



*We invite you to come to Mirfield to share in the Community's life and worship.*

- You may like to explore becoming an Oblate, a Companion or a Friend of the Community.
- Explore our programme of retreats, consider a quiet day, a study visit or a sabbatical, or simply come and stay for a few days.
- Find out more about the Community's far-reaching plans for the future, for the expansion of our work at Mirfield.
- Just drop in to pray with us in our worship.



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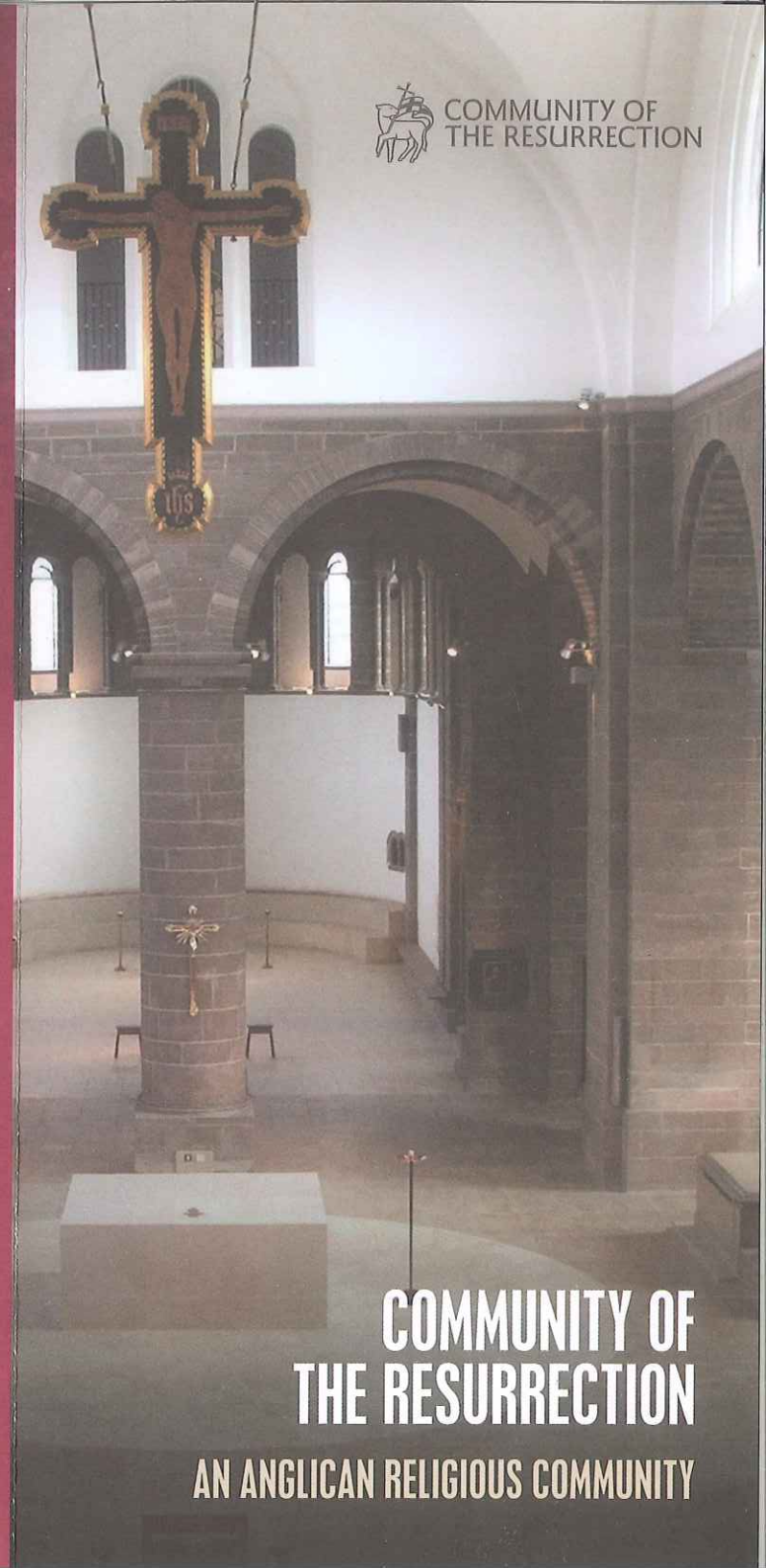
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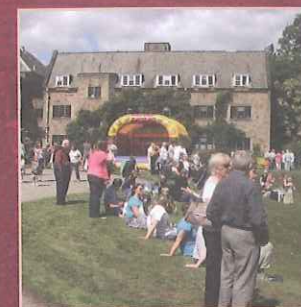
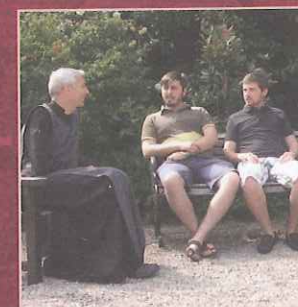
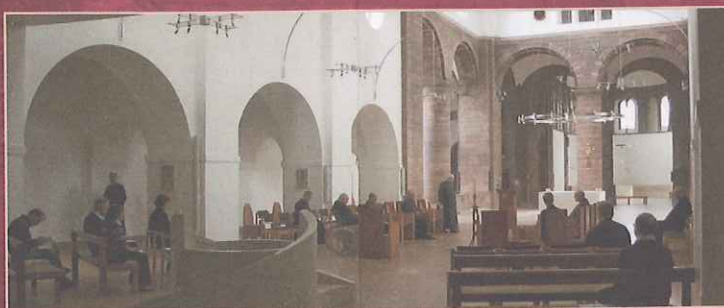
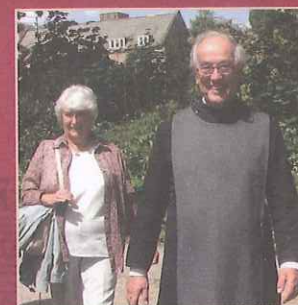
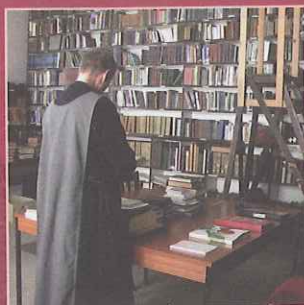
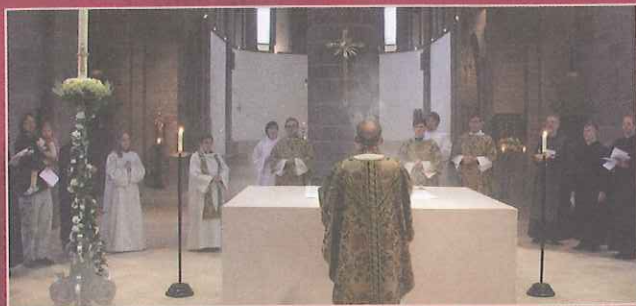
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**AN ANGLICAN RELIGIOUS COMMUNITY**



