



A unique opportunity for Christians to participate in an inspiring week of worship, teaching and training

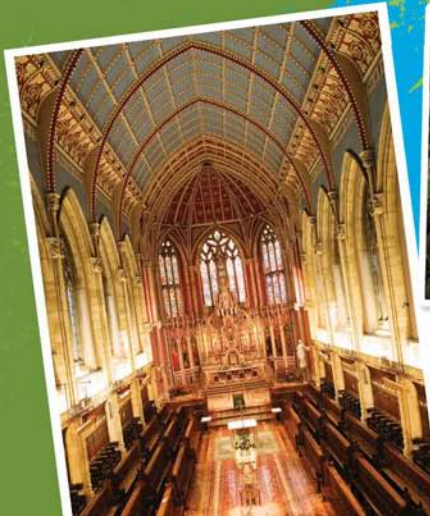


Durham Open Summer School

Changing for Good

God's Spirit Transforming People and Communities

12th to 16th July 2010
Ushaw College, Durham



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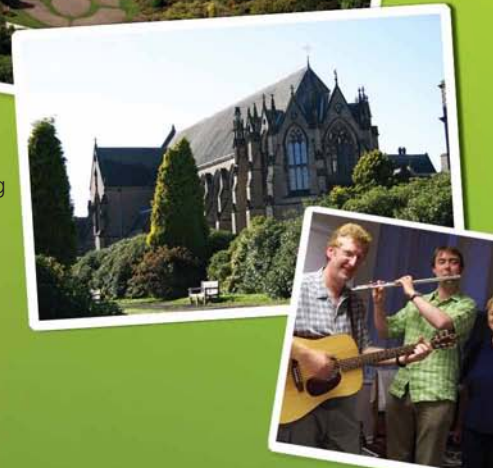
DURHAM OPEN SUMMER SCHOOL

The Durham Open Summer School is something of a legend already. It brings together Christians of different denominations with some of the leading Christian speakers, writers and leaders nationally, as well as in the North East. It is open to anyone and there are lots of different ways of taking part in the week-long event.

This year, our fourth summer school will focus on the theme 'Changing for Good' and will examine how God's Spirit is at work transforming the world, the church and human community and at the same time explore what makes a church a transforming community. There is an array of inspiring speakers and there will be a wide variety of creative workshops and seminars – something for everyone at whatever stage of the Christian journey.

Ushaw College

Our venue is Ushaw College in Durham which rests undisturbed within 30 acres of traditional Durham countryside, offering a sense of space and tranquility in which to relax. The Conference Centre is well established and resourced and has excellent rooms with en-suite facilities.



Speakers & Leaders (correct at time of going to press)



Revd Steve Chalke MBE

Baptist minister and founder of Oasis Trust, Faithworks, Stop the Traffik and Church.co.uk. Steve is a regular presenter and contributor to TV and radio and has written numerous books and articles. In 2004 he was awarded an MBE for his services to social inclusion.



Revd Dr Martyn Atkins

General Secretary of the Methodist Church and former President of the Methodist Conference and Principal of Cliff College.



Deacon Eunice Attwood

Part of a team ministry at Brunswick Methodist Church Newcastle, part-time diaconal tutor at the Wesley Study Centre and Vice President of the Methodist Conference 2010-2011.



Revd Dr David Wilkinson

Principal of St John's College, Durham University. He is a member of the Committee of World Methodist Evangelism and a Council Member of the Evangelical Alliance. He is the author of a number of books.



Special Features

Day Guests

Evening Dossing!

This year, one of the highlights of the summer school will be its evening worship events at which our keynote speakers will preach and share their vision for the church. So if you can't share in the whole week, join us in the evening and participate in one or more of these high quality events. Why not bring a car load* or even book for every night. You will not be disappointed!

You can also join the summer school on a daily basis. A typical day will include worship, keynote addresses, groups for reflection and discussion, seminars, workshops, a bible study and the big worship event in the evening. Day guests will be provided with lunch, tea/coffee and an evening meal.

***Special rates available** for groups of 4 or more for both the day and evening sessions. There is also an early bird discount for the conference if you book before 1st December 2009!

Wood Carving & Sculpture

We are delighted that the Revd Paul Lucas will be the artist in residence this year. He is widely renowned for his wood sculpture Christian artwork. Paul will run workshops and demonstrations throughout the week exploring spirituality and creativity.



Jane Kitson

Singer/songwriter based in Gateshead. She is a former Secondary School teacher and now divides her time between worship leading, writing, performing and tutoring.



Revd Dr Roger Walton

Director of the Wesley Study Centre and originator of the Durham Open Summer School. His new book *The Reflective Disciple* picks up the themes of living faithfully in God's world today.



Revd Canon Anne Dyer

Warden of Cranmer Hall, Durham University. Her research interests include the interface between theology and art from Europe and the United States.



Revd Dr Richard Briggs

Director of Biblical Studies and Hermeneutics at Cranmer Hall, Durham University. He has written widely on biblical interpretation, including *The Virtuous Reader* and is currently writing a theological commentary on the book of Numbers.

Booking Form One Booking Form Per Person

Please complete either part A or part B

A FULL CONFERENCE FROM LUNCH MON 12 noon – FRI am
(4 nights and meals - including breakfast and worship service on Friday morning)

Please tick your requirements

EITHER Single en suite room

- £450 full conference fee
 £425 early bird fee, if booked before 1st Dec 2009

OR Twin en suite room, sharing with _____

- £400 per person full fee
 £375 per person early bird fee if booked before 1st Dec 2009

ALSO Transport required from/to railway/bus station

B SESSIONS AS FOLLOWS
*(Full Day and Evening Sessions:
contact us for party rates for 4 or more)*

Please tick in the box of the sessions you wish to attend and complete costs below

SESSIONS	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs
Half Day (1.15pm-9.30pm inc evening meal)	£55	N/A	N/A	N/A
Full Day (9.00am-9.30pm inc both meals)	N/A	£90	£90	£90
Evening Session (7.30pm-9.30pm)	£10	£10	£10	£10
Evening Meal (6.30pm)	£15	£15	£15	£15
Bed and Breakfast	£45	£45	£45	£45
Cost per day	£	£	£	£
Total cost				£

Your Details

Title: _____ Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

Fax No: _____

Church name: _____

Church Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Dietary requirements (If applicable)

Special needs e.g. wheelchair access

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please send a cheque for the full amount with this form payable to 'The Wesley Study Centre'.

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Cancellation before 12th June 2010 will incur an administration cost of £25. No refund after 12th June 2010.