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The Community at Minster welcome all those who are truly seeking God. These contacts are always mutually enriching.

"True hospitality is marked by an open response to the dignity of each and every person."

Kathleen Norris Obl. OSB



Towards the end of his Rule, St Benedict teaches his sons and daughters to "Prefer nothing whatever to Christ". May you find peace and calm for reflection during your visit to Minster, knowing that you will be received as Christ, and may you come to the graced knowledge that nothing can separate you from the love of God in Christ Jesus; nothing!

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For Bookings and information

## Minster Abbey Guest House



"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. " Ot. 11:28

The Benedictine tradition of hospitality is at the heart of every community and at Minster Abbey welcoming others is one of our important works. Our monastery, indeed our way of live, would be incomplete without guests. The tradition of hospitality is as old as the monastic life itself and we are open to receive everyone, believers and non-believers alike; all those who are truly seeking God. All visitors and guests are welcome to join us in the Chapel for private prayer, the Divine Office, Adoration and Holy Mass. The Abbey gardens also create a prayerful, reflective environment, surrounded by the beauty of God's creation. A sister may be available for a chat, by arrangement with the Guest Sister.



We offer individual quiet days for non-residential guests.
We provide a room and tea and coffee making facilities.
Guests are requested to book in advance and to bring a packed lunch.





There are four distinct areas for guests in the guest house, two are upstairs and two are downstairs. This includes a twin room with disabled facilities. Let us know if you require this room when making a booking. Most of the rooms are ensuite.

The guest House has self-catering facilities. Each guest area has a separate kitchenette with a microwave, a small fridge, a toaster and a kettle.

We provide supplies for a simple breakfast and tea and coffee. There is a small supermarket, restaurants and takeaways in the village. The closest restaurant is the Bell Inn, just a 5 minute walk from the Abbey. A good selection of spiritual books is available for reflection during your time with us.



We have facilities that enable us to welcome day groups of up to 30 people, booked in advance. Tea and coffee are provided and guests are requested to bring a packed lunch.

We welcome the public to view the ancient monastic buildings and beautiful gardens during guided tours, Saturdays at 11 a.m. For groups, alternative dates and times can be arranged in advance. See our website for more details.