

Summer Stillness: A ladies creative retreat



Following the successful advent retreat before Christmas last year, we are planning a second creative retreat for ladies at the beginning of the summer holidays. It will be a time of creativity, space and stillness.

Date: 14th July from 9.30 am – 4.00 pm

Venue: St Denys Church, Sleaford

Programme:

9.30 am Coffee

10.00 am Welcome and introduction to the day

10.30 am – 1.30 pm Art workshop: In quietness and confidence shall be your strength. *Inspired by the work of John Piper and the art and architecture of St Denys Church this workshop will use a variety of techniques and media to reflect on stillness, light and reflection. The use of different layers to build on earlier ones will also encourage us to consider and reflect on the different seasons of life.*

1.30 pm Lunch – a light lunch will be provided

2.15– 3.45 pm Craft workshop: Planting the heavens. *'I have put my words in your mouth and covered you in the shadow of my hand.'* Inspired by the words of Isaiah 51: 15-16 this workshop will work with wool, threads, buttons and beads to create a piece of work in an embroidery frame as we consider our true identity as Daughters of the King.

3.45pm Closing reflections and prayer

Workshops: There will be two workshops. Both are designed for those with lots of experience and those with none. There will also be spaces for prayer and reflection in the church throughout the day. All equipment will be provided.

Booking: The cost for the day is £15.

Any profits will be shared with Tear Fund and Embrace the Middle East.

Numbers of places are limited so do book early to avoid disappointment.



Booking form

Name

Contact email Contact Phone Number.....

Dietary requirements:

Please take or post this booking form together with your £15 to Paula Ireland in the Parish Office at St Denys, Market Place, Sleaford, NG34 7SH. Cheques made payable to St Denys PCC.