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*'Gathered and Scattered'*

**Emerging  
Together  
In Community**



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***How can we live well together?***

***What nourishes us?***

***What new patterns are emerging?***

***How do we sustain our intentional Community?***

We ask these questions in the context of our beautiful world where democracy is eroded by despotic power-hungry leadership; where the natural world is under strain on an unimaginable scale; where war continues to displace communities and families; where political discourse in the UK and Europe takes us to questions of belonging and integration; and where people are locked into poverty, anxiety and isolation. We together can offer a response from a place of compassion and faith rooted in a rhythm of reflection and action.

Our Rule of Life reminds us that we begin with inner accountability in order to augment our collective voice seeking outward accountability and justice.



The month will offer a pattern following three streams:

## CONTEMPLATION

Whether *'gathered or scattered'*, taking the time we need to reflect, to heal, to pray.

In addition to our three streams, join us for special external events :

**RADICAL WELCOME  
X 4 SESSIONS**

**DENIS DUNCAN  
Lecture**

## COURAGE

Taking the actions we can to build a better world; finding the resources we need.

## COMPASSION

Celebrating our gathered community through sharing our stories, music, fun and a ceilidh!

Members only sessions marked (M)  
Youth only sessions marked (Y)  
All other sessions open to our  
wider global movement.  
All events are free.  
No need to sign up.  
Links will be sent each  
preceding week.

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More information and a detailed programme at <https://iona.org.uk/category/events/>