

Programme 2027

Programme for Exploring your Spiritual Journey
In the Diocesan Office, Flourish House, Cathedral Park Wells, BA5 1FD,
usually alternate Fridays 10.00 – 15:30

(Please Note: Sessions may occasionally need to be rearranged during the year to accommodate speakers)

Team: Victor Barley, Vivienne Bolton, Margaret Hayward and Tina Soper

Term 1 Introduction and Ways of Prayer

Date & Venue	Subject
8 January Flourish House	Prayer and Spirituality I: Introduction to Course.
15 January Wells Museum/Flourish House	Quiet Day: Meditation, reflection, and prayer.
29 January Flourish House	Prayer and Spirituality II: Images of Self, Images of God.
12 February Flourish House	Christian Prayer Roots I: Old Testament Spirituality, New Testament Spirituality.
26 February Flourish House	Christian Prayer Roots II: Desert Fathers and Mothers.
5 March Flourish House	The Disciplined Life I: Benedictine Spirituality.
19 March Flourish House	Prayer and Self I: Introduction to the Enneagram.

Term 2 Foundations and Roots, Spiritual Traditions

Date & Venue	Subject
Friday 16th April 10:00 – 17:00 Flourish House Sat 17th April 9.30 – 16:30 Flourish House	Prayer and Self II: Enneagram
14th May Flourish House	The Disciplined Life II: Evangelical Spirituality.
21st May Flourish House	Prayer and Creation I: Franciscan Spirituality.
11th June Flourish House	Prayer and Creation II: Celtic Spirituality
25th June Flourish House	Prayer and Contemplation: Thomas Merton, Richard Rohr.
9th July Flourish House	Contemplative Spirituality I: Carmelite Spirituality
16th July Flourish House	Contemplative Spirituality II: Mother Julian of Norwich.

Term 3 Our Spiritual Vocation

Date & Venue	Subject
3 September Flourish House	Contemplative Spirituality III: Icons
17 September Flourish House	Imaginative Spirituality I: Ignatius of Loyola
1 October Flourish House	Imaginative Spirituality II: Spirituality in film, art, music.
22 October Flourish House	Prayer and Daily Life I: Pilgrimage
5 November Flourish House	Prayer and Daily Life II: Contemporary spirituality.
26 - 27 November Thursday/Friday (2 days and one night) Penny Brohn National Centre Pill	Retreat: Vocation, Silence, Affirmation of rhythm of life, Spirituality & Creativity. Bread for the journey.