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Place, Space and the Social Imaginary: the Eucharist in Community Reflective Weekend 11th – 13th February 2022 Rydal Hall, Ambleside, Cumbria LA22 9LX Led by Jessica Martin

Across the weekend we will explore the eucharist in domestic space and in virtual space, the connections (and disconnections) the pandemic experience of virtual eucharists has created with the daily lives and work of worshippers, and the longer-term theological implications of our practice of eucharist during the recent period of social restrictions.

Jessica Martin trained as an Anglican priest, pursuing her academic and priestly vocations as a self-supporting minister. Her academic work focused on religious writing and religious lives in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. In 2010 she left academic life to become a parish priest in South Cambridgeshire and has been Residentiary Canon for Learning at Ely Cathedral since 2016.

Cost, from dinner on Friday evening to lunch on Sunday, inclusive:

£205 (members and spouses); £215 (non-members)

Grants may be available from your Church to cover all or part of the cost – apply now to get their support! A limited number of bursaries are available to enable attendance. Please ask CHRISM for details or a receipt. CHRISM can accept payments through GoCardless. If you would like to use this, please email Rob (as below).

In the usual format of a relaxing weekend there will be time for both reflective silence and companionship, and the opportunity to explore the area, or have some free time to walk, talk, snooze, reflect, read, pray... The current Covid precautions for attendees at Rydal Hall are to follow responsible social distancing and visitors are asked to wear masks in communal areas. We shall provide more detailed guidance before the event.

Set in over thirty acres of garden, woodland and natural beauty in the Lake District UNESCO World Heritage Site, Rydal Hall is the ideal venue for retreats and events. With wonderful views, the Hall and its grounds are the perfect place to enjoy this beautiful part of the world.

Easy access travelling by car from the M6 (J36 from the South – 23 miles, J40 from the North, 28 miles). There are excellent rail connections to Windermere station (via Oxenholme on the West Coast mainline) which is only 4 miles from Rydal Hall. For more details: https://www.rydalhall.org/

Yes, I wish to attend the Reflective Weekend at Rydal Hall, 11th - 13th February 2022 Name: Tel: Address: Email: I enclose a cheque (payable to CHRISM) for £205 / £215 or deposit of £50 With whom: I would be prepared to share: Yes / No I have the following special dietary (or other) needs:

Please return this slip (before 12th January, 2022).

Please return to: Rob Fox, 22 Queensbury Gate, Newcastle NE12 8JW Email: rob.fox36@gmail.com

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