



Community of the Resurrection
INTERCESSIONS from LADY DAY 2020

Dear supporters and members of the CR family,

We would normally include for your prayers a list of the Community's engagements over the next 3 months, but they have all unavoidably been cancelled until further notice.

The **Community** is self-isolating. We have a sense of having a special vocation at this time, as every Christian congregation will have in its own way, seeking to respond to what Christ asks of us. The **College** has now disbanded, to carry on its studies electronically, while a small group of students remain resident at the college, keeping isolation as a separate community from the brethren, and unable to attend any of our worship.

We are unable to receive guests and **visitors**, but can continue to minister spiritual direction by electronic means.

Since the CR Quarterly Review went to print, the sponsored **bike ride** for Tariro will now unfortunately have to be postponed until a later date.

All our services are now streamed. Full information is on our website under Community/Our life and work/ worship. The direct link to our services is:

<https://www.facebook.com/CoRMirfield/>

Please pray for:

All who are suffering as a result of the epidemic.

All medical staff.

All our bishops, clergy and congregations in this time of challenge, that we may live out our faith with selflessness and confidence, aware of being one in the Body of Christ.

All poor countries, and countries that are badly governed.

All who work to sustain our economy.

The government and all public agencies.

For our staff at Mirfield, some working from home, some furloughed, and two or three continuing to work here while keeping strict isolation.

You are all in the Community's prayers, and may we all be in each other's prayers.

The CR Brethren

Lord, all who struggle turn to you:

in the hour of trial, good Lord, deliver us,

for we know that your wisdom is found in the cross of Christ,

and your fountain of life is his resurrection

now and in all eternity. Amen

God of life and love,

whose Son was victorious over sin and death,

make us alive with your life,

that through us the whole world may come

to find him, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen