



The Friends of Julian of Norwich present:

# JULIAN WEEKEND 2018

THURSDAY 10 MAY – SUNDAY 13 MAY

**A WEEKEND OF TALKS,  
MEDITATION, PRAYERS  
AND CELEBRATION**



***“All that shall be saved, we have in us, for the time of this life, a marvellous mingling both of well-being and woe: we have in us our Lord Jesus risen, we have in us the wretchedness and the mischief of Adam’s falling, dying. By Christ we are steadfastly kept, and by His grace touching us we are raised into sure trust of salvation.”***

Chapter 52, Revelations of Divine Love

## THURSDAY 10 MAY. ASCENSION DAY

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- 11am** Invitation to Trustees, Companions, Friends and volunteers to meet **Bishop Alan**, the Bishop of Thetford, before lunch in St Julian's Church. We will participate in the structure and questions set for the Norwich East Deanery Prayer Pilgrimage. *First come first served via free tickets. Apply to the Julian Centre, see back page.*
- 12 noon** Lunch at the **Julian Centre** for the above, limited to 20 places. No charge; donations suggested.
- 12.30pm** Join with the Norwich East Deanery for prayer and silence led by the Parish Priest, Fr. Christopher Wood with Bishop Alan present in St Julian's Church. All welcome.
- 1pm** Prayer Pilgrimage led by Bishop Alan from the Church of St Julian to Norwich Cathedral. All welcome.
- 2pm** An hour's led meditation with readings from Mother Julian in the **St Catherine's Chapel** in the Cathedral. All welcome.
- 3.30pm** Tea at the cathedral **Refectory**; paid for individually.
- 5.30pm** **Choral Evensong** at the Cathedral. All welcome.
- 6.15pm** Drinks at the **Louis Marchesi pub** just outside the cathedral in Tombland; paid for individually. All welcome.

## FRIDAY 11 MAY

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- 10.30am** Julian Meeting in the Julian Cell, St Julian's Church. All welcome for this period of quiet contemplation. Part of the **Julian Meetings** network.
- 11.30am** Rev Canon Hilary Wakeman, a founder of the Julian Meetings will speak about **Julian Meetings: How they began and developed**
- 12 noon** Rev Robin Stapleford, a Norfolk parish priest creator of a musical CD and books for adults and children about Julian (available in the Julian Centre), will speak about **Julian Touching our Lives**  
Followed by open discussion - *Applying Julian: How Julian affects our lives and how we can share insights into God with others.*
- 12.45pm** Book launch: **St Julian's Church** by Sheila Upjohn and Nicholas Groves. Break till 5pm.
- 5pm** Mass at the Church of St Julian, Rouen Road, Norwich.
- 6.30pm** Supper and drinks at the **King's Centre**, 63-75 King Street, Norwich NR1 1PH. No charge, donations suggested.
- 7.30pm -9.30pm** The **King's Centre**. Watch the presentation by Sheila Upjohn: '*Julian and her secret scribes; the women who saved the writing of Julian of Norwich*'. Followed by the award-winning **BBC documentary** '*The Search for the Lost Manuscript*'. Q&A's afterwards.

# SATURDAY 12 MAY

## THE JULIAN FESTIVAL DAY ONE

### DITCHINGHAM, SOUTH NORFOLK

At **All Hallows Convent**, Belsey Bridge Road, Ditchingham, Bungay, Suffolk, NR35 2DT

**From 11am. Celebrating the life of the Community of All Hallows, its seminal role in rebuilding the bomb-damaged church of St Julian and re-finding her cell, and the Community's dispersal after 164 years.**

**Bishop Graham James will be preaching.**

**Lunch given by the sisters of the Community of All Hallows.**

**The grounds will be open for walking.**

If you wish to attend please book a place by contacting the Community 01986 892749 or [allhallowssconvent@btinternet.com](mailto:allhallowssconvent@btinternet.com) and if you need help with transport from Norwich to Ditchingham let us know at the Julian



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# SUNDAY 13 MAY

## THE JULIAN FESTIVAL DAY TWO

### CENTRAL NORWICH

**At St Julian's Church and the Julian Centre**

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| <b>9am</b>     | Following the 9am Mass in Julian's Cell the Centre and Church will be open for people to use.<br>Contact the Julian Centre for information about other options for worship elsewhere in the City. |
| <b>12 noon</b> | Lunch. Please bring picnic lunch to enjoy in the Julian Centre or in the garden of St Julian's. Hot drinks, light refreshments, and facilities will be available at the Julian Centre.            |
| <b>12.45pm</b> | Annual General Meeting of the <b>Friends of Julian of Norwich</b> in St Julian's Church. Minutes of AGM 2017 and Annual Report in the Easter Newsletter.  |
| <b>1.30pm</b>  | Gathering for ten minutes silent prayer in St Julian's Church, begun and concluded with some words of Julian.   |
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SUNDAY 13 MAY, CONTINUED

**1.45pm Annual Julian Lecture in St Julian's Church.**

**From Spark to Screen; the creative power of Julian of Norwich**

Artist, writer and film maker **Sally-Anne Lomas** reflects upon how an encounter with Julian of Norwich while studying at Norwich Art School has influenced her life and creative practice - including producing and directing the BBC4 documentary *Julian of Norwich; the search for the lost manuscript* - winner of the Royal Television Society East Award for Best Factual Programme 2017.

Presenter Janina Ramirez, whose book is available at the Julian Centre, writes: *'I worked with Sally-Anne on the Julian of Norwich documentary which brought a greater awareness of her significance to the nation. It was Sally-Anne's brainchild, born out of decades spent engaging with Julian's life and work. She crafted a documentary that was full of insights, information and ideas, bringing Julian back to people's attention in a unique and passionate way.'*



**There will be questions and discussion after the lecture.**

**2.45pm** Tea. Everyone is welcome to tea and cakes at the Julian Centre.

**3.30pm** Address from, and good-bye to, Sister Pamela  
**Memories and reflections over 30 years of knowing Julian**

**4pm** Reflective evening prayer, St. Julian's Church.

**4.20pm** DEPART

## BOOKINGS:

Through the Julian Centre:

[admin@juliancentre.org](mailto:admin@juliancentre.org)

01603 767380 OPEN: 10.30am - 3.30pm Monday to Saturday

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