



## Quaker conferences and events 2024



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## Experiencing Shakespeare

with John Lampen

**22-26 July**

Plays:

The Merry Wives of Windsor

As You Like It

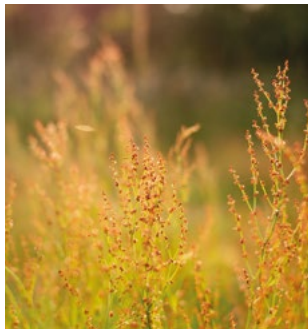
An opportunity to learn about and discuss the sunnier aspects of Shakespeare's art, and explore his investigations into what makes a good marriage.

We will see the Royal Shakespeare Company's current productions of *The Merry Wives of Windsor*, his one suburban comedy, and *As You Like It*, which will be staged in the open air.

Price for the week: £525.00 (deposit £ 262.50)

Includes accommodation, meals, refreshments, tickets to the plays and coach travel to and from the theatre.

Full course details and programme can be provided on request



## Gardening the soul - in Autumn

with Deb Arrowsmith

**23 October 10.00am-5.00pm**

This course explores what the autumn season teaches us about our spiritual journey, hosted in the beautiful and newly replanted gardens of Charney Manor.

Price for the course: £75.00 including lunch

Full course details and programme can be provided on request



## Gratefulness:

acknowledging the gifts that sustain us

with Alex Wildwood

**6-8 December**

Charney's annual winter retreat is a chance to slow down, be aware of the changing seasons and focus on gratitude for life's 'givens'.

Price for the course: £300.00 (deposit £150.00)

Full course details and programme can be provided on request

## Quaker Roots season



### George Fox

with Matt Rosen

**19 September 10.00am-5.00pm**

Explore how Fox's life and thought drew so many to the early Quaker cause.



### Isaac Penington

with Ruth Tod

**24 October 10.00am-5.00pm**

Discover more about this teacher, publisher and activist, remembered for the spiritual depth of his writings.



### William Penn

with Ann Floyd and Douglas Butterfield

**7 November 10.00am-5.00pm**

Learn about the first theologian, theorist, and legal defender of Quakerism and founder of Pennsylvania.

Price for each 'Roots' course: £75.00 including lunch (£165.00 for all three)

Bed and breakfast stays available for the the nights before and after:  
single room £75.00, twin or double £80.00. Includes continental breakfast.

Full course details and programme can be provided on request

## Useful info

### Booking

To check availability and to request the specific booking form, call us on 01235 868206, or visit our website. To secure a place, we ask for a non-refundable deposit and completed form.

For a provisional booking, please contact the office: the booking will be confirmed on receipt of your deposit and booking form.

### Payment

We accept credit cards, debit cards and bank transfers. Please contact the office to make a payment or ask for bank details.

### Contact

Finance and Office Administrator:  
Michelle Broadbent.

Please contact us for further information:  
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# Charney Manor

conference and retreat centre

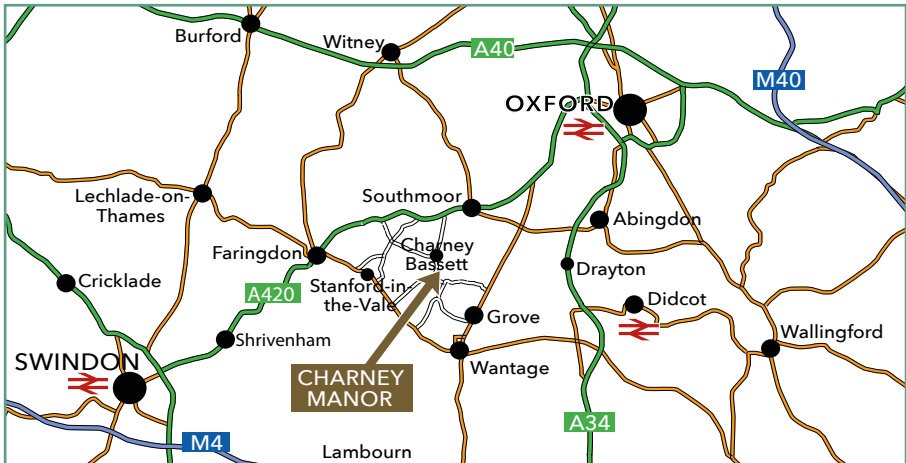
Charney Manor is used by a wide variety of organisations such as businesses, educators, charities and faith groups, who meet for conferences and training; by musicians, artists and writers, who seek a peaceful and inspiring place to work together; and by people involved in conflict resolution and international affairs, who need a quiet and private venue in which to talk.

To check rates and availability, please telephone or email

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Charney Manor is easily accessible by car from the M40 and the M4. It is 12 miles from Oxford and from Didcot railway stations. There are bus services from Oxford to Southmoor or Wantage. Taxis can be arranged to pick up from these destinations.

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