

June 2019

Dear Mothers' Union Member

Crothorne Retreat 5th-7th November 2019

Once again our Autumn Retreat will be at Holland House, Crothorne. I know those who attended in the past have enjoyed the experience and the hospitality (and good food!) given to us. Crothorne is near Pershore, just over the border into Worcestershire, and is an attractive house surrounded by lovely gardens going down to the River Avon.

As usual the retreat will begin with tea at 4pm on the first day and end after lunch on the final day.

The cost will be **£187 00**. Unfortunately, Holland House has again increased their costs by £8.00 per person, so I am hoping this additional amount will not prevent people attending.

I am delighted to say that Liz Palin will be leading us. She has previously worked both a Crothorne and Glenfall and is looking forward to leading us and we shall look forward to her time with us.

A booking form is enclosed which should be returned to me at the Mothers' Union Office - 7a, Miller's Green, Gloucester GL1 2BN - **together with the deposit of £40** payable to 'Mothers' Union Gloucester Diocese'. The final balance of £147 needs to be sent to the office by 21st October but you can send it before then if you wish.

Please make your reservation by 25th July 2019.

If you have any queries please contact me on - 01453 887326 or b.collins777@btinternet.com

Transport to Crothorne may be difficult for some people. I cannot guarantee to arrange lifts but if you are able to get to Gloucester or Cheltenham I will do what I can to help, once it is known who will be offering lifts.

Please indicate on your booking form if you will need me to arrange a lift for you.

Yours in Christ

Barbara Collins
Retreats' Organiser