

# *A Life Examined*

## *Blessed Chiara Luce Badano*

Socrates:

*"The unexamined life is  
not worth living"*

**What does holiness mean ?  
Is it relevant to the twenty-first century ?  
Does Chiara Luce's life have something  
to say to us today ?**

Pope Benedict XVI on Chiara Luce:

*"Her last two years were full of suffering (...)  
but always with a light that radiated from  
within... from a heart full of God."*

**SUNDAY 29 JUNE 2014,  
2-5 pm**

... a unique opportunity to encounter Chiara Luce through her parents, **Ruggero and Maria Teresa Badano**, and friends Chicca and Franz who are visiting the UK as guest speakers at this year's Bright Lights Youth Festival\*. It will be an unforgettable, inspiring afternoon!

**All are welcome!**

**Venue: AMIGO HALL**, Lambeth Road, SE1 7HY  
(next to St George's Cathedral)

Cost: Donation

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“I have rediscovered the Gospel in a new light. I understood that I was not a real Christian because I was not living it fully. Now I want to make this wonderful book the only goal of my life. I do not want to be and cannot remain illiterate before such an extraordinary message. Just as it was easy for me to learn the alphabet, so it should also be to live the Gospel.”

“Young people are the future. I cannot run anymore, but I would like to pass the torch on just like at the Olympic Games. Young people have only one life to live and it is worth spending it well.”



“If I didn't feel this strong unity that binds us together, I wouldn't be able to go on”

“I do not have anything left, but I still have my heart, and with that I can always love.”