LEARNING TO NOURISH THE HUMAN SPIRIT

Course & Events Programme | Summer 2019 to Winter 2020
It is a great pleasure to welcome you to our learning offer for 2019 and 2020. Thank you for your interest in Sarum and we hope that there is something in the pages that follow that will excite (and ultimately) bring you into our community of learning.

On my morning walk into the Cathedral Close I have the opportunity to enjoy the river, Elizabeth Gardens and then the emerging splendour of the Cathedral. I always walk whatever the weather or season. Sometimes it feels bleak and cold. Often the rising sun casts a light that is awesome in its glory and wonder. It is simple delight to watch nature change and grow. Over the winter and spring the four oak trees in the Close have slowly emerged into new life. And as I write in May they are aburst with green leaves and flowers. It is good to be alive – there is so much in life to attend to and discover.

There are some parallels here for our life at Sarum.

First, we want to draw people into the community at all stages of their journey. An enriching concert or art exhibition. Getting to know an author behind a book. Thinking about the world we live in and wondering what spiritual wisdom looks like in theory and practice. Discovering a great thinker and learning with a teacher who has absorbed the legacy of their writings. Embarking on some postgraduate study or a course that might prepare us for new work.

Second, we want to so organise this learning that you are enriched and enlightened and nourished for your journey whatever the weather. Learning in community with a variety of people brings us to life like those oak trees in the spring. We want to support you by nourishing your human spirit. This is both an inward journey of attention and reflection but also an outward journey of discovery. Looking beyond ourselves into new horizons is exciting.

We hope that browsing these pages will lead you to the College’s doors and I look forward to seeing you in the year ahead. If you feel there is something missing in these pages or if it would help to talk about something in these pages, then please get in touch. Do pass the brochure on to others, and remember that as the year goes on, courses and events are updated via our online newsletter. There’s a link at the bottom of the website Home page, sarum.ac.uk.

The Revd Canon Professor James Woodward, Principal of Sarum College
Salisbury has always been an important centre for theological training, beginning with St Osmund and the completion of the first cathedral at Old Sarum in 1092. When work started on the new cathedral in 1220, several colleges were established as well as a medieval school of theology on the site of 19 The Close.

People speak of an immediate sense of change as they come through the High Street gate, from the bustling medieval shopping centre to an altogether different kind of space. For nearly 800 years, day after day, bread is broken, psalms are sung, prayers are said, and just possibly tourists become pilgrims.

In the North East corner of The Close stands a cluster of buildings now known as Sarum College. The original 17th century elegant house, inspired by Christopher Wren, was later extended and adapted to accommodate theological students.

What does it mean that people from all walks of life have prayed morning and evening in the small upstairs chapel? What might the effect be that students have sat in the library and still do and grapple with ideas beyond their understanding and have fallen asleep on books late at night? Can the walls absorb something of the loss of belief and recovery of faith and the endless sense of sacrifice and calling?

In 1995 Sarum College was reborn as an ecumenical centre for theological study. Twenty years on, we describe our vision as learning to nourish the human spirit. This vision thrives on energy from all those who gather here for so many different reasons: to take a break from ministry to read and pray, and think; to engage in serious postgraduate study; to attend day programmes; to retreat or learn about spiritual direction; to attend conferences or to see the art on display. People from all over the world with diverse experiences meet one another at breakfast, find themselves in conversation over lunch, and those who return again and again speak of ‘coming home’.

Ecumenism and Worship

Through study, research and teaching, we encourage constructive engagement with historic church traditions and with emerging and new expressions of Christian community and faith. The ecumenical challenge is in understanding and valuing differences for a deeper sense of our own gifts and traditions.

In building bridges of friendship and respect we may discover our own faith is enhanced rather than diminished.

Daily prayers are held at 12.45pm. An Eucharist service is celebrated each month using the orders of the different Christian traditions represented at Sarum College.

An Orthodox liturgy is celebrated several times a year.

All services are held in the Butterfield Chapel and are open to staff, students, guests and visitors.
Stay
Excellent cultural venues within and just beyond the Close, with restaurants and pubs an easy stroll away. Return with your own Close gate key, where you are among the privileged few to stay in what Bill Bryson called England’s ‘most beautiful space’.

Learn
Study for its own sake or to train for ministry or to take your life in a new direction. Short and long courses, and blended approaches to teaching all shape our flexible learning programmes.

Meet
Comprehensive facilities for groups large and small, including a Common Room and bar. Attentive hospitality in an atmosphere steeped in theology gives a sense that it is possible to think differently in this place.

Eat
The unbroken tradition of communal eating at 19 The Close began more than 150 years ago. Now staff and all those here for courses, conferences, retreats or tourism gather for freshly prepared meals in the dining room.

Worship
People from all walks of life have prayed morning and evening in Butterfield Chapel. Regular services use the orders of different Christian traditions and an Orthodox Liturgy is celebrated several times a year.

Relax and Reflect
Space and as much or as little structure as you wish. If you seek guidance, there are spiritual directors, reflective practice specialists as well as a small community of Benedictine monks in the Priory next door.

WHAT WE OFFER

Get Involved
Sarum’s vision of openness, learning and hospitality thrives on the varied contributions of our community. Share the passion for learning to nourish the spirit by enrolling on a course, becoming a volunteer or joining the Friends of Sarum College.

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Stay at Sarum

Sarum College is only a few yards from the magnificent Salisbury Cathedral. Thousands of people stay throughout the year for courses, sabbaticals, retreats, conferences and as a base to visit the area. Many bedrooms have lovely Cathedral or Close rooftop views.

There is a discounted education rate for those on courses, which includes the night before and/or after.

Please contact our hospitality staff for B&B availability and pricing.

+44 (0)1722 424800
hospitality@sarum.ac.uk

Catering

Richard Amey and his catering team prepare fresh food for all occasions: working breakfasts and lunches, finger buffets, drinks and canapés receptions, Christmas meals and formal dinners with several courses.

Choose from pre-set menus or contact us to discuss your requirements and tailor your own menu.

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Conferences & Meetings

With Grade 1 Listed buildings set in this remarkable 80-acre Cathedral Close, Sarum is a unique and distinguished location for meetings, conferences, events and functions.

There are 40 en-suite bedrooms and six meeting rooms, the largest of which accommodates up to 90 people. Wi-Fi is available throughout the building and we can supply digital projectors, audio equipment, laptops and flipcharts. On-site parking is limited but usually can be arranged.

We offer discounted rates for education and charity groups. Please discuss your needs with our hospitality team.

What an amazing find. This accommodation is right within the historic Salisbury Cathedral Close. I found it a wonderfully friendly place to stay.
Bookshop

Visit the shop to browse a wide range of titles on theology, spirituality, ministry, worship resources, a good selection of children’s books and a full selection of Bibles.

There also is an excellent second-hand book basement and a growing fiction and poetry collection.

We offer mail order service and are happy to search for books on any subject, including out-of-print titles.

The shop stocks clerical shirts and collars, candles and other church supplies. You will also find book tokens, Fairtrade goods, greeting cards and gifts.

Those on courses may order from the reading list to receive books by post or to collect upon arrival. Sarum students and clergy receive a discount on full-priced books.

The shop’s monthly newsletter gives details about author events held throughout the year. To join the mailing list, browse titles and read reviews visit sarum.ac.uk/bookshop.

Library

Founded in 1860, the library has developed an outstanding academic theological collection of more than 40,000 books.

One of the largest theological libraries in Southern England, the stock covers all denominations and is continuously updated. The collection is particularly strong in the areas of Christian spirituality, ethics, the Bible, liturgy and Christian leadership.

The library offers reading rights, borrowing rights and an enquiry service to students and external members worldwide. Books can also be supplied by post.

The catalogue is available online at sarum.ac.uk/library where you will also find details of the latest books and useful websites. Library users have access to study space, PCs and Wi-Fi.

Residential scholars may wish to use the library for an extended period. Residential and day visitors may book meals and are welcome to use the Common Room where there are two national daily newspapers for guest use.

Thank you Sarum College Bookshop. Absolutely the best service. Highly recommended for a bookshop that will go the extra mile.

Thank you and all the library staff for your continuing help and support (and calming influence).
Sarum Centres of learning offer courses, consultancy, conferences and research opportunities to suit different styles of living and learning. See pages 12 to 67 for details.

Course formats across the Centres include evening lectures, day and residential courses – all at varying levels, from academic to experiential, intensive to leisurely.

Undergraduate Certificate, Diploma and BA, and Postgraduate Certificate, Diploma and MA programmes in Theology, Ministry and Mission from the Centre for Formation in Ministry are validated by Durham University.

Ministry courses are a mix of Saturday teaching days and guided online learning. Students not training for ministry may study for personal development or for an academic qualification alongside ordained and licensed lay ministry candidates.

Programmes validated by the University of Winchester can lead to a Postgraduate Certificate, Diploma and MA. These postgraduate programmes begin with one or two core modules followed by a variety of optional modules from which to choose. Programmes share modules for greater breadth of study.

The modules are taught in four-day residential intensives throughout the year, making the programmes accessible to those based throughout the UK and EU.

This learning pattern blends class and social time, guided and home study making it flexible enough for many students to manage personal and professional commitments alongside courses.

The communal environment at Sarum is ideal for learning which can form part of a wider life journey.

Further Research
To enquire about conducting research at DTh, MPhil and PhD level please contact the Academic Dean, Dr James Steven.

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jsteven@sarum.ac.uk

Special Offer
Book five days worth of courses by 15 December 2019 and get an additional one-day course for free.

Terms:
Bookings must all be made at the same time and by the same person for courses in the current brochure. The promotion applies to course days rather than courses. Therefore, if you register for a two-day course and a three-day course, you will be eligible for a free one-day course. Bookings for a five-day course or five one-day courses also eligible for a free one-day course.

This promotion does not apply to concession early-bird rates or in conjunction with diocesan bookings.

Price Information
Most day courses (normally 10am to 4pm) are priced at £70 for the standard rate (marked S). An early-bird price of £60 applies when the course is booked at least one calendar month before the start date (marked E). A concession early-bird price of £50 (marked C) is available to those who:

- are studying or have studied on one of Sarum College’s postgraduate courses validated by the University of Winchester;
- are training or have trained for ministry at Sarum College or previous organisations at 19 The Close, Salisbury;
- are aged 25 or under, are on low incomes or receive government benefits.

Courses which run over more than one day have a residential price (marked R throughout the brochure) and non-residential price (marked N throughout the brochure).

Day course prices include lunch and refreshments unless otherwise stated. Residential prices include all meals and refreshments.

Contact Details
Ministry Programmes and Winchester MA Programmes
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Alex Weir (Mon-Fri) +44 (0)1722 424827 aweir@sarum.ac.uk

Non-accredited Short Courses and General Enquiries
Alison Ogden (Mon-Thurs) +44 (0)1722 424826 aogden@sarum.ac.uk

Reception
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The Bible continues to have profound religious and cultural influence today, and biblical literacy is a valuable skill in both sacred and secular contexts. This Centre is open to anyone who seeks opportunities to read, explore, discuss, and interpret sacred texts with a view to having a greater understanding of their relevance, limitations, power, and responsible use in our contemporary world.

Jayme Reaves is the Centre Coordinator and also Coordinator for the Short Course programme at Sarum College. She is a public theologian, with a specialist interest in making the Bible, theology, and theological methods more accessible to the public and helping congregations and communities reflect on the public impact of their theology. She is also an Honorary Fellow at the Queen’s Foundation for Ecumenical Theological Education.

Sarum’s core academic staff shape the College’s educational programmes and select guest lecturers for their expertise in relevant subjects to achieve an exceptionally high standard of specialist teaching and learning.

Biblical Study Breaks
These courses offer an intensive immersion in a Biblical theme, book, or genre-led by innovative scholars who bring fresh insight and perspectives to the study of the text. See page 38 for details of forthcoming study breaks.

Reading Scripture Together
This conversational one-day course series will re-read selected sacred texts in detail and consider the ways they have been interpreted, both in the written word and in art, and on their relevance and meaning to us today. See page 49 for full details.

Exploring Theology: Living with the Bible and Belief
Sarum College’s flagship Exploring Theology programme is for anyone who wishes to deepen their knowledge of and relationship with the Bible and Christian teachings. See page 28 for full details.

Bespoke Training Programmes in Biblical Studies
Biblical study days and conferences by request; these have included deanery and diocesan days and conferences as well as church and organisational learning programmes.

Academic Staff
Jayme Reaves is the Centre Coordinator and Coordinator for Short Courses.
Paul Burden is the Coordinator for the Centre for Formation in Ministry and Director of Contextual Learning.
Julia Mourant is Lecturer in Spiritual Direction and Tutor and Lecturer in the Centre for Formation and Ministry.
Karen O’Donnell is Coordinator for the Centre for Contemporary Spirituality.
Barnabas Palfrey is Programme Leader for the Exploring Theology course and Lecturer in the Centre for Contemporary Spirituality.
James Steven is Academic Dean and Coordinator for the Centre for Liturgy and Worship.

Associate Lecturers
Loveday Alexander is Emeritus Professor of Biblical Studies at the University of Sheffield, and Emeritus Canon Theologian at Chester Cathedral.
Jon Riding has led a ground-breaking research team with the Bible Society for more than 30 years and has worked with Bible translators all over the world.
Sad Tovmend is a storyteller who uses traditional stories to bring people together to celebrate our differences and shared humanity.
Padraig Ó Tuama is a poet and a theologian from Ireland and former leader of the Corrymeela Community.
Meredith Warren is the Director of the Sheffield Institute for Interdisciplinary Biblical Studies.

Shoshana Boyd Gelfand is a rabbi, lecturer and public speaker on faith, identity and leadership. She is a board member of the International Jewish Committee for Interreligious Consultations.
Helen Paynter is a Baptist Minister and the Director of Bristol Baptist College’s Centre for the Study of Bible and Violence.

“Jon's approachable style made the course a joy. As he promised, we learned without feeling we were doing so. I think we were all amazed by how much progress we made in such a short time.”
An Introduction to Biblical Hebrew, August 2018

B&B Discount
There is a special rate for B&B before and after a course, so why not take the opportunity to relax and explore the city? See page 74 for details.
Sarum Centre for Formation in Ministry

This Centre offers training for ordination and licensed lay ministry. In addition we offer learning opportunities and resources for professional, vocational and personal development. These provide opportunities for students and ministers to deepen theological reflection, grow in understanding and develop new skills.

Paul Burden is the Centre Coordinator and Director of Contextual Learning. He brings long parish experience to his particular interests in homiletics, mission and leadership. Paul is the Centre Coordinator and Director of Contextual Learning.

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Learning Opportunities Within the Centre

Bespoke Training Programmes

A number of our accredited pathways can be tailored to suit the requirements of lay students and those looking for continuing ministerial development. The core ministry body is from the Church of England, a community enriched by students from other denominations who join the course as part of their ministry training.

We also can run bespoke day courses in aspects of ministry in collaboration with Diocesan and Denominational clients.

Short Courses

Our programme of one-day courses is aimed at all those in different forms of ministry and those who support it, and covers topics including mission, preaching, pastoral and leadership.

Rural Ministry

The Rural Ministry Pathway weaves the knowledge needed for rural ministry into standard modules, enabling issues specific to rural multi-church contexts to be developed throughout formation. The pathway is overseen by Canon Dr Jill Hopkinson, a rural church specialist and formerly the Church of England’s National Rural Officer.

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A series of day courses exploring different aspects of mission and ministry in rural communities. See page 31 for full details.

Formation

The Centre’s blended learning pattern (personal learning, learning in context and learning in community) integrates in-depth theological teaching and reflection with reflective practice in a church context. These courses, validated by Durham University, can be studied on a full or part-time basis, mostly over two or three years. These may lead to a Certificate or Diploma in Higher Education for those new to theological study, or a BA Hons or MA for those with previous qualifications. The Centre also offers ordination and lay candidates training tailored to the particular challenges and opportunities for ministry in different rural contexts. This course benefits from the strengths of the blended learning approach and from the wider training community.

Postgraduate Study

The Centre offers postgraduate programmes validated by Durham University, including a Graduate Diploma, Postgraduate Diploma, and an MA degree. These programmes have been approved for ordination training, but are also suitable for continuing ministerial development and for lay students.

Ordinands on the MA pathway are fully integrated into the wider student cohort.

Academic Staff

Paul Burden is the Centre Coordinator and Director of Contextual Learning.

Beth Dodd is Director of Studies for the Centre for Formation in Ministry and Associate Coordinator of the Centre for Theology, Imagination and Culture.

Colin Greene is Coordinator for the Centre for Theology, Imagination and Culture.

Jill Hopkinson is Rural Ministry Tutor for the Centre for Formation in Ministry. She previously was the National Rural Officer for the Church of England.

Julia Mourant is Tutor and Lecturer in the Centre for Formation and Ministry. She is also Lecturer in Spiritual Direction.

Barnabas Palfrey is Programme Leader for the Exploring Theology course and Lecturer in the Centre for Contemporary Spirituality.

Ann Philp is Chaplain to the Ministry Body.

James Woodward is Principal of Sarum College and Coordinator of the Centre for Human Flourishing.

Sonia Woolley is an actor and a voice tutor.

Course Price Key

Day Courses

S Standard

E Early bird

N Concession

R Residential

See page 11 for full details of prices.
We live in a time characterised by change, innovation, choice, freedom and diversity. This Centre offers courses and events to inspire fresh thinking and shift practice as we reflect on how we live together and what wellbeing and the common good mean.

James Woodward is Centre Coordinator and Principal of Sarum College. As a practical theologian he has focussed particularly on areas of health and healing, old age, the practice of theological reflection, and end of life care.

Christine Nielsen-Craig is Associate Coordinator, and Director of Marketing and Development at Sarum College.

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Learning Opportunities Within the Centre

Day, Evening and Weekend Courses
Opportunities to explore wholeness and the values which empower us to flourish, especially as they relate to issues such as health, disability, sexuality, age and love, the latter particularly as expressed at the end of life. The Centre’s short course programme offers an expansive idea of what is possible through visual arts, music, poetry and story.

Lunchtime Concerts
Once-monthly Friday concerts are held in the College’s Butterfield Chapel from October to March. See page 32 for full details.

Visiting Scholars

Christina Beardsley is a Church of England priest and advocate for trans inclusion in the church. She lectures and writes on chaplaincy, spirituality, gender and Victorian religion.

Sophie Hacker has artwork in public and private collections in the UK and abroad. Her current projects focus on stained glass, collaborations with musicians and poets and ecclesiastical commissions.

Barry Jones is a professional engineer, Emeritus Professor in Manufacturing Metrology at Brunel University London, and a Methodist local preacher.

Mark Oakley is Dean of Chapel at St John’s College, Cambridge. He writes and broadcasts on poetry, spirituality and human rights. He is a trustee of the Civil Liberties Trust.

Mark Pryce is Director of Ministry for the Birmingham diocese and Chaplain to Her Majesty The Queen. He is a published poet and practical theologian. His work contributes to Christian spirituality, liturgy and public theology, gender studies and ethnographic research.

Gillian Straine is the Director of the Guild of Health and St Raphael, an ecumenical charity dedicated to the healing ministry. An Anglican priest and physicist, her books include Science and Religion and Cancer: A Pilgrim Companion.

Nicholas Townsend is writer and editor for the VPlater Project on Catholic Social Teaching based at Newman University. He is Reviews Editor for the journal Studies in Christian Ethics. He researches Christian theological understandings of the role of political authority.

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Sarum Centre for Leadership Learning

This Centre offers opportunities for those who exercise leadership in the public, private or voluntary sector, including churches and schools, to research the meaning and practice of leadership and to test their understanding in their own practice in the organisations they serve.

Individual and Group Mentoring and Coaching
These can be long-term relationships or short-term, project-based consultancy. Clients include ministers from several denominations, those at the beginning of their ministry as well as those in senior positions.

Specialist Training Programmes
These are hosted in response to discerned needs which the College promotes as stand-alone conferences. Sarum also co-hosts with MODEM its biannual leadership conference.

Learning Opportunities Within the Centre

MA in Christian Approaches to Leadership
Contemporary discussions about leadership not only explore what it means and how it works but also the place of faith and religious conviction among leaders. The search for leaders and the understanding of what defines leadership in business, political, public and religious life is not a modern phenomenon but has re-emerged as a compelling issue in society.

In this postgraduate programme, validated by the University of Winchester, students conduct research and develop practical skills in exercising leadership as a person of faith.

Those not enrolled on the postgraduate programme are welcome to study on individual modules as an ‘auditor’. See page 11 for more information on auditing.

Postgraduate Research in Christian Approaches to Leadership
Sarum College staff supervise on the University of Winchester’s postgraduate research programmes, enabling students to have access to further expertise in the field of leadership studies. Applications for DTh and PhD awards are made to the University.

Academic Staff
Tim Harle is the Centre Coordinator and Programme Leader for the MA in Christian Approaches to Leadership.
James Woodward is Principal of Sarum College and Coordinator for the Centre for Human Flourishing.

Associate Lecturers
Karen Blakeley is Head of the Centre for Responsible Management at Winchester Business School.
David Sims is Emeritus Professor of Organisational Behaviour at Cass Business School and co-author of Leading by Story: Rethinking Church Leadership.
Angela Tilby is a Canon Emeritus of Christ Church Cathedral Oxford, a broadcaster, writer and theological educator.

Visiting Scholar
Keith Lamdin has been at the centre of leadership thinking and practice in the Church of England and has been involved with new developments in reflective practice and leadership for women seeking appointment to senior positions.

Postgraduate Modules
Christian Faith and Leadership (core module)
Mon 30 September to Thurs 3 October 2019. Also Mon 5 to Thurs 8 October 2020. See page 30 for details

Working Together
Mon 25 to Thurs 28 November 2019 See page 43 for details

Reflective Practice (core module)
Mon 20 to Thurs 23 January 2020 See page 47 for details

Understanding Organisations
Mon 9 to Thurs 12 March 2020 See page 54 for details

Christian Approaches to Leadership in the Public Square
Mon 20 to Thurs 23 April 2020 See page 59 for details

Personal Development
Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020 See page 64 for details

Change and Conflict
Mon 23 to Thurs 26 November 2020 See page 72 for details
Sarum Centre for Liturgy and Worship

This Centre stimulates fresh thinking about Christian worship especially as it relates to the evolving practice and understanding of worship in today’s church. We do this through opportunities to study at an academic level, liturgical leadership courses, consultancy, conferences and research. Sarum College has been a venue for liturgical study and research since its foundation in 1995. Its proximity to Salisbury Cathedral connects it to an enduring and dynamic tradition of Christian worship.

James Steven is the Centre Coordinator, Academic Dean and Programme Leader for the MA in Christian Liturgy. He is a leading scholar in the fields of contemporary worship and the theological dimensions of liturgical practice.

Sarum’s core academic staff shape the College’s educational programmes and select guest lecturers for their expertise in relevant subjects to achieve an exceptionally high standard of specialist teaching and learning.

Learning Opportunities Within the Centre

Pastoral Liturgy Days
Day courses designed to support those who have responsibility for liturgical leadership. Sessions combine teaching expertise with the dissemination of good practice. See page 29 for full details.

Music in Worship Days
Sarum College partners the RSCM, based here at Sarum College with these one-day courses. See page 41 for full details.

Conferences
Recent conferences have included an ecumenical symposium celebrating the 350th Anniversary of the 1662 Prayer Book and The Taizé Community on its 75th Anniversary.

MA in Christian Liturgy
This unique programme, validated by the University of Winchester, is designed to provide a comprehensive study of the major aspects of Christian worship, drawing upon historical, theological and contemporary pastoral themes.

Modules explore the development and interpretation of Christian worship and students are encouraged to pursue their own interests through a variety of assessment tasks.

Those not enrolled on the postgraduate programme are welcome to study on individual modules as an “auditor”. See page 11 for more information on auditing.

Postgraduate Research in Christian Liturgy
Sarum College staff supervise on the University of Winchester’s postgraduate research programmes, enabling students to have access to wider expertise in the field of liturgical studies. Applications are made to the University.

Academic Staff
James Steven is the Centre Coordinator, Academic Dean and Programme Leader for the MA in Christian Liturgy.

Associate Lecturers
Andreas Andreopoulos is a Reader in Orthodox Studies at the University of Winchester and specialises in the study of icons within Christian liturgy.

Tom Clammer is Precentor of Salisbury Cathedral and is a leading authority on Anglican services of initiation.

Chris Ellis is a leading Baptist liturgist specialising in the relationship between spirituality and liturgy.

John Harper is Director of the Sacred Music Studies Research Group and teaches on music in worship.

Christopher Irvine is chairman of the Alcuin Club and teaches and writes on the uses of art and space in worship.

Patricia Rumsey (Sr Francisca) is a member of the Poor Clares and specialises in the history and spirituality of daily prayer.

Jeremy Worthen is the Secretary for Ecumenical Relations and Theology for the Church of England and teaches on the role of Psalms in worship.

Postgraduate Modules
Approaches to Liturgical Studies (core module)
Mon 7 to Thurs 10 October 2019. Also Mon 12 to Thurs 15 October 2020. See page 32 for details

Liturgy and Mission
Mon 2 to Thurs 5 December 2019
See page 44 for details

The Eucharist
Mon 2 to Thurs 5 March 2020
See page 52 for details

Liturgy and Culture
Mon 5 to Thurs 8 May 2020
See page 60 for details

Worship, Art and Architecture
Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020
See page 64 for details

Liturgy and Time: Calendar and Daily Prayer
Mon 30 November to Thurs 3 December 2020. See page 73 for details

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Christopher Irvine is chairman of the Alcuin Club and teaches and writes on the uses of art and space in worship.

Patricia Rumsey (Sr Francisca) is a member of the Poor Clares and specialises in the history and spirituality of daily prayer.

Jeremy Worthen is the Secretary for Ecumenical Relations and Theology for the Church of England and teaches on the role of Psalms in worship.
Sarum Centre for Theology, Imagination and Culture

This Centre offers opportunities to engage with themes in theology, imagination and culture at research, practical and entrepreneurial levels, for continuing ministerial development, and intellectual, professional and personal growth and renewal.

Beth Dodd is the Associate Programme Leader for the MA in Theology, Imagination and Culture and a specialist in the field of theology and literature. The appointment of the Coordinator role is imminent at the time of publishing. Sarum’s core academic staff shape the College’s educational programmes and we select guest lecturers for their expertise in relevant subjects to achieve an exceptionally high standard of specialist teaching and learning.

Learning Opportunities Within the Centre

Courses for Professional and Personal Development

These are offered on diverse theological themes as they relate to art, popular culture, music, politics, the Bible and organised religion. The Centre also offers bespoke ministerial development days with diocesan groups and visiting ministers from other countries, as well as individual speaking engagements.

Postgraduate Research in Theology, Imagination and Culture

Sarum College staff supervise on the University of Winchester’s postgraduate research programmes, enabling students to have access to further expertise in the field of theological studies. Applications for DTh and PhD awards are made to the University.

B&B Discount

There is a special rate for B&B before and after a course, so why not take the opportunity to relax and explore the city? See page 74 for details.

MA in Theology, Imagination and Culture

Theology is expressed through signs, symbols, metaphors, myths and stories. Drawing upon resources from both sides of the Atlantic, this programme, validated by the University of Winchester, offers an interdisciplinary examination of such theological expressions to develop a fuller picture of how culture shapes our experience of God’s work in the world.

Throughout the course, we develop creative ways of imaginatively engaging with theology and culture to deepen theological understanding and enliven faith practices.

Those not enrolled on the postgraduate programme are welcome to study on individual modules as an ‘auditor’. See page 11 for more information on auditing.

Postgraduate Modules

Text, Interpretation and Imagination (mandatory module)

Mon 2 to Thurs 5 December 2019.

Also Mon 30 November to Thurs 3 December 2020. See page 44 for details.

The Bible: Cultural Critique and Transformation

Mon 17 to Thurs 20 February 2020

See page 51 for details.

Relocating Religion: Cultural and Spiritual Realignments

Mon 2 to Thurs 5 March 2020

See page 53 for details.

Theology and Film

Mon 23 to Thurs 26 March 2020

See page 56 for details.

Liturgy and Culture (co-validated)

Mon 5 to Thurs 8 May 2020

See page 60 for details.

God, Beauty and the Imagination: Theological Aesthetics

Mon 18 to Thurs 21 May 2020

See page 62 for details.

Worship, Art and Architecture (co-validated)

Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020

See page 64 for details.

Academic Staff

Beth Dodd is the Associate Programme Leader for the MA in Theology, Imagination and Culture.

Associate Lecturers

Andreas Andreopoulos is a Reader of Orthodox Theology at the University of Winchester.

Steve Hollinghurst is a consultant and speaker in mission and contemporary culture.

Colin Heber-Percy lectures and publishes on faith, fiction and spirituality.

Marka Rose is Postdoctoral Fellow in Philosophical Theology at the University of Winchester.

Beth Singler is Research Associate at the Faraday Institute for Science and Religion and Associate Fellow at the Leverhulme Centre for the Future of Intelligence.

Francis Stewart is Senior Lecturer in Cultural Theology at the University of Stirling.

Visiting Scholars

Deborah Lever is Senior Lecturer in History of Art, University of Glasgow.

Jolyon Mitchell is Professor of Communication, Arts and Religion, Edinburgh University.

Gesa Theissen is Adjunct Professor in the Department of Religion and Theology, Trinity College Dublin.

Philip Towner is Dean of the Nida Institute for Biblical Scholarship and Translation Studies, American Bible Society.
This Centre offers academic, vocational, personal and devotional opportunities to explore spirituality widely, with courses for continuing ministerial development, and intellectual and professional growth and renewal.

Karen O’Donnell is the Centre Coordinator and Programme Leader for the MA in Christian Spirituality. She is a feminist, ecumenical, practical theologian whose interdisciplinary research interests span theology, spirituality, and pedagogy.

Barnabas Palfrey is Programme Leader for the Exploring Theology course and Lecturer in the Centre for Contemporary Spirituality. His work in Christian spirituality and theology ranges from medieval contemplation to contemporary film, from mystical theology to modern social anthropology.

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Learning Opportunities

Bespoke Training Programmes, Research Projects & Consultancy

These are designed in close collaboration with clients. Previous clients include Norwegian and Icelandic Pastors, ministerial development days at Bath and Wells and diocesan study programmes. The Centre also offers bespoke consultancy and training days to address spiritual needs in organisational environments.

Sarum Course in Spiritual Direction

Two-year course offering a balanced learning environment, blending personal and spiritual formation with skills development. The 2019-21 course is fully booked, places for 2020-22 are now being accepted. See page 67 for full details.

Short Courses and Conferences

These courses operate through two overlapping frameworks, academic and practical, in varying formats - day, weekend and series courses. The Centre has hosted conferences on a range of spirituality themes, including spirituality and healthcare, spiritual direction and implicit religion.

MA in Christian Spirituality

The search for spirituality is one of the most striking aspects of our contemporary Western cultures. The word ‘spirituality’ refers to the way we seek to live out our fundamental beliefs and values. In Christian terms, spirituality is based on a relationship with God to whom we seek to respond.

This postgraduate programme, validated by the University of Winchester, offers the opportunity to study the field in some depth from historical, theological, pastoral and other points of view.

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Julia Mourant is Lecturer in Spiritual Direction and Tutor and Lecturer in the Centre for Formation in Ministry.

Barnabas Palfrey is Programme Leader for the Exploring Theology course and Lecturer in the Centre for Contemporary Spirituality.

Jayme Reaves is Coordinator for the Centre for Encountering the Bible and Coordinator for Short Courses.

Associate Lecturers

Gillian Ahligen is Professor of Theology at Xavier University, Cincinnati.

Andreas Andrepoulos is Reader in Orthodox Christianity at the University of Winchester and editor of The Oxford Handbook of Eastern Orthodox Theology.

Kate Cross is a Teaching Fellow in Practical Theology at Aberdeen University.

Gary Hall is Lecturer in Practical Theology at The Queen’s Ecumenical Foundation, Birmingham.

Angela Tilby is a Canon Emeritus of Christ Church Cathedral Oxford, a broadcaster, writer and theological educator.

Andrew Walker is Vicar of St. Mary’s Borne Street and Director of the Ignatian Spirituality Course.

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Ash Cockworth is Senior Lecturer in Theology and Practice at the University of Roehampton and author of Karl Barth on Prayer and Prayer: A Guide for the Perplexed.

Visiting Scholars

Catherine O’Brien is the Director of the Centre for Marian Studies (UK) and has published widely on intersections between film and theology.

Christopher Southgate is a poet and Professor of Christian Theodicy at the University of Exeter. His specialism is in the problem of natural evil and the impact of trauma on Christian communities.

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Tutor: Jon Riding, see page 13.

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Tutor: Jon Riding, see page 13.

Contemporary Spirituality

A Day with Julian of Norwich and Margery Kempe

Thurs 11 July 2019
10am to 4pm
£ 60

An opportunity to explore the distinctive voices and experiences of these two English women mystics.

Tutor: Laura Kalas Williams is Lecturer in Medieval Literature and Medicine at Swansea University with a particular interest in the writings of medieval female visionaries and devotional texts.

Contemporary Spirituality

An Introduction to Biblical Hebrew: Hebrew I

Wed 4 to Fri 6 September 2019
Also Wed 2 to Fri 4 September 2020
Arrivals 8.30am, departures 4pm
N £230 R £330

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Tutor: Jon Riding, see page 13.

Contemporary Spirituality

An Introduction to Biblical Hebrew: Hebrew II

Mon 9 to Wed 11 September 2019
Also Mon 7 to Wed 9 September 2020
Arrivals 8.30am, departures 4pm
N £230 R £330

This conference will explore the meeting in 1219 during the Fifth Crusade of St Francis of Assisi and Sultan Malik al-Kamil, as inspiration for Christian-Muslim dialogue today.

This event is in partnership with and supported by the Third Order of the Society of St Francis (TSSF).

Tutors: Andrew Todd is an expert in contemporary religion and spirituality; an Anglican priest and Franciscan Tertiary. Guest speakers to be confirmed.

Contemporary Spirituality

Postgraduate Modules

Foundations and Forms of Christian Spirituality (core module) See page 30
Sexuality and Spirituality See page 43
The Nature of Contemporary Spirituality (core module) See page 47
Pastoral Ministry and Christian Spiritual Direction See page 51
Relocating Religion: Cultural and Spiritual Realignments (co-validated) See page 53
Medieval Spirituality See page 55
Contemporary Christian Spirituality See page 64
Embodying Wisdom See page 72

Course Price Key

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Tutor: Jon Riding, see page 13.

