

The Bield at Blackruthven

An Advent Pilgrimage



Facilitated by

Kristina Hayward & Kenneth Steven

Friday 26th Nov 5:30pm to Sunday 28th Nov 4:30pm

Cost £230 (full board)

Kenneth and Kristina are inspired by their love of what the Celtic Christian tradition has to give us and where pilgrimage is one of the cornerstones.

The Bield and its beautifully atmospheric surroundings lends itself to become a pilgrimage destination (perhaps this year more than ever) at the beginning of Advent. Pilgrimage can be described as a special journey to a special or holy place. It is also a way to honour the longing of heart and soul. During these special days there will be "mini-pilgrimages" where the group will explore the outdoors, as well as sit together in the warm sanctuary of the chapel.



Creativity is also a cornerstone and there will be time for creative practice, facilitated by

Kenneth and Kristina, as well as periods of reflection.

Kenneth is well known to the Bield and in Scotland as a poet and writer. Kristina is a keen amateur photographer. Together they lead annual Celtic Christianity retreats on Iona. Writing and photography combine to produce talks and lectures on the subject, as well as articles for magazines and podcasts. Both take their primary inspiration from the natural world.



Practicalities:

Bring warm outdoor clothing, sturdy footwear, note book, pen and a camera (or mobile phone, iPad, tablet)



Bookings

Cost £230 (full board)

Please book through Muriel at:
info@bieldatblackruthven.org.uk or
01738 583238 Tues – Fri 9am – 4pm
Deposit of £30 required at time of booking
See web site for Cancellation Policy
Card payments can be made on the phone.

Cheques & BACS are Payable to: **The Bield Christian Company Ltd.**Sort code 83-47-00 A/C 00100095

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