

Three mystics for our times



Edith Stein (1891-1942)



Etty Hillesum (1914-1943)



Simone Weil (1909-1943)

Edith Stein, Etty Hillesum and Simone Weil were three geniuses who lived and died during the trauma of twentieth century Europe. In this photographic presentation Stefan Reynolds looks at how they responded to the spiritual and political crisis around them and how they found meaning in their relationship with God. These women were not only beautiful in their tragically short lives but they radiated, in Simone Weil's words, 'a new holiness' relevant to today's world.

Wednesday 13th March; 10am to 4.30pm

Runcton Manor, Runcton Lane, Chichester PO20 1PS

Arrive from 10.00am for tea and coffee and a prompt start at 10.30am. Finish 4.30pm. Lunch and tea/coffee provided. Suggested donation on day of £25.

Reserve places at <https://runctonmanor13mar2019.eventbrite.co.uk>.

Dr Stefan Reynolds is a well-established speaker and writer on Christian mysticism, as well as Director of Retreats at Mount Melleray Abbey in Ireland. His books include *Living with the Mind of Christ: Mindfulness in Christian Spirituality* and *The Wisdom of Love in the Song of Songs* (Hikari Press, 2018). He has a PhD from London University on 'Middle-English Mysticism' and MAs in 'History of Christianity', and 'Christianity and Inter-Religious Dialogue'.

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Another date for your diaries: Wednesday 12th June: Philip Roderick on Travelling Light, Dwelling Deep: Building Community in the mystery of God's love.