



Living *Laudato Si'*: Your Parish and Your Planet

Zoom Retreats in 2021
12th-16th March & 16th-19th April
(led from Boarbank Hall, Cumbria)

WHY? Faith is the place to start.

WHAT? Understanding is the place to start.

HOW? Sharing experience is the place to start.

WHEN? Now is the place to start.

WHERE? Your parish is the place to start.

WHO? Are YOU the place to start?

What will happen? A long weekend of talks and discussions on zoom, and practical activities, on living the message of *Laudato Si'* in and through your parish.

Who is it for? Any interested parishioner is most welcome to join us. The weekend is aimed especially at people with parish responsibilities or who are part of or want to start a relevant parish group.

Timings Sessions will be on Friday night, Saturday morning and night, Sunday afternoon and night and Monday night (leaving people free during the day on Monday).

Speakers include:



Trish Sandbach, who worked in Oxfam Education for many years and led St Benedict's, Garforth, in the Leeds diocese, to winning a *Livesimply* award. She is also an assessor for the *LiveSimply* award www.cafod.org.uk/Campaign/Livesimply-award.

John Paul de Quay and **Ellie Margetts**, founder members of the Ecological Conversion Group and *Journey to 2030* www.journeyto2030.org.

Sr Margaret Atkins, an Augustinian Canoness at Boarbank Hall in Cumbria, a teacher of philosophy and theology, with a lifelong interest in the natural world, and author of *Catholics and Our Common Home: Caring for the Planet in a Time of Crisis* (CTS).
www.ctsbooks.org/product/catholics-and-our-common-home

Archbishop John Wilson and **Bishop Peter Brignall** (March) and **Archbishop Bernard Longley** and **Bishop Marcus Stock** (April) will begin and end the weekends with prayer and reflection.

Panel discussions with a range of experts for sharing advice on practical projects.

Cost - voluntary donations gratefully accepted, but there will be no fee for the weekend.

To apply, simply email Sr Margaret Atkins on margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk.