

TO: PAST AND FUTURE TRAVEL COMPANIONS

Imagine spending three days beside a quiet lake in a lovely Irish valley and four days on an island off the coast of Scotland. Add ancient cathedrals, high crosses and monastic ruins. Include evening worship amid those sacred ruins. Travel between these sites along rugged coastlines, highland mountains and English countryside. Then imagine experiencing all of this as a member of a community of modern day pilgrims. Welcome to our 2008 pilgrimage "in the footsteps of the Celtic Christian Church."

Celtic Christianity developed as a distinctive expression of the Christian faith, first in the British Isles and then within Ireland. We were introduced to this rich heritage in 1987. We have led four pilgrimage groups (in 1999, 2002, 2004 and 2006) to these sites and now we look forward to returning in 2008.

You are invited to join our pilgrimage by returning the registration form and the per person registration fee. The group is limited to 28 persons. We provide orientation and preparatory materials to all who register. Resources are already posted at Larry's web site, www.LeadershipInMinistry.com. Select the "Celtic Christian Pilgrimage" page from the index.

We look forward to sharing this life renewing journey with you. **Jean and Larry**

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RESERVATION FORM

(Enclose \$500 deposit per person, checks made out to "Jean Matthews".)

Number of persons ____ Amount enclosed \$ _____

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email address _____

Here is a Christian understanding
which is basic and universal,
the primal vision
which takes us into the heart
of earliest Christendom,
and which speaks to
that primal vision
within all of us.

Esther de Waal

Tourists can pass through places
without the places' necessarily
passing through them.
They return to the point of departure
pretty much the same people
they were to begin with.

The whole purpose of a pilgrimage is
to reach another destination
altogether -
to become a different person.

**IN THE FOOTSTEPS
Of THE
CELTIC CHRISTIAN
CHURCH**

A 16 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO
WALES, IRELAND,
SCOTLAND AND ENGLAND
June 20 - July 5, 2008

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