Francis and the Sultan

Mon 16 to Tues 17 September 2019
Arrivals 11am, departures 4.30pm
N £115 R £175

This conference will explore the meeting in 1219 during the Fifth Crusade of St Francis of Assisi and Sultan Malik al-Kamil, as inspiration for Christian-Muslim dialogue today.

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What is a Church of Sanctuary?

Wed 18 to Thurs 19 September 2019
Arrivals 11am, departures 4pm
N £90 R £150

What does it mean to be a ‘Church of Sanctuary’? This conference will explore the theology of sanctuary by looking more closely at the biblical, historical, and ecclesiological foundations of the practice of providing sanctuary. Supported by Churches Together in Britain and Ireland’s Churches’ Refugee Network.

Contributors: Inderjit Bhogal, founder of City of Sanctuary UK. Jonathan Clarke, Bishop of Croydon. Jayme Reaves, see page 12. Paul Weller, Research Fellow in Religion and Society; Associate Director Oxford Centre for Christianity and Culture.

Exploring Theology
Living with the Bible and Belief

Three terms of ten weekly Tuesday evening lectures, 7pm to 9pm
Autumn 2019 term: 24 September to 26 November
Spring 2020 term: 14 January to 17 March
Summer 2020 term: 21 April to 23 June
£60 per session, £70 per term (£140 with essay)

This flagship theology course is for anyone within travelling distance of Salisbury who wishes to deepen their knowledge of and relationship with Christian Scriptures and teachings. Successor to the previously long-running Theology Quest and Questions course, Exploring Theology offers intellectually rigorous, interactive, and accessible learning.

The 2019-20 academic year, Exploring the Bible, focuses on equipping students with knowledge and tools to read and encounter the Scriptures faithfully and fruitfully in their own lives.

The Autumn Term explores the Hebrew Scriptures, known to Christians as the Old Testament, and the Spring Term explores the New Testament. These terms offer an introduction of (almost) the whole Bible with selective attention to particular key themes and passages. The Summer Term then further explores ways in which Christians can read and live with the Bible as Holy Scripture.


Guard us Sleeping: Praying at Night

Tues 4 February 2020

The course explores how Compline provides a means of prayer for an age that is increasingly concerned about sleep. Practical, theological and pastoral approaches will chart ways of reviving this ancient office for contemporary contexts. Ideal for those with pastoral responsibility and those hoping to befriend the night.

Tutors: Andrew Bishop is Priest-in-Charge of the Parish of Croydon – Croydon Minster with St George and author of Theosomnia: A Christian Theology of Sleep. James Steven, see page 20.

Hearing the Sacred in Music: Listening as Prayer

Tues 5 May 2020

This course will examine the spiritual dimensions of the relationship between music and the listener. Embracing a variety of styles and contexts, both secular and sacred, it will include practical exercises that will enable participants to understand their own ways of praying through musicking and learn from the experience of others.

Tutor: June Boyce-Tillman is a composer, hymn writer and has published widely on music and spirituality. She is Professor of Applied Music at the University of Winchester.

Liturg that Nurtures: The Pastoral Power of Worship

Tues 10 November 2020

An exploration of the way in which liturgy can be a powerful element of pastoral ministry in parish or other worshipping communities. Attention will be given both to the occasional offices, and to the routine Eucharistic worship of a parish, demonstrating that both can be powerful pastoral ministries.

Tutors: Tom Clammer, see above. James Steven, see page 20.
Foundations and Forms of Christian Spirituality
Mon 30 September to Thurs 3 October 2019. Also Mon 5 to Thurs 8 October 2020. Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm. N £385 R £560
2720
An introduction to the study of spirituality through different classic spiritual traditions. We examine the relevance of tradition and discuss the general principles of interpretation. This (core) postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules. Lecturers: Karen O’Donnell, Barnabas Palfrey and guest lecturer(s), see page 24.

Contemporary Spirituality

Christian Faith and Leadership
Mon 30 September to Thurs 3 October 2019. Also Mon 5 to Thurs 8 October 2020. Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm. N £385 R £560
2721
Explore and analyse how theology and spirituality underpin and challenge an understanding of leadership within and outside faith-based contexts. This (core) postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules. Lecturers: Tim Harle and guest lecturers(s), see page 18.

Give a Module a Go
All postgraduate modules validated by the University of Winchester are open to anyone who wishes to study without seeking an academic award. These students, called ‘auditors’, participate in a module in exactly the same way as students on the MA, without preparing an essay. Postgraduate modules from the eligible MAs are marked throughout the brochure. For full details about auditing courses at Sarum visit sarum.ac.uk/auditing.

Special Offer
Book five days worth of courses by 15 December 2019 and get an additional one-day course for free. Terms: Bookings must all be made at the same time and by the same person for courses in the current brochure. The promotion applies to course days rather than courses. Therefore, if you register for a two-day course and a three-day course, you will be eligible for a free one-day course. Bookings for a five-day course or five one-day courses also eligible for a free one-day course. This promotion does not apply to concession early-bird rates or in conjunction with diocesan bookings.

Working Well With Children, Young People and Families in Rural Areas
Tues 1 October 2019 2725
A practical course to help you reflect on the blessings and challenges of ministry among children, young people and families in the countryside. We will learn and laugh together as we gain fresh insights and new ideas for this ministry. Expect to be enthused anew by the end of the day! Tutor: Rona Orme has a wealth of practical experience of children, youth and family ministry from over 25 years in a team of rural parishes in Devon.

Celebrating Festivals in the Rural Context
Tues 11 February 2020 2647
An exploration of the principles and practicalities involved in celebrating the major Festivals of the church in the distinctively rural context. The course will explore imaginative ways of keeping feasts such as Christmas and Holy Week, but also the agricultural and rural feasts for which provision is made in Common Worship. Tutor: Tom Clammer, see page 20.

Tues 29 September 2020 2415
Explore the theme of walking in Scripture and how this can relate to our daily spiritual life. We’ll draw on ancient traditions within the British countryside, pilgrim ideas, and stories from refugees who have walked, often in fear, from their homes. In collaboration with The Centre for Contemporary Spirituality Tutor: Graham Usher is to be the Bishop of Norwich. He is one of the Church of England’s environmental bishops, a board member of the Human Tissue Authority, and writes about the spirituality of landscapes.
Lunchtime Concerts

Lunchtime Concerts are held in the College’s Butterfield Chapel and are followed by a light buffet lunch (included in the ticket price). Each concert starts at 12.45pm and lasts approximately 45 minutes. Subscription tickets are priced at £60. Individual concert tickets (subject to availability) are £12 per concert.

Diana Brekalo
Fri 4 October 2019
The life of Clara Schumann.
Programme includes music by Robert and Clara Schumann.
Artist: Diana Brekalo, piano.

Anemos Trio
Fri 31 January 2020
Groovesome Threesome by Mike Mower and 6 sonatas by C.P.E. Bach.
Artists: Robert Blanken, clarinet; Karen Kingsley, piano; Richard Moore, bassoon.

Music in the Ayre
Fri 1 November 2019
Lute songs associated with Salisbury and poets in the Wilton Circle of Mary Herbert.
Artists: Din Ghani, lute; Gillian Wormley, soprano.

Miriam Wakeling and Chris Guild
Fri 6 December 2019
Programme includes Franck - Violin Sonata in A major and Kenneth Leighton - Elegy.
Artists: Miriam Wakeling, cello; Chris Guild, piano.

Norbert Meyn and Alisdair Kitchen
Fri 28 February 2020
A Feast of German Lieder by Schubert, Schumann and Brahms.
Artists: Norbert Meyn, tenor; Alisdair Kitchen, piano.

Hannah Laurens and Tom McCoy
Fri 27 March 2020
A glorious romantic sonata by Julius Röntgen and other gems by Dutch composers.
Artists: Hannah Laurens, violin; Tom McCoy, piano.

Approaches to Liturgical Studies
Mon 7 to Thurs 10 October 2019. Also Mon 12 to Thurs 15 October 2020. Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £250 R £150

For anyone who enjoys singing liturgical church music. During this weekend we will rehearse and sing services in Sarum College Chapel and Salisbury Cathedral. The repertoire will cover music from Tudor times to present-day compositions.
Leader: Nigel Groome is Director of Music at Matthew’s Westminster.

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Reflective Journalling

Fri 11 October 2019
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

An opportunity to explore how journalling might help us to reflect on the shape of our living in the context of our work and world. There will be practical advice and support for developing a personal journalling style, as well as an opportunity to write, reflect and share in small groups.

Tutor: James Woodward, see page 16.

Sarum Symposium 2019

Mon 14 October 2019
7pm to 9pm
S £12 C £10

The Sarum Symposium is the exciting new direction for the annual Sarum lectures. Each year we bring together a panel to discuss truth and narrative from diverse perspectives. This year the theme will be death.

Please register your interest by emailing info@sarum.ac.uk

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Imaging Transcendence: From the Catacombs to the Gothic Cathedral

Tues 15 October 2019
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

An illustrated introduction to how Christian faith found expression in the early Christian Roman catacombs, the Ravenna mosaics, in medieval Irish illuminated manuscripts and in the Gothic Cathedral.

