## **BOOKING FORM**

Name:
Address:
Phone:
Email:
Date of Arrival:
Date of Departure:
Will Attend Cell Meeting Yes No
Registration Fee: €40
Please register by 6th September 2024
Accommodation Request (Please Tick as appropriate)
Stay with Host Family Yes
I will arrange my own Accommodation No
Please advise any special dietary requirements
Please return completed forms to:
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# Parish Cells Of Evangelisation



National Seminar – 27<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> September 2024 Our Lady's Parish Centre - Leixlip

"Renew Your Hope in the Love of God" (Importance of faith communities today)



.....I Call You Friends

John 15:15

#### **National Seminar Timetable 2024**

Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>		
5.30	Registration and refreshments	
7.00	Opening Ceremony	
7.30	Disperse to cell meetings in homes.	
Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup>		
9.00	Registration and refreshments	
9.30	Fr. Aloysius Zuribo C.C. Leixlip: Welcome and Opening Prayer Prayer Service - Mary Hanlon and cell participants	
10.00	National Cells Service Team	
10.30	Leixlip Story: 20 years of Blessings: Marian Quinn, Leixlip Cell Community.	
10.45	Tea/Coffee	
11.15	Fr. Gregory, P.P. Leixlip & Confey: "The Church as the original cell"	
12.00	Adoration led by Deacon Noel Ryan, Ballinteer	
1.00pm	Lunch	
2.30	Canon Michael Hurley: "A Missionary Parish"	
3.15	Faith Story & Cell Experience: Ann & Peter Armstrong, Coleraine Cell Community.	
3.45	Break	
4.15	Bishop Paul Dempsey: "Discerning Hearts""Hopeful Hearts"	
5pm	Prayer of thanksgiving	
5.15	Break	
6pm	Mass	
7pm	Official Closing of seminar: Memento - Canon Michael and Seminar team.	
7.15	Finger food.	

# **Guest Speakers**

# **Bishop Paul Dempsey Auxiliary Bishop of Dublin**

**Bishop Paul** was born in Carlow in 1971. He was ordained priest in 1997 for service in the Diocese of Kildare and Leighlin. He served as curate in the parishes of Clane, Kildare Town and Naas. In 2014 he was appointed parish priest of Newbridge. On the 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020, Pope Francis appointed Fr. Paul as Bishop of Achonry Diocese in the West of Ireland, covering parts of Roscommon, Mayo and Sligo. With the reconfiguration of Dioceses in the West, Bishop Paul was appointed Auxiliary Bishop of Dublin on the 10<sup>th</sup> of April, 2024.

# **Ann and Peter Armstrong** (Cell Experience Northern Ireland)

Ann and Peter have been involved in the Cell Community in Coleraine parish for many years. Peter will share his unique Faith story and Ann will share how parish cells have impacted her faith life.

## **Canon Michael Hurley**

**Canon Michael** grew up in Bantry, Co. Cork. He has had seven very varied appointments as a priest in the Archdiocese of Dublin. He has been a regular speaker at Cell Seminars at national and international level. To quote Canon Michael:

"I know the difference God makes and am committed to people knowing His love for them. While I was parish priest in Leixlip (2002 -2011), many small communities formed among families and friends"

#### Fr. Gregory O'Brien – Leixlip & Confey Parishes

**Fr. Gregory** is from Marino and was ordained in Fairview in 1987. As a curate he served in such diverse parishes as Blanchardstown, Luton England, and Meadowbrook in Ballinteer. His first appointment as P.P. was Cabra followed by Willington and he currently serves as P.P. in the combined parishes of Leixlip and Confey. To quote Fr. Gregory "I find the priesthood, even in the present trying circumstances, a most fulfilling and beautiful life."