

## Module S10 St Thérèse as Revealed in Her Letters

Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus is probably the best known of all Carmelite saints. Much has been written about her, while in her Autobiography we hear her own description of her journey of faith and love.

This module gives a new insight into Thérèse, mainly through her correspondence, using the letters written by her that have been preserved, as well as some letters that were written to or about her. Letters provide a unique insight into the mind of their writer, as they are more spontaneous than an autobiography or other writings that have been planned and prepared.

**Units 1-4** focus on Thérèse's childhood and adolescence, from early infancy until the Pilgrimage to Rome and last months of preparation for entering Carmel.

**Units 5-8** look at Thérèse's entrance into Carmel and her formative years.

**Units 9-12** study in more depth Thérèse's spirituality and growth in holiness.

**Units 13-16** focus on her final illness and the sufferings and graces that preceded her death.



This module is available to study on the following programmes:

- Diploma in Spirituality (Carmelite Studies)
- B.Th. (Carmelite Studies)