

Refugee Week

17-23 June 2019

You, me and those who came before



Monday 17 June – 7:30pm (FREE)
Allhallowgate Methodist Church Hall

MOVIE NIGHT

Because last year's movie event was so popular!

Full-length film entitled *The Merger* (2017)

When a former Aussie-rules footballer takes over coaching the struggling local team, his idea to recruit refugees takes the community on a journey of change.

Thought-provoking comedy, Australia, 103 minutes.

Mild language warning.

All week (17-25 June)
Ripon Library

PUBLIC DISPLAY

Pop in and see what Ripon City of Sanctuary is doing around campaigning, public awareness and support for refugees and asylum-seekers.

Tuesday 18 June – 7:00-9:30pm
Truth and Justice Chapel, Ripon Cathedral

CATHEDRAL VIGIL

Opportunities for quiet personal contemplation or even prayer, remembering those who have had to flee and those who died trying. Reflect independently or with the help of our visual aids.

Thursday 20 June – 10:00am-3:00pm
Ripon Market Square

REFUGEE WEEK STALL

Awareness and myth-busting. Stop by our stall and chat to us about our work and refugee issues.

Thursday 20 June – 7:30pm (£5)
Thorpe Prebend House, Ripon

POEMS OF AN ARAB REFUGEE

Dr Ahmed Khaleel arrived in York as a refugee in 2010 following threats to his life and beatings in Iraq. He now teaches at York University. He'll read from his poems and talk about how Arab poets are responding to the 'Arab Spring' and their disappointed hopes of change.

In partnership with Ripon Poetry Festival and The Little Ripon Bookshop.



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