



THE CONTEMPLATIVE PATH

A day considering contemplation and the life of Etty Hillesum

Saturday October 3rd. 10 am - 3.30 pm
at The Old Bakery, High Street, Freshford, near Bath

In the morning, **Canon Patrick Woodhouse**, Precentor of Wells Cathedral and the author of a recent book, 'Etty Hillesum ; A Life Transformed', will speak about Etty Hillesum, a young Jewish woman living in Holland during the Second World War. Her chaotic life was changed by finding her way to a profound spiritual and contemplative path, before being dispatched to Auschwitz and her death. Her diaries and letters, published years later, have been an inspiration to many people.

Following the talk and time for questions, there will be a period of meditation.

After a picnic lunch, the practice of meditation and prayer will be considered with the help of writings from various sources, including words of Etty Hillesum.

The day will end with a final period of meditation.

*Suggested donation of £5.00.
Please bring a picnic lunch. Drinks provided.*

*For details and to book a place, contact Paula Widdicombe
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For more on meditation, see www.wccm.org

*Freshford is 4 miles from Bath just off the A 36, south of Limpley Stoke.
Street parking around the village. The Old Bakery is seven minutes walk from the station – trains from Bath and Bristol, Trowbridge, Westbury etc.*