

Arundel and Brighton Walking Pilgrimage

Friday April 17th to Sunday April 19th 2026 in Old, Northamptonshire

This year's Reunion will be based in the village of Old, Northamptonshire, and we will be based at **The Community Centre, Townson Close, Old, NN6 9RR**. We have sleeping accommodation in a nearby hall.

We welcome pilgrims who have joined us before, and also new pilgrims who would like to have a "taster" of what pilgrim life is like. All are welcome!

We will be walking from village to village, through Old, Scaldwell, Pitsford Reservoir, Holcot, Walgrave and back to Old. The walk will be approximately 10 miles.

An outline of the weekend is as follows:

- Friday 4pm onwards – arrive at the Community Centre.
- Friday evening – soup and a roll simple meal.
- Friday night – transfer to sleeping accommodation nearby (5 mins walk). Don't forget your pilgrim sleeping kit! Note: only your bedding is required, no need to bring plates, cutlery etc.
- Saturday morning – rise at 7am and return to the Community Centre for breakfast at 8am.
- Saturday morning – we will start walking at 9am, hopefully in sunshine! The walk is approximately 10 miles with prayer stops in each village.
- Saturday lunch – meal at a local pub in either Holcot or Walgrave (we will book this when numbers are confirmed). The cost of the lunch is not included in the Pilgrimage price.
- Saturday afternoon – return to the Community Centre.
- Saturday evening – optional mass at Market Harborough – note this is a 20 minute drive away. For those arriving by train we can arrange lifts.
- Saturday evening – meal at 7:30 followed by social time.
- Saturday night – return to the village hall to sleep.
- Sunday morning – breakfast at the Community Centre before departure. There is a mass in Market Harborough, Kettering or Northampton (Catholic Cathedral of Our Lady Immaculate and St Thomas of Canterbury). There are also opportunities in the villages for Anglican Worship.

Directions:

If you are coming by public transport, the nearest train station is Kettering, and Uber taxis are available. For anybody coming via Birmingham or the North, Northampton station is easier to get to, but further away from the village. We can arrange lifts if required.

If you are coming by car, the village is very small so you can't get lost! If you locate the White Horse pub then you are almost there! With the pub behind you and driving on the road towards Kettering, Townson Close is a small private road on the left hand side just a few yards away from the pub. There is limited parking so probably easier to find on-street parking in the village, then come and check-in at the Community Centre. We can then direct you to the Village Hall Car Park where you can leave your car overnight.

If you would like to join us please return the form by email (preferably) or post to

Julian Glover, Hamilton House, Walgrave Road, Old, Northampton, NN6 9QX, email walkingjules@gmail.com

Cheques made payable to Julian Glover, or Bank Transfer sort code 30-92-59, Account 00803362. Please use your name as the reference.

If you'd like further information please call 07443 479542

Name:

Address:

Telephone/Mobile:

Email:

Any special Dietary Requirements:

Lift required if travelling to Northampton: Y/N

(if Yes, please provide details of train arrival time)

I will be at the Reunion/Pilgrimage Taster for:

Option	Please tick which option
Friday Night/Saturday Breakfast and Walk: £15	
Friday Night/Saturday Breakfast/Walk/Evening Meal £25	
Saturday Walk/Evening Meal £15	
Saturday Walk/Saturday Night/Sunday Breakfast £25	
All Weekend £35	