



Diocese of Westminster

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Agency for Evangelisation



The Agency for Evangelisation exists to help people encounter Christ so they can live and share their faith joyfully



17-26th June 2025 a 5-day online spiritual reading of 'Dilexit nos', ('He loved us'), using extracts of the encyclical and the model of spiritual conversation. In this journey to the Feast of the Sacred Heart on 27th June, it is a time for our heart to speak to the heart of Jesus in a very special and intimate way.

This event is free, but please book to receive joining information via <https://dilexitnos.eventbrite.co.uk>



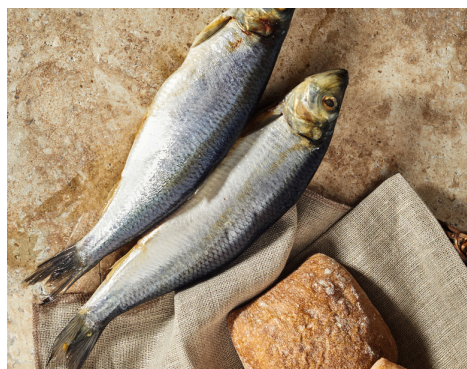
**For Pope Leo XIV,
that the Holy Spirit may fill him
with wisdom and discernment.
Amen.**



29th May - 8th June 2025

11 days of prayer from the Ascension to Pentecost, in which 'Thy Kingdom Come' invites us to pray for five people to encounter Christ and to invite others to do the same.

Email evangelisation@rcdow.org.uk if you would like some resources to help you to pray or click the QR code.



Jubilee Days for Catechists:

We are hosting days (10am-4pm) for catechists in each pastoral area of the Diocese:

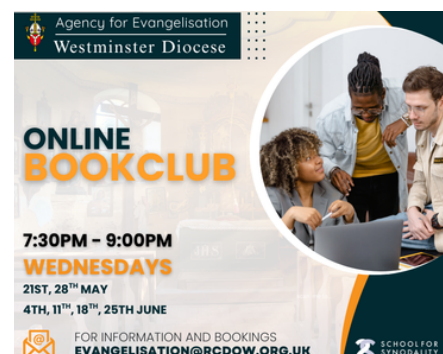
- 19th July: Bishop James – West;
- 11th October: tbc – North;
- 18th October: Bishop Nicholas – Central and East;
- 15th November: Bishop Paul – Hertfordshire.

To book, please give your name and contact details to your parish office.



'Continuing the Journey':

Have you recently been baptised or received into the Church? If so, 'Continuing the Journey' is for you. These online and in-person events will help you explore your faith, deepen your relationship with Jesus, increase your knowledge of the Church, and meet other new Catholics. Please email us or click the QR code for more information.



Online book club in May & June '25 'Reading the Final Synod Document Together'

Join the Agency for Evangelisation and the School for Synodality to explore the Final Synod document each Wednesday from 7:30-8:30pm, 21st May to 25th June. For more details and to book, please visit: rcdow.org.uk/synod/online-book-club/ or click the QR code.



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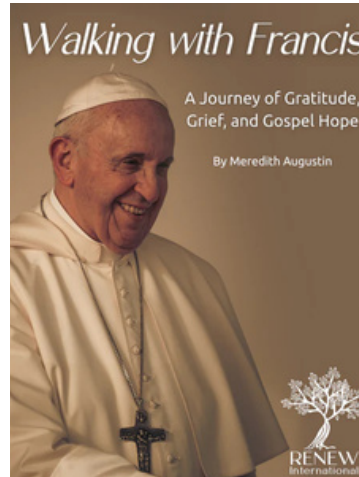
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/389292506713846>

Marriage and Family Life: <https://rcdow.org.uk/marriage-and-family-life/>

We are blessed to have a wide variety of mission collaborators, who help people to live and share their faith joyfully through transformative encounters with Christ. Here is a snapshot of what is on offer.



Rediscover Your Marriage A chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. The next programme begins with a weekend in Welwyn Garden City 20th to 22nd June 2025. No group therapy and group work.
Call/text: 07887 296983 or 07973 380443
email: retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com
or visit: www.retrouvaille.org.uk



**Walking with Francis,
A Journey of Gratitude,
Grief, and Gospel Hope.**

A free four-session faith-sharing guide by RENEW International reflecting on the words of Pope Francis:
A Church of mercy.
A people of joy.
A world of justice.
And a future foreseen with hope



A variety of courses providing intellectual, pastoral, human & spiritual formation.



Highlights for June

- 14th June - Fully Human, Fully Alive
- 16th June - Catholicism & the Cultural wars
- 18th June - Lord Teach Us Us How to Pray



16-20th August 2025 at Worth Abbey Sussex. This relaxed faith-filled festival is to inspire people of all ages and families to live an authentic Christian life in the Holy Spirit. Speakers include Fr Roberto Pasolini OFM Cap (Preacher to the papal household) and Rachael Turner of Parenting for Faith.



CELEBRATE Trust have designed short creative activities that families can choose from to enable them to draw close to Jesus, our hope, and to enable them to share that love with others. To download the resource for free, go to <https://www.celebratetrust.org/celebrate-prayer-resources> and click on 'Jubilee for All.'

***13th-15th June 2025**

On the Isle of Wight
Verbum Dei Retreat Centre

Led by couples members of the Verbum Dei Community

to Register or for Info:
verbumdei.iow@gmail.com
www.uk.verbumdei.org

Weekend Retreat for engaged and married couples

Nurturing HOPE in the family...



9-11th November 2025 - An Invitation to clergy from Marriage Encounter (ME): retreat for priests funded by ME. This is an opportunity for clergy to experience the charism of this movement: relationship lies at the heart of ministry. 'To love God we need the human skills to love one another' (priest in ME). For more details contact enquiries@wwm.org.uk



SUMMER SCHOOL 2025
Pilgrims of Hope

30th July - 2nd August.

Liverpool Hope University, on the theme of the Jubilee Year 2025: 'Pilgrims of Hope'
The keynote speaker is David Wells.



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