# **BOOKING FORM**

PROMO CODE: FOP2022

Please also complete workshop choices overleaf

Please book online if possible at brfonline.org.uk/products/ the-festival-of-prayer-2022

Bring four friends and get the fifth place FREE.

I would like to book for the Festival of Prayer on 9 July 2022.

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# **BOOKING NOTES**

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- You will have the opportunity to attend up to three workshops during the day. Some will be repeated to give you more opportunity to attend those of particular interest. Please put a preference number for ALL of the workshops you would like to attend from the list overleaf. As workshops fill up, we will allocate your next preference.
- We are unable to guarantee that you will get all your preferences, but we will do our best.
- Time has been allocated between the workshops for you to take part in the other activities.
- Bookings cancelled four weeks or less prior to an event cannot be refunded. See our full cancellation policy online at brfonline. org.uk/pages/cancellation-policy
- Further information, including a map, will be sent out approximately two weeks before the event.
- As a charity, BRF tries to keep its costs to a minimum, so please book online if possible.

Further information, or if you have any further booking enquiries, go to brfonline.org.uk/products/the-festival-of-prayer-2022, email events@brf.org.uk or contact:

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For any enquiries other than booking, please call Ripon College on 01865 874404.





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The 10<sup>th</sup>
FESTIVAL of PRAYER 2022 Saturday 9 July 10.00 am - 4.35 pm Ripon College Cuddesdon **Near Wheatley CUDDESDON** Oxford **OX44 9EX** 

HE FESTIVAL OF PRAYER, now in its tenth year, aims to enhance your spiritual life by offering different approaches to Christian spirituality in a day-long conference. After a two-year absence, the Festival of Prayer returns to the delightful setting of Ripon College in the picturesque Oxfordshire village of Cuddesdon. The festival is an opportunity to invest in your relationship with God, in the company of inspiring, thoughtful and experienced speakers.

- The theme running through the conference this year is 'Prayer and Personality'. Prayer takes us to the heart of God into a soul relationship with our creator. Understanding our personality is fundamental to recognising how we develop a life of prayer. If we know ourselves better, our prayer life can be enriched.
- In the keynote address, Gemma Simmonds will talk on the topic of 'Who do you say I am: Prayer and Personality', drawing on her experience and practice of Ignatian spirituality. There will also be a number of different workshops to choose from.
- There will be the opportunity to attend up to three workshops across two venues at Cuddesdon: Ripon College and the parish church, all within walking distance a few hundred yards apart. You could keep a session free during the day for personal space:
  - praying
  - informal introduction to spiritual direction
  - walking the prayer labyrinth in the garden
  - wandering the grounds of the college and village
  - visiting the bookstall.
- You will need to provide your own lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided.
- Cost: £35 for the day per person. Bring four friends and get the fifth place FREE. The parish church and the Harriet Monsell Centre have amplification and a loop system for those with hearing difficulties (HL on Workshops page).

We look forward to welcoming you to the Festival of Prayer.

## **WORKSHOPS**

Key: \* Venue accessible by a few steps

\*\* Only accessible by stairs

**HL** refers to a room that has a hearing loop system

### WELCOME AND KEYNOTE ADDRESS

10.00 - 10.50 am

GEMMA SIMMONDS Who do you say I am: Prayer and Personality

#### 11.15 am - 12.15 pm WORKSHOP 1 1. Mystical prayer: the way of the heart Emma Pennington 2. Praying with Thomas Merton (HL) Tony Phelan

3. Jesus: man of praver Ann Persson 4. Wild women of prayer Clare Hayns 5. Praying with colour Jan Palmer

**6.** Prayer with percussion (**HL**) Richard Dormandy 7. The spirituality of being yourself \* Guy Elsmore

8. 'Who do you think you are?' Sub-personalities and prayer \*\* Jo Gallant

9. Free session for personal space

LUNCH 12.15 - 1.30 pm WORKSHOP 2 1.30 - 2.30 pm

10. Celtic prayer: expressions of love David Cole

11. Finding God in all things (HL) Gemma Simmonds **12.** Exploring Forest Church Paul Cudby

13. Prayer and memory: a multisensory Debbie Ducille experience

14. Journalling Jan Palmer 15. Prayer with percussion (HL) Richard Dormandy

16. Praying with Thomas Merton \* Tony Phelan

17. Free session for personal space

WORKSHOP 3 3.00 – 4.00 pm

**18.** The art of peace: embodying contemplative prayer David Cole 19. Wild women of prayer (HL) Clare Havns

20. Sitting at the feet of Jesus the teacher Ann Persson

21. The spirituality of being yourself Guy Elsmore

22. 'Who do you think you are?' Sub-personalities and prayer Jo Gallant

23. Prayer and memory: a multisensory experience \*

Debbie Ducille **24.** Experiencing Forest Church Paul Cudby

25. Free session for personal space

FINAL SESSION IN EDWARD KING CHAPEL

4.15 – 4.35 pm

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Please book online at brfonline.org.uk/products/the-festivalof-prayer-2022 for the latest availability of workshop spaces. If you are unable to book online, please ensure that you enter at least three preferred workshop options in each session.

1 = 1st preference 2 = 2nd preference 3 = 3rd preference, etc. If you do not provide three options and your preferred workshop is full, we will allocate a workshop for you.

Participant 1 2 3 4 5
1. Mystical prayer: the way of the heart 3
2. Praying with Thomas Merton
3. Jesus: man of prayer 2
4. Wild women of prayer
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6. Prayer with percussion
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Dr Gemma Simmonds CJ is a sister of the Congregation of Jesus, director of the Religious Life Institute and senior lecturer in pastoral theology at the Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology, Cambridge.