## HISTORY

Founded in Oxford in 1892, the Community came to Mirfield, West Yorkshire, in 1898. From there its ministry went as far afield as Southern Africa and other parts of the world, as well as throughout the UK. Its spiritual and educational mission centres on worship and prayer in community, and sharing the fruits of that with Church and society.

## TODAY

The Community's contemporary mission continues to radiate from Mirfield. We live together as brothers in Christ, rooted in the Anglican tradition and formed in a Benedictine round of worship, ministry and hospitality. We welcome others to come, see, learn and share.

Worship is the heart of our life, centred on the Eucharist, daily offices and individual prayer. The tradition of Gregorian chant is part of our drawing on the wells of the Church's continuity. The life of monastic communities, ours included, is immensely valued today as a constant praying presence, always there for the support of others.

## THE FUTURE

Our outside ministry of retreats, spiritual guidance, teaching and support of the wider Church is complemented by all that is offered on our site, attracting increasing numbers of people: retreats, pilgrimages, projects with schools and colleges, artistic events, and more. A range of Christian educational institutions on the site share enthusiastically in our life (the Theological College, the Yorkshire Ministry Course, the Mirfield Centre, and the Diocesan School of Ministry).

There is a new interest today in religious communities, and this is shown in the increasing number of enquiries from young people about our life. The brethren of the Community are involved with discernment of vocations at every level, from lay and ordained ministry to religious community life itself. We seek to work with the Spirit of God to discern his will for us as we go into the future.

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