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.

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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.



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Mystical Paths: Teresa of Avila, Rumi and Thomas Merton



Saturday October 19th, 2024

10am—4pm
Tea and Coffee available from 9.30am
Suggested Offering—£35 to include refreshments, lunch and afternoon tea







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My dear Friends, I hope you will be able to join me in this short exploration of our souls' Divine Romance with God.

This 'unfolding' will be explored in the light of the mystical experiences, and writings, of Teresa of Avila (and companions) and Mevlana Rumi. Eastern and Western mysticism may use different spiritual language, but as Merton so poignantly demonstrates, they vibrate with the same passionate experience of God. We shall also explore the ways in which Western and Eastern music resonate these transports of love.

As St Teresa of Avila says: Christ has no body now on earth but yours."

I think Rumi sums it up very well: Love is the house of God and you are living in that house."

Programme: (times may alter) During this facilitated session there will be time for personal reflection, sharing and activities.	
9.30-10.00	Arrivals and coffee.
10.00-11.15	1st Session
11.15-11.30	Coffee
11.30-12.30	2nd Session
12.30-1.30	Lunch
1.30-3.15	3rd Session
3.15-4.00	Tea and sharing the day's experiences

Facilitator: Fr. Antony Gatt Draws on the richness of the Christian mystical tradition, while incorporating a wealth of spiritual insights from other traditions. Fr. Antony holds a Ph.D. from Fordham University (Psychology and Counselling). Additionally, he is a qualified neuro-linguistic practitioner and Reiki Master.

Wisdom Centre is set in beautiful gardens, including a Labyrinth bordering by the River Test. We are just across the road from Romsey Abbey and a short walk to the town and Memorial Park.

The emphasis at the Centre is on welcome and hospitality. The building itself is spacious, and comfortable with an airy Conference Room, Quiet Room, Sitting Room and a Creative Room. Each room has a distinct ambience of quiet, relaxation, prayer, hospitality, creativity and learning.

Wisdom Centre is entirely non-profit making. **Our suggested offering of £35 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. We are happy to transfer your payment to a future event.





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Name .....

Address .....

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Telephone .....

E-mail .....

I would like to attend - Sat 19th October 2024

Lunch is vegetarian, **X** box for Gluten Free ☐ Dairy Free/Vegan ☐ Diabetic (low sugar) ☐ Other ☐

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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 the Congregation of the Daughters of Wisdom for £35 – Please leave an answerphone message if we are unable to answer.

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