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**Thursday 3 April 18.30 Hard Cases Don't Make Good Law.** A webinar on the Terminally III Adults (End of Life) Bill, chaired by Baroness Hollins, President of the Catholic Union, it offers the chance to unpick the Bill guided by three experts: Dr Matthew Doré; Dr Philip Howard and Professor Julian Hughes. Contact: <a href="mailto:info@catholicunion.org.uk">info@catholicunion.org.uk</a>

21st May - 25<sup>th</sup> June 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM BST School for Synodality Online Bookclub - Reading the Final Synod Document Together. Each week Avril Baigent and invited speakers take sections of the Final Synod Document and unpack it, with time for questions afterwards.

- 21st May Part 1: *The Heart of Synodality* understanding the theological roots of what we are about with Jos Moons SJ
- 28th May Part 2: *The Conversion of Relationships* Mission and Ministry in a Changing World with Prof Anna Rowlands
- . Find out more <a href="here">here</a>. https://www.schoolforsynodality.org.uk/events/final-document-bookclub2025

**July 19<sup>th</sup> Saturday 11-4pm . Women of Hope** A day of Celebration and Hope organised by Northampton Diocese at St Mary's, Woburn Sands. Open to all. Free tickets can be booked at <a href="www.tickettailor.com/events/northamptondiocese">www.tickettailor.com/events/northamptondiocese</a>

The last NBCW event in our diocese was 2019 in when 70 women attended a day with Bishop Richard. If anyone would like a day for the women of the diocese in this Jubilee year of Hope, do let me know. **If you want it, we can do it.** 

**Assisted Suicide -Protecting Victims of Domestic Abuse:** An Article that Nikki Dhillon Keane - of Safe in Faith and the convenor of the VAWG Committee - wrote for the Bishops' Conference on assisted dying and the threat it poses to women in abusive situations: <a href="https://www.cbcew.org.uk/assisted-suicide-protecting-victims-of-domestic-abuse/">https://www.cbcew.org.uk/assisted-suicide-protecting-victims-of-domestic-abuse/</a>

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The strength to persevere, the courage to speak out, the faith to believe.' Sr Joan Chittister OSB