



## ***BISHOP'S NOTICES***

*To Congregations from the Bishop of Edinburgh*

**4 September 2009**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Rev John Penman has resigned as Rector of Christ Church Falkirk with effect from 1 October 2009.

### **FORTHCOMING ORDINATIONS**

Please remember in your thoughts and prayers Shona Boardman and Dr Elizabeth Koepping who are to be deaconed at St Mary's Cathedral, Edinburgh on Sunday 13 September at 3.30pm

### **THE WILLIAM DICK MEMORIAL LECTURE – 18 SEPTEMBER "Climate Change and Wilderness - Where Are We Headed?"**

You are invited to attend The William Dick Memorial Lecture on Friday 18th September 2009, 5:30pm - 6:30pm, Assembly Hall, New College, 1 Mound Place, Edinburgh EH1 2LU.

This year the William Dick Memorial Lecture will be given by Professor Richard Leakey, Chairman of Wildlife Direct and Professor of Anthropology at Stony Brook University, State University of New York. Professor Leakey is a noted paleoanthropologist and conservationist and a former Kenyan politician and Chairman of the Kenyan Wildlife Service. In the Lecture, Professor Leakey will put forward his views that growth in human populations and climate change could lead to extinctions and ecosystem damage unprecedented in modern times. Professor Leakey will examine whether we have strategies to change what appears to be inevitable at this point.

This event is FREE, however you must book to attend. Please use the details below to register.

To reserve your ticket please contact 0131 650 6134 or e-mail [tom.mortimer@ed.ac.uk](mailto:tom.mortimer@ed.ac.uk).

# RHYTHM IN DAILY LIFE: THE MONASTIC PATH



**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2009  
10.30 – 12.30**

**The Church of the Good Shepherd  
13a Murrayfield Avenue, Edinburgh**

Is your life too busy? Do you struggle with prayer?

You are invited to a conversation about how we can support one another in simple, prayerful, holy living, learning from the monastic tradition. Options under consideration are going on retreat to a Benedictine Abbey, studying the Rule of St Benedict together or meeting weekly/monthly for lectio divina. This is for those who attended the recent days with Esther de Waal in our diocese and for anyone who would like to learn more about the Benedictine Way.

**Admission Free**

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