Tutor: Gesa Thiessen, see page 23.

Preaching the Old Testament

Thurs 17 October 2019
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

This day will take an overview of the issues and questions that need to be addressed when preaching from the Old Testament, suggesting different ways in to difficult passages and applying these ideas to a specific case study.

In collaboration with The Centre for Encountering the Bible

Tutor: Paul Burden, see page 14.
Human Flourishing

**Into the North: The Defeat of Paganism and the Rise of Christianity in Scandinavia**

- Thurs 17 October 2019
- 7pm to 9pm
- £10

An exploration of how Christianity reached the Nordic countries, including Iceland, in the 9th century, and how the old pagan gods were finally unseated.

**Tutor:** Maggie Guillebaud is an Anglican priest with a particular interest in early Christianity. She is a former member of the Arts Council of England, and a former Chair of South West Arts.

Human Flourishing

**The Arts & Crafts Movement and its Influence on Design, Making and Preservation**

- Fri 18 October 2019
- 10am to 4pm
- £70 £60 £50

A day exploring the influence of the Arts & Crafts Movement, arguably Britain's greatest contribution to the international art movements of the late 19th century and onwards.

**Tutor:** Peter Burman is an arts and heritage consultant specialising in the Arts & Crafts Movement, especially the architects Philip Webb and George Jack.

Human Flourishing

**Interim Ministry and Vacancies**

- Wed 23 October 2019
- 10am to 4pm
- £40

This seminar explores the latest ideas around Interim Ministry (IM, or Transitional Ministry) and how they can inform, and be informed by, the broader field of filling vacancies. We investigate how conversations can be used both as a research method and as a practical way of effecting change.

**Tutors:** Elizabeth Jordan, has researched the effectiveness of Interim Ministry posts and the resources IMs need for Common Awards. Natasha Woodward is a priest whose interest in IM began with an interdisciplinary research project completed as a Sarum College MA student.

Human Flourishing

**Reading Fiction as a Spiritual Practice**

- Mon 28 to Wed 30 October 2019
- 10am to 4pm each day
- £70 £60 £50 each day

William Blake called the Old and New Testaments 'The Great Code of Western Art.' We will explore the symbols at play in three novels: ‘To Kill a Mockingbird’ (Mon 28), ‘Jane Eyre’ (Tues 29), and ‘The Life of Pi’ (Wed 30) – in profound conversation with the Bible.

Discounted B&B is available for those who wish to stay in College and attend more than one day.

**Tutors:** Jayme Reaves, see page 12. Michael Verde facilitates literary discussions for organisations, libraries, reading groups, and via podcasts. His PhD is on literary theory and empathetic communication.

Human Flourishing

**Encountering the Bible**

- Wed 30 October 2019
- 10am to 4pm
- £70 £60 £50

This course seeks to initiate a variety of interdisciplinary dialogues with disability studies and sensory anthropology in a quest to refugio characters with sensory disabilities featured in the gospels and provide alternative interpretations of their conditions and social interactions.

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Human Flourishing

**Love is Listening: Responding to People with Dementia**

- Mon 4 November 2019
- 10am to 4pm
- £70 £60 £50

Is loneliness an inevitable ‘stage’ of dementia? This day explores how the stories we live by enable or disable us to maintain emotionally meaningful relationships with persons with dementia, including those deemed to be beyond meaningful reach.

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- See page 32 for details

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Biblical Study Breaks

These courses offer a sustained study of a single biblical book or biblical topic led by emerging and eminent scholars who bring fresh perspectives to the study of scripture.

Each Biblical Study Break begins with arrivals for 1pm lunch on Monday and finishes after lunch at 2pm on Thursday. Sessions may be a mixture of lectures, small group work and guided self study. There are no evening sessions. All course participants have access to the library for the duration of the course.

Each study break is priced at N £250 R £415.

Encountering the Bible

Digging Into Isaiah 40–66

This course will offer the opportunity to read all the text of these 27 lyrical, carefully-edited chapters, which are much-quoted in the New Testament. We will look at the famous Servant Songs, and consider the text’s use in historical sermons, poetry, music, and art. Through calm attentiveness, exploration of this text will refresh and fortify our hearts for faith and mission.

Tutor: Howard Peskett, who studied Hebrew in Cambridge and in Jerusalem. He encourages and trains people to read and dig into the Bible.

Sacrifice and Salvation: The Epistle to the Hebrews

10 to 13 February 2020

The biblical concept of sacrifice is an essential component to understanding the significance of Jesus’s death and resurrection in the Epistle to the Hebrews. How can we approach these concepts in a way that is relevant to our very different world?

Tutor: Loveday Alexander, see page 13.

Biblical Models for Conflict Transformation

11 to 14 May 2020

Jesus said, “Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God” (Matthew 5.9). This participative, experiential course will focus on using and animating stories from the Bible in order to inform, enable and strengthen the tools individuals and congregations use in addressing conflict and building peace in their local communities.

Tutor: Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Minor Prophets in the Hebrew Bible

2 to 5 November 2020

This course will consider historical contexts and theological concepts in the minor prophetic literature of Amos, Jonah, Zephaniah and Malachi in particular, as well as considerations of the reception of minor prophets in ancient religious literature more broadly.

Tutor: Zanne Domoney-Lyttle teaches at the University of Glasgow. Her interests focus on women and gender in the Hebrew Bible and the reception of biblical text in ancient and contemporary society.

Home by Another Route: Reimagining Today’s Church

Fri 8 November 2019

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 C £50

What might the identity and mission of the church be in a post-Christian context? The day will explore the future nature of the church, its leadership and mission through the lenses of story, literature and theology of the biblical exile.

Tutor: Paul Bradbury, an ordained CofE Pioneer Minister and founder of the missional community Reconnect. He leads Poole Missional Communities, and is the author of Home By Another Route: Reimagining Today’s Church.

Sing Gregorian Chant

Sat 9 November 2019. Also Sat 31 October 2020. 10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 C £50

Theology of Gregorian chant through singing it, for those with theological, historical or musical interests. Singing experience is welcome though not necessary. There will be a chance to sing a short service in the Trinity Chapel, Salisbury Cathedral.

Leader: John Rowlands-Pritchard directs chant experiences for a variety of organisations and is an experienced cantor with the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge.
We tell stories; we live in stories; we lead by story. Jesus told stories, and congregations invite others (or not) to join their story. The social sciences have taken a ‘narrative turn’ which offers new ways for thinking about how we work together. Participants will work on the stories they lead by.

In collaboration with The Centre for Formation in Ministry

Tutor: David Sims has worked in a senior leadership role while researching, teaching and writing about leadership. He brings recent research to bear on leading in churches and voluntary organisations.

Can There Be a Theology of Art? What Would it Look Like?

This day will look at a number of theologians who have written about art, and develop some of their more fruitful lines of enquiry. The challenge is to find a rich theology of art that might broaden the scope of theology itself, as well as transforming the way that works of art are analysed.

Tutor: Charles Pickstone is a Visiting Scholar at Sarum College, trustee of Art & Christianity and a regular contributor to books and magazines on art criticism and spirituality.

Music in Worship Days

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Leading By Story

Wed 13 November 2019
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50 2748

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Music in Worship: Engaging with the Rural Church

Tues 19 November 2019
Drawing on RSCM’s Inspiring Music in Worship series, this day aims to encourage and equip those who lead worship in rural settings. Through a workshop approach, we will explore ways to nurture the musical and liturgical life of small congregations with limited resources.

Tutor: Helen Bent is Head of Ministerial Training for the Royal School of Music in partnership with Praxis and author of Inspiring Music in Worship.

Inspiring Music in Worship: Engaging with the Rural Church

Tues 19 November 2019

Thurs 2 April 2020
This course will explore the theology and spirituality of African American Spirituals against their cultural and political backgrounds and assess their legacy for church music today. Ideal for all who value the place of congregational song in worship: musicians, ministers, lay leaders and singers.

Tutor: Brian Castle is an honorary research fellow at Exeter University and a visiting scholar at Sarum College. He researches African-American Spirituals and writes about reconciliation and music.

The Legacy of African American Spirituals for Congregational Song

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Theology, Imagination and Culture

Poetry and the Psalms
Tues 19 November 2019, 10am to 4pm
£ 70 E £60 C £50

From the time of Wyatt and the Sidneys, the Psalms have been at the heart of English poetry. This day will explore these ancient texts as transplanted in the work of Herbert and Vaughan as well as their later flourishing in poetry from the 18th century to the present day.

Tutor: Edward Clarke is the author of Eighteen Psalms. He teaches English literature at various colleges and at the Department for Continuing Education, University of Oxford.

