



## 2019 Women's Retreat – Reservation Form

# 'Exploring the spirituality of the Desert Mothers'

Friday October 18<sup>th</sup> - Sunday October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

*The retreat begins at 14:00 on Friday, and ends on Sunday after lunch*

Come and join us for a peaceful weekend in the beautiful surroundings of the Abbaye d'Echourgnac (24410, NW of Bergerac). Together we will share in fellowship and setting time aside for renewal & restoration. We will hear stories and insights from the Desert Mothers; remarkable spiritual women known as “ammās”, who chose to live in the wilderness in the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> centuries, devoting themselves to lives of prayer and contemplation. As we journey with the Desert Mothers & each other, we will explore different ways to enrich our everyday lives.

The retreat will be led by:

Rev'd Elaine Labourel, Amanda Alcorn, Rev'd Charlotte Sullivan

*For more information, please contact Charlotte on:*

*05 56 40 05 12, charlottesullivan66@gmail.com*

Number of participating Adults .....@ 140 €

*(Price includes single room (en suite) and meals from Friday evening to Sunday lunch)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this your first visit to Echourgnac? Yes / No *(If so you will be sent travel directions)*

Please enclose your cheque for the full amount, made payable to the

Chaplaincy of Aquitaine. Please mail with the booking form to Amy Owensmith:

lieu dit Martelou, 24220 Coux et Bigaroque (06 07 04 07 77, [chapaq.office@gmail.com](mailto:chapaq.office@gmail.com))

Your cheque will be returned if there is no room, and the fee is fully refundable if you cancel before 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2019. If after this date you are unable to attend, the fee will not be refunded. Instalment payments are possible, please contact us to discuss details.

*Final cancellation date: 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2019*