**CONFIDENTIAL**

**The Art of Spiritual Direction : a Coventry Diocese course 2018-19**

**Application to participate**

*Please answer fully and expand the boxes or use more pages as you need.*

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| **Name** |  | **D.O.B.** |  |
| **Address** |  |
| **e-mail** |  |
| **‘Phone** |  | **Mobile** |  |
| **Occupation** |  |
| **Relevant Qualifications or courses attended**Eg Counselling; Listening Skills; Spiritual Formation; |  |
| **Current or recent involvement in church and other Christian communities**  |
| **What attracts you to this course?** |

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| **Brief summary of your own faith journey** (this might include worship; influence of specific people; the Scriptures; other reading material; attendance at conferences, retreats or events; music etc) |
| **Please describe your experience of receiving spiritual direction or accompaniment.** |

***References*** *(Please provide details of the Minister of your church and your spiritual director or another Christian person with whom we can speak about your suitability for this course.)*

**1 NAME**

**Postal address**

**email address**

**Telephone no**

**2 NAME**

**Postal address**

**email address**

**Telephone no**

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**How did you hear about this course?**

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Return this completed form before 31 May 2018 to: Lois on loisbaldwinz@gmail.com.

**Receipt by e-mail will count as signature.**

**APPENDIX**

***PLEASE NOTE as you apply:***

***1 To practise as a spiritual director it is essential that you have an up-to-date DBS check.***

***2 A fee of £130 is payable on the first session of each term (£390 in total). A course text book is provided for all participants.***

***3 Please aim for 100% attendance. Enter dates into your diary well in advance. (see attached)***

***4 All participants are assigned to a supervisor during Term One; and you are encouraged to start guiding a directee as soon as possible.***

***Course Dates***

TIMINGS: Saturdays 9.30 am – 4.00 pm Wednesdays 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm

**2018**

**Saturday 22 September 9.30 – 4.00**

Week 1. 26 Sept

Week 2. 3 Oct

Week 3. 10 Oct

Week 4. 17 Oct

BREAK

Week 5. 31 Oct

Week 6. 7 Nov

Week 7. 14 Nov

Week 8. 21 Nov

Week 9. 28 Nov

Week 10. 5 Dec

 **2019**

**Saturday 12 Jan 9.30 – 4.00**

Week 11. 16 Jan

Week 12. 23 Jan

Week 13. 31 Jan

Week 14. 6 Feb

Week 15 13 Feb

BREAK

Week 16 27 Feb

Week 17 6 March

Week 18 13 March

Week 19 20 March

Week 20 27 March

**Saturday 30 March 9.30 - 4pm**

**Saturday 4 May 9.30 - 4pm**

Week 21. 8 May

Week 22. 15 May

Week 23. 22 May

BREAK

Week 24. 5 June

Week 25. 12 June

Week 26. 19 June

Week 27. 26 June

Week 28. 3 July

Week 29 10 July (Final session)