Gospel of Matthew
Wed 20 November 2019, 10am to 4pm
£ 70 E £60 C £50

No shunner of controversy with Jews or, for that matter, Christians of an alternative outlook, Matthew invites us once again to understand and make up our own minds about his convictions concerning Jesus, his perspectives on ethics, his apparent conservatism on matters of ethnicity and gender, and a host of other tantalizing issues.

Tutor: David Catchpole has taught and researched throughout his career on the Gospels, historical Jesus, and Pauline studies.

Leadership Learning

MODEM Conference 2019: Losing Control - Enabling ‘Witness’
Thurs 21 to Fri 22 November 2019
Arrivals 12pm, departs 2pm
N £85 R £138 C £76/124*

This conference, in partnership with the Susanna Wesley Foundation, will explore ideas Sam Wells has developed in his recent books and how these can relate to ideas from organisation studies about emergence and non-imperalistic forms of organising and non-control and relate these to experience and wisdom from local churches.

Speakers: Sam Wells is an author, Visiting Professor of Christian Ethics at King’s College, London and a regular contributor to BBC Radio 4’s Thought for the Day. Paul Hibbert is Professor of Management at the University of St. Andrew’s and Vice Principal for Education. Nic Beech is the Vice Principal and Provost of the University of Dundee and President of the British Academy of Management.

*for MODEM members, students and ministers-in-training

Leadership Learning

Sexuality and Spirituality
Mon 25 to Thurs 28 November 2019
Arrivals 2pm, departs 2pm
N £385 R £560

An academic examination of the interface between sexuality and spirituality considering the historical, theological and psychological context.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditioning modules.

Lecturers: Karen O’Donnell, Barnabas Palrey and guest lecturers(s), see page 24.

Leadership Learning

Working Together
Mon 25 to Thurs 28 November 2019
Arrivals 2pm, departs 2pm
N £385 R £560

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Most people living with a diagnosis of dementia are cared for at home by a family member. This hidden army of carers is often overlooked. We will hear carers’ stories and reflect on their needs for practical and spiritual support.

Tutor: Peter Kevern is Associate Professor in Values in Care at the University of Staffordshire. His work explores the interface between religion and health, ageing and/or death.

An introduction to the relationship between mission and liturgy. Using liturgical examples drawn from contemporary and historical sources, and policy documents of the church and their critics, students will be encouraged to reflect critically on the implications for their own liturgical context. This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: James Steven and guest lecturer(s), see page 20.

The Virgin Mary is the principal woman in Christian Salvation history and links the three Abrahamic faiths. We will explore how the cinema has engaged with the complex dimensions of the Marian image by transforming the Scriptures into a film script and visualising the story of the world’s most significant female icon on screen.

Tutor: Catherine O’Brien is Director of the Centre for Marian Studies at the University of Roehampton. She has published widely on intersections between film and theology.

Drawing from personal experience of coming to a halt in ministry, Paul shares insights into human nature which inform practical teaching on the nature of leadership and the sort of self-awareness and self-care which will enable a long-term sustainable ministry.

Tutor: Paul Swann encountered fragility through illness, ending his time as a church leader. The experience led to a new ministry of speaking from weakness about the self-care which sustains our ministry.

A practical course about the oral tradition in much of our sacred texts and literature. We will examine the differences in oracy and literacy and see how the telling of shared experience often creates conflicting narratives. A central story in the Bible and the Qur’an will be discussed.

Tutor: Sef Townsend, see page 13.
Winter Silent Retreat

Fri 20 to Sun 22 December 2019
Arrivals 3pm, departures 3pm
R £250

Retreat from all the holiday noise by participating in the first of our biannual Silent Retreat offerings at Sarum. Using gentle liturgy, spiritual reflection practices, and rest we aim to create a residential community of silence and calm for the weekend.

Facilitators: Karen O’Donnell, see page 24. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

The Emotional Toll of Care

Fri 17 January 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Explore the notion of self care as an ethical imperative for those working on the front line of human vulnerability. We will explore The Wounded Healer concept to focus on the human side of professional work, and how evidence-based interventions can counter maladaptive coping strategies.

Tutor: John Ballat is co-author of Intelligent Kindness: Re-Forming the Culture of Healthcare. His work supports people working with challenging human need. Audrey Stephenson is a counsellor and psychotherapist, specialises in body-oriented psychotherapies. She also trains counsellors.

A Day with W.H. Auden

Sat 18 January 2020
10am to 4pm

Auden has been described as ‘the first poet writing in English who felt at home in the twentieth century’. But where did this position him when it came to religious belief? What do his poems, so varied in tone and subjects, have to offer contemporary faith? We will look at the wide range of Auden’s poetry, his conversion to Christianity and his consequent spiritual interrogation of the world.

Tutor: Mark Oakley, see page 17.

An introduction to contemporary approaches to the study of spirituality through theological, philosophical, psychological, political and aesthetic methodologies.

Critical study of how reflective practice can ground an understanding of leadership and improve performance.

This (core) postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

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Humour in the Bible

Sat 25 January 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

G.K. Chesterton wrote that those who take everything seriously make an idol of everything, and we are often so serious when we read the Bible! This day is an invitation to uncover and appreciate the comic spirit in the Bible: wordplay, absurdity, hyperbole, satire, subversion, slapstick, and the scatological.

Tutor: Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Dag Hammarskjöld: Life and Legacy

Tues 28 January 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

There has been growing interest in the late UN General Secretary Dag Hammarskjöld. His personality and the unique way in which he united spirituality and politics in an engaged spirituality is evident in his posthumous title, Markings. This day course will explore the significance of his insights for today’s conflict-ridden world.

Tutor: Peter Price is the former Bishop of Bath and Wells who has spent 40 years in peace building in a range of conflict situations.

Biblical Leaders: All Too Human

Thurs 30 January 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Leaders aren’t perfect, neither are characters in the Bible. That’s why biblical leaders are actually the perfect models for leadership case studies. Using the narratives of three biblical leaders - Abraham, Moses, and Esther - as well as contemporary leadership studies and literary analysis, this course will inspire us to reflect on leadership, then and now.

In collaboration with The Centre for Encountering the Bible

Tutor: Shoshana Boyd Gelfand, see page 13.

Lunchtime Concert: Anemos Trio

Fri 31 January 2020
See page 32 for details

Guard us Sleeping: Praying at Night

Tues 4 February 2020
See page 29 for details

The Binding of Isaac/Ishmael

Thurs 6 February 2020

Celebrated during Rosh Hashanah in Judaism, during Easter in the Christianity, and for Eid al-Adha in Islam, the binding of Isaac/Ishmael is an important story. During this day, we will re-read the stories in detail and explore the ways the Christian, Jewish, and Muslim traditions have interpreted, understood, and reimagined these texts over the ages.

Tutors: Shoshana Boyd Gelfand, see page 13. Sef Townsend, see page 13. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Encounters with Rabbis in the Gospel of John

Sat 4 April 2020

The teachings and customs of the early Rabbis form a zeit im leben for the ministry of Christ and the accounts of his ministry we find in the New Testament. Yet they are surprisingly absent from much New Testament scholarship. In this study day we shall explore the influence of the Rabbis in the New Testament through a number of encounters with Rabbis recorded in the opening chapters of St John’s gospel.

Tutor: Jon Riding, see page 13.

Tales of Two Cities

Fri 15 May 2020

From Jewish and Christian perspectives, we will delve into two deeply problematic, misused, and misunderstood texts: the tale of the city of Sodom in Genesis 19 and the tale of the city of Gibeah in Judges 19. We will read these two stories of hostility and hospitality, noticing the voices heard and unheard.

Tutors: Shoshana Boyd Gelfand, see page 13. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Reading Scripture Together

This conversational one-day course series will re-read selected sacred texts in detail and consider the ways they have been interpreted, both in the written word and in art, and on their relevance and meaning to us today.

Each day is priced at S £70 E £60 C £50 and runs from 10am to 4pm.
Sarah and Hagar are the matriarchs of the Jewish, Christian, and Muslim traditions. Their stories highlight themes of conflict, privilege, promise, and the power of story to construct a religious identity. This day will explore the story of Sarah and Hagar in detail from multiple perspectives to provide deeper understanding relevant to our lives together today.

Tutors: Shoshana Boyd Gelfand, see page 13. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Waiting on the Word: The Spirituality of Preaching
Fri 7 February 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

A contemplative approach to the art of preaching given over five sessions with time allowed for discussion. We look at how the spiritual life of preachers informs how they preach, both pastorally and prophetically, in today’s world and for a changing Church. The final session focuses on practical skills.

Tutor: Lorraine Cavanagh is a theologian and an Anglican priest in the Church in Wales. She is the author of a number of books on theology and spirituality.

