

Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education

Clergy Training 2017-2018

Collective Worship in Church of England Schools and Academies

11 December 2017 – College Hall, Lichfield, 10am-3pm

Learn more about how to lead collective worship in our Church of England schools and academies. Explore 'Seeing Worship Anew' with Dr Alison Brown and discover how to involve your church and community in whole school worship. There will be an opportunity to take part in workshops during the afternoon session and ask questions to our speakers.

Keynote speaker: Dr Alison Brown

Deputy Director of Education & Schools Adviser for the Diocese of Derby



Alison has worked for the Diocese of Derby for the past 14 years. This is a post she has thoroughly enjoyed. Before that she was a primary school teacher for eleven years in three different schools. In 2016 she was awarded a doctorate in education with a focus on collective worship. Collective worship has been of great interest to Alison since she first started teaching. The rest of her life is a rich mixture of friends and family, walking, gardening and singing in a town chamber choir.

Chaplaincy in Schools

5 February 2018 – Rising Brook Baptist Church, Stafford, 10am-3pm

Join us for a day in which you can hear from three serving chaplains about their experiences as chaplains. Join in questions and answer session and a discussion about the role in a changing educational climate.

Keynote speaker: Nigel Roberts

YFC Centre Director & National Educational Adviser



Nigel was educated at Nottingham University where he studied law. He gained a postgraduate diploma in Business Studies before embarking on a career in the mines and quarry industry where he specialised in environmental and planning issues. After ten years, he felt called into youth ministry and has worked with YFC as a centre director and national educational adviser for over 25 years. He also works in education and for the last ten years has been involved in performing arts and extended schools. Nigel has contributed toward The Centre for Chaplaincy with Children and Young People at St John's, Nottingham, alongside the work of MCYM staff members, Paul Nash in paediatric chaplaincy and the EA Education Group. Nigel has co-written a number of books including, 'Chaplaincy with Children and Young People', the 'Explore' series and 'Express Community through Schools.' Nigel is a regular contributor to various magazines on education.



Come follow Christ in the footsteps of St Chad

The New SIAMS Framework

2nd July 2018 – Holy Trinity Academy, Telford, 10am-3pm

This is an opportunity to learn about the new SIAMS Inspection Framework from our own Diocesan SIAMS Manager, Rev Huw Bishop. Explore the difference between the old and new framework and learn how the new SIAMS framework relates to the 'Church of England Vision for Education: 'Deeply Christian, Serving the Common Good.' Develop an understanding of how you can support your Church Schools to monitor and evaluate the provision, vision and impact.

Keynote speaker: Rev Huw Bishop

Assistant to the Director and a Diocesan Improvement Adviser



Huw has extensive experience of leadership having been Principal and Executive Principal of three successful Church of England Secondary Schools. Huw is the SIAMS Manager for our Diocese and is also an OFSTED Inspector.