

# The Sacramental Journey: the work of a lifetime

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For each of us, the sacramental journey is one of ongoing formation. As we grow in our faith and receive God’s grace through the sacraments, we experience the rhythm of celebration–reflection–celebration that is such a feature of parish life. During our time together in the peaceful surroundings of Belsey Bridge, we will explore the opportunities that each sacrament gives us for encounter with Christ. This is a summer school for lifelong Catholics, converts and enquirers. We will reflect and pray together, and look at how we can practically enhance the sacramental journey of our parish communities through our various ministries.

**Director of Liturgy – Catherine Christmas** is Advisor for Liturgy and Music in the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton, Organist at St John’s Cathedral, Portsmouth, and a member of the Collegeville Composers Group.

**Director of Music – Paul Wellicome** is a composer and is Director of Music in his parish. Paul was on the Birmingham Archdiocese Church Music Committee and continues to co-direct a diocesan choir for major events.

**Accompanist – Stephen Bryant** is Director of Music at The Paragon School, Bath and Organist at Clifton Cathedral. He has performed as an organist throughout Europe and in the USA.

## Keynote speakers

**Mgr Kevin McGinnell** – *The Sacramental Journey*. Kevin is a priest of Northampton Diocese, Secretary of the Spirituality Committee, Department of Christian Life and Worship and Chairman of the Society of Saint Gregory.

**Paul Inwood** – *Music for the Journey*. Paul is an internationally known liturgist, organist, choral conductor, author, speaker, and composer of the official Vatican Hymn for the Holy Year of Mercy.

**Marty Haugen** – *We are called*. Marty is a composer of liturgical music, workshop presenter, performing and recording artist and author from Eagan, Minnesota.

## Workshops (Participants will be able to choose two from the following)

- Bishop Peter Brignall – **Sacraments of Initiation**: Encounters with Christ.
- Stephen Bryant – **Making a Glorious Noise**: Choral singing, whatever your resources.
- Marty Haugen – **To Serve as Jesus Did**: For those in parish ministry.
- Mgr Kevin McGinnell – **RCIA: A Parish Experience**: For those working with catechumens and candidates.
- Mary Rouse – **Proclaiming the Word**: So much more than reading.
- Paul Wellicome – **You Want Us to Play What?** Using instrumental resources to support the parish liturgy.

**Plus...** Mini-workshops, ‘Big Sing’, Bar and traditional social events.

*The Society of Saint Gregory reserves the right to vary these arrangements.*

## About the Venue

Belsey Bridge Conference Centre is situated on the Norfolk/Suffolk border in quiet countryside, ideal for a relaxing walk. The Centre has a reputation for excellent, locally sourced food and comfortable accommodation, mostly in en-suite rooms. The bedrooms with en-suite facilities will be allocated on a **first come, first served basis**. For those coming by public transport, there is a bus service from Norwich to Bungay and the Summer School Team can arrange transport from the village to the Conference Centre. For further information please visit [www.cct.org.uk](http://www.cct.org.uk)

## Booking form – Part 1

**For further details and online booking, please visit [www.ssg.org.uk](http://www.ssg.org.uk)**

**Book early as places are limited.** Only one booking per form. If you require more forms, please photocopy, or download another from [www.ssg.org.uk](http://www.ssg.org.uk). Non-resident rates are available: enquire at the address below.

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Title \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Age (if 17 or under) \_\_\_\_\_

Please note no unaccompanied young people under 18 years are permitted.

Telephone (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Diocese \_\_\_\_\_

Parish ministry \_\_\_\_\_

Please specify any dietary or other special requirements. \_\_\_\_\_

If you would prefer to share a twin or double bedded room, please tick here ☐

Shared with \_\_\_\_\_

If you are bringing an instrument with you, please let us know what it is:

Instrument(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Level of expertise \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your completed form (signed and dated), including deposit, full payment or card authorisation to:

**Julie-Ann Gylaitis, SSG Summer School Bookings**  
**38 Robert Road, Exhall, Coventry, Warwickshire. CV7 9GU**

Telephone: 07849 431040. E-mail: [bookings@ssg.org.uk](mailto:bookings@ssg.org.uk)

or book on-line at [www.ssg.org.uk](http://www.ssg.org.uk)

**SSG Member discounts** (not applicable to day rates)

For each non-member they bring with them (including spouses and children aged 12 and over), existing members pay £25 less. Non-members accompanying an SSG member should give the member’s name here:



## Booking form – Part 2

### Bookings paid in full before 1 May

Please circle appropriate amount

#### SSG members

£325

#### Non-members

£365

#### Under 18s

£190

### Bookings paid in full after 1 May

Please circle appropriate amount

#### SSG members

£365

#### Non-members

£405

#### Under 18s

£230

A **non-returnable deposit of £50** must accompany this form. The balance must be paid in full no later than 1 July, or no later than 1 May for the early booking rate.

### Not a member?

You can join the Society of Saint Gregory now at a special rate of £20. You will save £10 on the regular cost and qualify for the special Summer School members' rate! (Note: This special rate applies to new members only. It does not apply to membership renewals.)

### McElligott Fund:

The fund assists students, the unwaged and others who might need help with the cost of attending Summer School. (All enquiries will remain confidential)

I would like to apply for assistance; please send me more information. ☐

### Cancellations

Because Belsey Bridge Conference Centre, like many course locations, requires final numbers some weeks before the event, we are unable to offer any refunds for cancellations of which we receive notice after 1 July. You may wish to consider taking out suitable travel insurance to insure against such an eventuality.

Non-returnable deposit (£50.00)	
or	
Full payment	
New membership of Society of Saint Gregory (£20.00)	
Donation to McElligott Fund (Optional)	
TOTAL being paid now:	

I enclose a cheque (payable to 'Society of Saint Gregory') ☐

or

I wish to make a Credit/Debit Card payment ☐

*It would help the Society if you could use a debit rather than credit card as administration costs are lower.*

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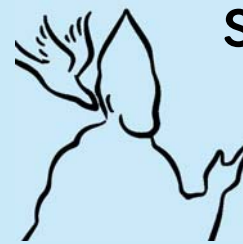
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**Belsey Bridge Conference Centre  
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1-4 August 2018**

**Talks, workshops and liturgies for anyone involved in  
parish ministry**