Wisdom Centre

A Ministry of the Daughters of Wisdom

We create space for people. . . space to meet, space to reflect, space to talk, space simply to be. At the heart of this is hospitality rooted in the tradition and spirit of the Daughters of Wisdom. Our flame logo gives expression to these roots: the warmth of hospitality, the light of the Spirit, the spiral path to Wisdom.

For more information:

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Wisdom Centre is a Ministry of the Daughters of Wisdom, an international Congregation of Religious Women. We offer the Centre at Wisdom House to people of all faiths and none as a sanctuary of peace and tranquillity.

Wisdom Centre is Coved-Secure. We rigorously follow Covid-Safe cleaning procedures.



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Hildegard of Bingen

Mystic, Medic and Musician



Saturday 16th September 2023

10am—4pm
Tea and Coffee available from 9.30am
Suggested Offering—£33 to include refreshments, lunch and afternoon tea
(Zoom alternative on 14th Oct – see inside)







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Hildegard of Bingen
mystic, medic and musician

An outstanding figure within the medieval Church, Hildegard, a Benedictine Abbess and Doctor of the Church was an extraordinary twelfth century woman, far head of her time; who has inspiring words, songs, and images to share with us today. Come and be inspired by her poetry, her art and her music, listen to the harp and create images inspired by her visions.

At a time when women were marginalized, Hildegard was a controversial visionary whose counsel was sought by kings, popes and bishops. A prophetess, writer, composer, philosopher, Christian mystic, Benedictine abbess, medic, artist, environmental ecologist and scientist. Hildegard was a polymath in her day. One of Hildegard's most famous quotes reads: "Then it pleased the king to raise a small feather from the ground, and he commanded it to fly. The feather flew, not because of anything in itself but because the air bore it along. Thus am I, a feather on the breath of God."

Programme: (times may alter)	
9.30-10.00	Arrivals and coffee.
10.00-10.45	1st Session
11.15-11.30	Coffee
11.30-12.30	2nd Session
12.30-1.30	Lunch
1.30-3.30	3rd Session
3.30-4.00	Tea and sharing the day's experiences

Facilitator: Revd. Canon Sue Wallace facilitates church worship and creativity. A former "Canon responsible for worship"at Winchester Cathedral, Sue listened to and prayed the psalms on a daily basis. Now based in Truro, Sue is also a published author, her most recent work is the Rhythmic Psalter, here, all 150 psalms are set to strong poetic rhythms.

Wisdom Centre is set in beautiful gardens, including a Labyrinth, which you will be able to enjoy during your day.

The emphasis at the Centre is on welcome and hospitality. The building itself is spacious, warm and comfortable with an airy Conference/ Meeting Room, Quiet Room, Sitting Room and a Creative Room. Each room offers something to help you relax and make the most of your time with us.

Wisdom Centre is entirely non-profit making. **Our suggested offering of £33 includes materials, refreshments and lunch.***

*Please advise us of any **special dietary requirements** which we will do our best to accommodate. Those with severe allergies please be advised that our food is prepared in an environment where nuts and other common allergens are present.

*Note we require 7 days' notice of cancellation and refund (Covid-19 related cancellations are an exception)





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Name .....

Address .....

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Telephone .....

E-mail .....

I would like to attend — Wisdom Centre Sat 16th September 2023 ☐

Lunch is vegetarian, **X** box for Gluten Free ☐ Dairy Free/Vegan ☐ Other ☐

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Our dining room is Covid safe with table service

Yes ☐ I am happy to be contacted by phone/ email about this and similar events at Wisdom Centre.

Have you been to Wisdom Centre before?

Yes ☐ No ☐

Please call to pay by credit/ debit card. BACs payment on request. Alternatively please enclose a cheque, payable to Wisdom Centre for £33 – Please leave an answerphone message if we are unable to answer.

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