Rays of hope from the BCYS this National Youth Sunday

- **Live-streamed Masses** and liturgies reaching thousands of people.
- **The 18-hour challenge** raised over £7,750 for the BCYS and CAFOD.
- **Lourdes in Your Living Room**, our virtual Diocesan Summer Pilgrimage, streamed on YouTube for shielding & vulnerable pilgrims as well as young people. One commented: ***"If it has the impact on just 5 people that it had on me, then job well done."***
- **Walsingham House** served as a refuge for those fleeing domestic abuse, in conjuction with South Essex Councils. One of our guests told us ***"I have been able to relax for the first time in 4 years."***

Re-inventing our retreat programmes to make them Covid-safe

- Year 6 leavers' retreats in the summer term
- Year 7 retreats in the autumn term
- All run in schools, ensuring the highest health & safety standards for our team and students

"It was the best retreat ever... to inspire and encourage respect, appreciation and empathy- centred on prayer."
- School Chaplain

Cancellation of most of our 2020 bookings has cost us approx. £25,000 in income, and continued restrictions to gatherings will continue to affect our income.

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