join us. The zoom link is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82009483498?pwd=OUMraDBqUy9YRmxseHdVekpyWlVlVQ09>
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BRIERY QUIZ NIGHT – Wednesday, 6th October at 7pm. Come along to The Briery to enjoy a fun evening! Tickets are £5 per adult and £2.50 per child and include either a small beer, wine or soft drink. Phone 01943 607287 for your ticket or email [briery@btconnect.com](mailto: briery@btconnect.com)

THE JUSTICE & PEACE COMMISSION are sponsoring a limited number of people to participate in an online 8 week course (over 9 weeks) exploring racism in the context of Christian communities in the UK. Running from end of September to end of November, Thursday evenings. Email [jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto: jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) for more details and to be considered for sponsorship to attend.

NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM: will take place on Saturday 23rd October 2021. To book your place on the coach with Leeds People for Life or for further details, please contact Kate on 07505 767415.