CATHOLIC RURAL CONFERENCE 2020

Surname.............................................. Title...............................

Christian Name................................. Diocese.......................

Address........................................................................................

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e-mail..................................................Telephone.......................

What do you do? .......................................................................

Any dietary requirements? ......................................................

Anything else we should know? .............................................

I will be resident/non resident.

Single/double room

**Non residents** indicate which meals you will eat

(£20.00 per half day, eating or not!):

Monday dinner, Tuesday lunch, Tuesday dinner, Wednesday lunch.

**Residents** staying for Wednesday lunch add £12.50 and tick

I enclose a cheque for £........... (*in favour of Our Lady & St Michael Conference a/c*) and I understand that £100.00 (£25.00 non resident) of it is a non-returnable deposit.

Signed.......................................................

**Send your form** to Fr Robert Miller, Trellis House, Station Rd, Tisbury SP3 6JR. Mark envelope RURAL CONFERENCE please.

Queries may be referred to Fr Robert

on 01747 870228 or [rwhm274@btinternet.com](mailto:rwhm274@btinternet.com)

**What?** If **rural** prompts a first thought of **farming**, please think again.  Most Catholic parishes include rural areas, often packed with commuters or retirees.  This year’s programme will include a presentation on ministry in rural Sussex and another look at rural statistics. A full programme is available.

**Why?** Most of each diocese is rural, yet traditionally the bishop takes his title from a town.  We try to bridge the gap.  Small rural congregations are not failed larger churches, they are God’s design for rural ministry.

**Where?** In the comfort of the Best Western Country Hotel, Garstang PR3 1YE ***Late bookings may be housed elsewhere.***

**When?** The conference begins at 4.00 pm on Monday 27th January, and finishes with lunch on Wednesday 29th January 2020.

**Who?** Any Catholic interested enough to come is welcome.  A number of English and Welsh dioceses send representatives.  We welcome lay people, clergy, religious.  Behind the conference are Canon Harry Doyle (Lancaster) and Fr Robert Miller (Clifton)

**How much?** Single (£230) or double (£360) rooms are available.

Non residents are charged £20.00 per half day, including lunch or dinner.

Your booking form must be accompanied by your cheque, £100

(£25 non resident) which is a non-returnable deposit.

Cheques should be made out to *Our Lady & St Michael conference a/c*.

**More information?** Contact Fr Robert Miller, 01747 870228.

**By road:**  Google: Best Western Country Hotel, Garstang, PR3 1YE

**By train:**to Preston.  We can arrange for you to be collected.

Please let Fr Robert know your arrival time in Preston.

**16th National Conference**

**for**

**Rural Catholics**

**27-29 January 2020**

**Best Western Country Hotel**

**Garstang**

**Lancashire PR3 1YE**