

Cost

6-day Retreat: \$690.00

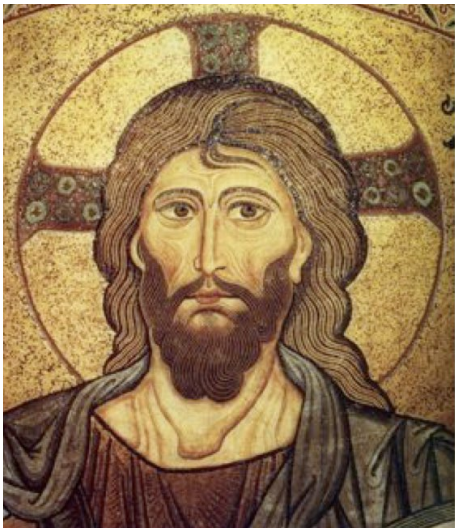
Weekend Retreat 22-24 March: \$230.00

\$50.00 deposit confirms the booking.

All tariffs are negotiable

In 2004 I published “*New Testament Letters: an introductory commentary*” (Chevalier Press, 02 9662 7894).

Pages 93-203 is a commentary on the Letter to the Hebrews. The book is available for purchase from the secretary’s office. Cost: \$25.00



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Meditations on The Letter to the Hebrews



***St Mary's Towers
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***Presenter:
Fr Michael Fallon msc***

***6 day Guided Retreat
22-28 March 2019***

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The Letter to the Hebrews is a magnificent piece of oratory. The unknown author is writing to people who are familiar with, and are perhaps missing, the temple cult that they experienced before joining the Christian community.

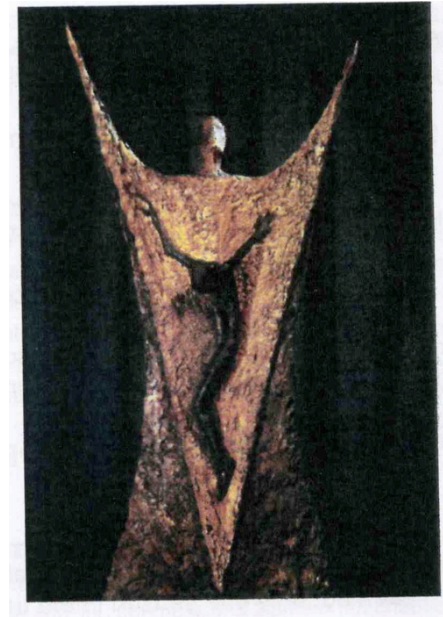
The author reminds them that the temple cult was meant as a preparation for a new covenant that God is offering them in Jesus and in the Christian community. It is Jesus who fulfills in his person all God's promises. It is Jesus who draws us to himself and shares with us his own intimate communion with God.

Each morning there will be two meditations (9:00 and 11:00) to help lead us into prayer.

On the weekend, beginning on the evening of Friday 22 March we will introduce the Letter looking at Hebrews chapters 1 to 4. We will gaze at Jesus who is God's Son and our brother, presented as a high priest who knows God, a high priest we can trust.

On Day 3 we will meditate on Hebrews 4:15 – 6:20. We see here Jesus' compassion. He knows us and his heart longs to draw us into his communion with God.

On Day 4 we will meditate on Hebrews 7-9. The author demonstrates how Jesus brings to fulfilment the promises made by God and invites us to share his response, which brings to fulfilment the Jewish cult.



On Day 5 we will meditate on Hebrews 10:1 – 12:13: an exhortation to faith.

On Day 6 we will conclude our meditation by reflecting on Hebrews 12:14 – 13:25 in which the author exhorts us to live the Christian life.