

Provisional Programme, T.F. Torrance Firbush Retreat, 12-14 June 2019

‘THREE DAYS: The Opening of Heaven and New Creation’

Wednesday 12 June

- 11.30 am - Arrive and settle in.
12pm - Lunch (tea/coffee provided, but not lunch, bring sandwiches)
12.30pm – 2.30pm - Afternoon Activities:
Canoeing, kayaking, mountain biking (all instructor led), road biking, orienteering, walking, (all dependent on weather & choice). Equipment, wetsuits, etc, provided.
- 3.00pm – 3.15pm - Welcome, introductions, opening devotions
3.15pm – 4.15pm - Session 1 - Dr Gerrit Dawson: *Good Friday***
4.15pm – 4.45pm - Coffee and general introductory mixing
4.45pm – 5.45pm - Session 2 – speaker tbc**
6.00pm – 7.00pm - Dinner
7.15pm – 8.45pm - Session 3 – Dr Kerry Magruder: *Torrance, Science and New Creation: Did the Resurrection Change the Order of Nature?***
8.45pm - 9.00pm - Evening prayers:
9.00pm - Free Time for socialising [bar available], discussion etc.

Thursday 13 June

- 8.30am – 9.00am - Breakfast (full materials for packed lunch also provided)
9.30am – 9.45am - Morning prayers:
9.45am – 10.45am - Session 4 - Dr Gerrit Dawson: *What was Jesus doing on Holy Saturday?***
10.45am – 11.15am - Coffee
11.15am – 12.45pm - Session 5 – Dr Robert Walker: *Torrance on the Cross, Resurrection and New Creation*
12.45pm – 1.30pm - Lunch
1.30pm – 4.00pm - Afternoon Activities
4.45pm – 5.45pm - Session 6 - Dr Gerrit Dawson: *Easter Sunday: Resurrection & Ascension***
6.00pm – 7.00pm - Dinner
7.15pm – 8.45pm - Session 7 – Prof Myk Habets, - *Torrance as a Preacher: his Sermons in Context*
8.45pm – 9.00pm - Evening prayers:
9.00pm - Free Time for socialising [bar available], discussion etc.

Friday 14 June

- 8.30am – 9.00am - Breakfast (and make up packed lunch)
9.30am – 9.45am - Morning prayers:
9.45am – 11.15am - Session 8 – Rev David W. Torrance, *Preaching Ascension, New Heavens and Earth****

- TBC**, followed by chaired discussion, led by
- 11.15am –11.45am - Coffee
- 11.45am –1.15pm - Session 9 - Plenary - questions / discussion, chaired by
- Followed by the Eucharist, led by
- 1.15pm – 2.00pm - Lunch and Depart

Asterisk** denotes shorter papers