

Terms and Conditions

- ◇ *I wish to reserve places for the people named overleaf.*
- ◇ *I understand that places are subject to confirmation.*
- ◇ *I understand the cancellation policy as outlined.*
- ◇ *I enclose a cheque/postal order £..... in full payment.*
- ◇ *Please DETACH and return the completed booking form along with full payment by cheque/postal order made payable to ‘Jean Vanier Retreat’ at*

J V Retreat, PO Box 28832,

Edinburgh EH15 1WF.

- ◇ *I can't come but I wish you well and please accept my donation of £*
- ◇ *I wish to treat the enclosed donation of £.....as a Gift Aid donation. I confirm that in the current tax year I will be liable for Income Tax at least at basic rate..*
- ◇ *Signed*
Date



Jean Vanier is the founder of L'Arche and co-founder with Marie-Helene Mathieu, of Faith and Light. He is considered by many as one of the spiritual giants of our time, a man marked out by personal holiness and by the amazing flowering of his work of caring for people with disabilities.



Registered Charity

No 264166

L'Arche, founded by Jean Vanier in 1964, is today an international federation of faith based communities where people with a learning disability and those who share their lives, live committed and mutual relationships in family-style homes, workshops, schools and day-care centres. There are around 5.000 people in 131 communities and 34 countries. Each community is a place of transformation where weakness and vulnerability are accepted.



**FAITH AND
LIGHT.**

Registered charity
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Faith and Light is an international community movement bringing together people with a learning disability, their families, carers and friends, particularly young people. It recognizes that everyone has gifts to offer – the ability to welcome others with love and affection and a gift of celebration. There are 1,500 Faith and Light Communities in 85 countries throughout the world. The communities are non residential and meet together regularly to pray, to share and to celebrate together.

**“Peace I leave with you
my peace I give you.”**

*Coming together around
the message of Jesus.*



***A RETREAT IN THE CITY
with Jean Vanier***

***From Friday 2 March to
Sunday 4 March 2007***

at

***The Gillis Centre
100 Strathearn Rd Edinburgh.EH9***

***You are invited to join in a time for
reflection, experiencing community
and welcoming differences.***

“Our security will not be in money, nor in armed protection but in the depths of our friendships. If we can love each other, respect each other, confirm each other—that’s where our security lies.”

Jean Vanier

‘A Retreat in the City’

will offer the opportunity to explore together the Gospel message of Jesus. We will be guided by Jean Vanier to consider our openness to ‘encountering the other’; crossing the frontiers beyond what is comfortable and familiar towards more meaningful sources of life in an increasingly insecure world.

Programme

The retreat is non residential.

Daily Registration from 9.00-9.30am

ending with shared worship at approx 6.30pm.

Optional evening programme offering a wide variety of experiences and expressions of Christian worship and spirituality. Details of each day will be given at registration. On Sunday the retreat will finish after lunch.

The Retreat is open to all, with some priority given to people with disabilities and their carers.

Further information is available on our website:

www.vanieredinburgh2007.freewebspace.com

Cost of the Retreat

The cost of the 2.5 days is £55 per person and includes soup and sandwich lunches, teas and coffees and the optional evening programme.

Full payment by cheque/postal order made payable to ‘Jean Vanier Retreat’ should be sent with the completed booking form to:

JVR, PO BOX 28832, Edinburgh, EH15 1WF

Confirmation of bookings will be forwarded by email where possible or post. As the number of places is limited it is advisable to book early.

Cancellation Policy

For full repayment of fees, cancellations must be notified in writing to the above address, before 02.02.07, to allow time for places to be reallocated. Replacement names may be added if notified in good time.

Gillis Centre

The centre is situated at the corner of Strathearn Road and Whitehouse Loan . Entry is from Strathearn Rd where there is limited parking. Bus routes 5,24,51. Some accommodation is available at Gillis. Details can be obtained from the Centre Manager on 0131 623 8933.

Information on other accommodation available locally can be had from ‘Visit Scotland’ on 0845 225 5121.

Retreat in the City

Booking Form

Name of correspondent (Block Capitals):

Address:

Tel No:

Email address:

Please book () places for the following:
(Names only)

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Special Requirements: (please include the name of person)

Diet:

Mobility needs:

Other: