RETREATS, PILGRIMAGES AND EVENTS

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SCLERDER RETREAT HOUSE (Chemin Neuf)

Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group run silent and individually guided retreats at Sclerder Abbey near Looe in Cornwall, a retreat house with large garden and pleasant rural walks nearby. The retreat house with its large garden and pleasant rural walks nearby is situated near Looe in Cornwall. It was once a Carmelite Monastery. It offers simple accommodation, but is not suitable for those with mobility issues.

SILENT RETREATS in the Ignatian tradition are open to Christians of any denomination who would like to step back from everyday life and review their journey in faith. The Retreat offers each person the opportunity for space, SILENCE and prayer. Each retreatant will meet a Spiritual Companion daily who will help them to pray using scripture and their own experience of life. Together they will try to discern what God is saying at this time. The retreat will be made in SILENCE to help you to pray and to leave other retreatants equal opportunity for reflection.

Online Guided Retreats 3, 5 or 6 Days of Accompanied Prayer in daily life are also available. For further information, to check availability or to book email: <u>diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk</u>. Tel Wendy on: 01752 769164 or 07823447637

St Rita's Centre Honiton, East Devon. Silent, Individually-guided Advent Retreats:

Venue: St Rita's Centre Honiton, East Devon. A well-appointed retreat house with comfortable ensuite accommodation situated in the Vale of Honiton. Cost includes full board & lodging. Some of the cost could be offset for individuals who would like to go on a retreat but may have difficulties with the suggested donation. Please contact Plymouth Diocesan Ignation Spirituality Group at: <u>diocesan-ignation-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk</u> or phone 01752 769164 or 07823 447637 for further information or booking form.

Walsingham Pilgrimage: 20th-23rd May 2024 organised by Our Lady of Lourdes & St Cecilia, Blandford Forum—includes half-board accommodation, travel by coach. Cost: £330. Please book by 17th November 2023. Booking forms available. Please phone Marie on 01258 458845 for details.

WELCOME TO GATHER Conference 2024

The annual GATHER Conference unites people from across the Diocese of Plymouth and further afield for a weekend of faith, formation and friendship. This year, once again, we will gather at the Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay, TQ2 6RQ from Friday 23 February – Sunday 25 February

BOOKING Single occupancy residential rate £180. Shared occupancy £165. Price includes 2 nights bed and break-fast, lunch and evening meal on Saturday, tea and coffee. Price does not include supper on Friday. Non-residential rate £55 includes full conference attendance, tea and coffee and lunch on Saturday. Price including dinner £95. Sunday lunch may be booked and paid for in advance or upon arrival at the hotel. Online booking is preferred. Use the QR code on the back of the flyer or complete a booking form and email it to the plymouthgather@yahoo.com or send the form back to the hotel (address on booking forms). Flyers & Booking forms available at the back of each Church.

LENT RETREAT DAY ON THE SATURDAY 2nd MARCH 2024 AT ST RITA'S CENTRE

"A CAMPAIGN OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE..." led by Fr. Jacek Kostuch.

The day will begin with coffee/tea on arrival at 9.30am. First Talk will start at 10am, second talk will be at 11am.

Exposition and Adoration of the holy Sacrament in silence will be at 12pm. Lunch will be served at 1.00pm, Mass at 2.45pm and there will be an opportunity for Confession. Charge for the day, including lunch (3 course meal), is just £25.00. Booking can be made by phone, email or online (www.stritascentre.org/events)

If you have any questions, please contact Krista Radzina on 01404 42635