Sacrifice and Salvation: The Epistle to the Hebrews
Mon 10 to Thurs 13 February 2020
See page 38 for details

Celebrating Festivals in the Rural Context
Tues 11 February 2020
See page 31 for details

Pastoral Ministry and Christian Spiritual Direction
Mon 17 to Thurs 20 February 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560

Explore the nature of Christian ministry and address some of the central issues in pastoral ministry such as faith development, ageing, death and dying. This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Karen O’Donnell, Barnabas Palfrey and guest lecturer(s), see page 24.
**The Challenge of Christian Animal Ethics**

Tues 25 February 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50

The consequences of modern animal agriculture for animal welfare, the environment, and human wellbeing is an increasing public concern. This study day will explore the Christian basis for concern for the flourishing of fellow animal creatures and the urgent ethical questions that follow for our use of animals for food.

**Tutor:** David Clough is Professor of Theological Ethics at the University of Chester and author of the landmark two-volume monograph On Animals.

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**Perham-Shaped Worship: A Symposium to Honour Bishop Michael Perham’s Ministry in a Praying Church**

Fri 28 to Sat 29 February 2020  
Arrivals 3pm, departures 4pm  
N £115 R £165

This symposium will consider the remarkably rich and diverse influence of the late Bishop Michael Perham upon worship in the Church of England. Speakers with first-hand experience of Michael’s ministry will address issues such as nurturing worship in the parish, liturgical leadership, the formation of praying people, and liturgical revision.

**Speakers:** Tom Clammer, see page 21. Mary Gray-Reeves is Bishop of the Diocese of El Camino Real in the USA. Tim Harle, see page 18. David Hoyle is Dean of Bristol Cathedral. Sandra Millar is Head of Life Events for the Church of England. Jo Spreadbury is Chair of Praxis and Precentor at Portsmouth Cathedral. James Steven, see page 20.

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**Marian Apparitions and Shrines**

Sat 29 February 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50

This one day course will cover shrines and apparitions of Mary in modern (19th and 20th century) Roman Catholicism, with a special emphasis on Europe. We will discuss well- and little-known cases alike. Themes include visionaries, devotees, the Church, the wider social context and, of course, Mary!

**Tutor:** Chris Maunder is Senior Lecturer in Theology & Religious Studies at York St John University and author or editor of several books and articles on Mary.

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**Relocating Religion: Cultural and Spiritual Realignments**

Mon 2 to Thurs 5 March 2020  
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm  
N £385 R £560

This course brings historical, philosophical, theological and social-scientific disciplines to bear on the many social and cognitive relocations of religion in our day. This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

**Lecturers:** Karen O'Donnell, Barnabas Palfrey and guest lecturer(s), see page 24.

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**Lunchtime Concert:**

Fri 28 February 2020  
See page 32 for details

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**The Eucharist**

Mon 2 to Thurs 5 March 2020  
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm  
N £385 R £560

Explore the most significant developments of Eucharistic worship from the New Testament to the contemporary church. This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

**Lecturers:** James Steven and guest lecturer(s), see page 20.
This workshop explores how new understandings of attachment theory can promote change. Developing John Bowlby and Mary Ainsworth's work, we will explore such ideas as God as an attachment figure, and examples from churches' liturgy as a secure base, which reduce anxiety and promote exploration.

Tutors: Tim Harle, see page 18. Frances Novillo has over 20 years' experience in parish ministry as a lay liturgical leader, and is now Lead Chaplain at Watford Town Centre Chaplaincy.

The Wondrous Story: Preaching from Palm Sunday to Easter

Wed 4 March 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

The period between Palm Sunday and Easter is at the heart of our Gospel, but how do we preach it in a fresh and engaging way? We will think together on how we can tell the wondrous story today.

This is a revised repeat of the course with the same title from March 2017.

Tutor: Paul Burden, see page 14.

Exile and Christian Authenticity

Mon 9 March 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

How did early Christians deal with the problem of Christian authenticity when the official imperial persecutions came to an end? We will examine how Christian authenticity laid claim to its past as a persecuted minority while simultaneously affirming its new status as a violent Christian empire.

Tutor: Jennifer Barry is an Assistant Professor of Religion at the University of Mary Washington in Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Understanding Organisations

Mon 9 to Thur 12 March 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560

An examination of contemporary images and models of organisations, bringing multidisciplinary critical insights into the emergence of organisational culture.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Tim Harle and guest lecturers, see page 18.

Making Sense of Revelation and Apocalyptic Literature

Mon 16 March 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

This course explores the range of apocalyptic texts produced by early Jews and Christians, including Revelation, 4 Ezra, 1 Enoch, Apocalypse of Peter, and others. Topics covered include persecution, empire, gendered violence, and prophecy.

Tutor: Meredith Warren, see page 13.

Eaten Up: Food, God and Us

Tues 17 March 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Everyone has a 'food story'. Food is essential to life, yet is contested at just about every level – from our individual relationship with it (do we under-eat, over-eat, obsess about it, not care about it?), to its wider political significances. This day will be exploratory and participatory.

Tutor: Alison Webster, see page 17.

Leadership Learning

Mon 23 to Thurs 26 March 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560

Leadership Learning

Examine the political and cultural movements that affected the development of Christian spirituality during the medieval period. We’ll consider the role of women and assess the impact of the Crusades on the development of relationships with Islam.

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B&B Discount

There is a special rate for B&B before and after a course, so why not take the opportunity to relax and explore the city? See page 74 for details.
Theology and Film

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Lecturers: Theology, Imagination and Culture teaching team.

The Faith Journeys of Millennials

Mon 30 March 2020, 10am to 4pm
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Today’s young adults are the least religious generation on record and yet there are still those for whom Christian faith is central to their identity. This event, based on recent qualitative research, will explore their faith journeys and provide insights into understanding Millennials and their spirituality.

Tutor: Ruth Perrin has 20 years of ministry experience with students and young adults. She has a PhD in the faith of Evangelical Millennials and is a research fellow at St. John’s College, Durham.

The Spiritual Care of People Living With Dementia

Wed 1 April 2020, 10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Following an introduction to the medical aspects of dementia, this study day will explore some of the important human questions it poses from a Christian theological perspective. We will also cover practical implications, particularly in supporting the continuing spiritual growth of individuals living with this condition, together with their carers and loved ones.

Tutor: Joanna Collicutt McGrath is Karl Jaspers Lecturer in psychology and spirituality at Ripon College Cuddesdon, Fellow at Harris Manchester College, Oxford, and Oxford Diocesan Advisor for the Spiritual Care of Older People.

Spirituality and Nordic Noir Crime Fiction

Tues 31 March 2020, 10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Using material from the Nordic Noir crime fiction genre, we explore three themes of spiritual and religious interest: apocalypse and anthropocene, eco-crime, myth and the environmental crisis; pastoring and being Church in challenging times; and ‘All are Liars’ (Psalm 116) – Is the lesson of crime fiction ‘trust no-one’?

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Stories From The Other Half Of Holy Week

Each day is priced at £70, £60, £50 and runs from 10am to 4:30pm.

Drawing on the Gospel narratives between Psalm Sunday and Maundy Thursday, these days offer opportunity for learning, prayer, and reflection before the Easter weekend.

Those who wish to attend more than one day for a prolonged Holy Week retreat can stay B&B at Sarum College at the reduced educational rate. Contact Alison Ogden for all enquiries.

Earth
Mon 6 April 2020

Lament, reflection and hope: A look at the biblical mandate to care for our world, the challenges facing the planet and an exploration of creative solutions alongside space for prayer and reflection.

Leader: Andy Lester is Head of Conservation at A Rocha UK. He holds a masters in the Green Economy and is a columnist for three newspapers, as well as a national speaker and ecologist.

Return From Exile and the Way Back In: Bodies, Land and Community
 Tues 7 April 2020

This day will be split into two halves: one half learning about foraging and the abundance of the land through wild food, and the other half exploring how we as people are both fallen and still falling, and how we are increasingly dissociated from our bodies, the land and community.

Leader: Miles Irving is an internationally renowned wild foods expert, speaker, and author of The Forager Handbook. He brings unique insight into our lost connection with the wild world.

Love
Wed 8 April 2020

The third day of our Holy Week 2020 retreat will be focused on the theme of love, taking the narratives of the anointing of Jesus’s feet at Bethany and the Great Commandments as text for reflection, prayer, and creative response.

Leader: Karen O’Donnell, see page 24.

Confronting the Violence in the Old Testament
Sat 18 April 2020

The Old Testament is full of violence – isn’t it? The God of the Old Testament is vengeful and wrathful – isn’t he? This course will tackle some of the hardest Old Testament texts and ask the question: can we love the Old Testament and believe in the goodness of God?

Tutor: Helen Paynter is a Baptist Minister and the Director of Bristol Baptist College’s Centre for the Study of Bible and Violence.

Christian Approaches to Leadership in the Public Square
Mon 20 to Thurs 23 April 2020

What is the potential impact of faith-based leadership on and within secular institutions at a time when religion is being marginalised and faith is under attack?

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Tutor: Elaine Bardwell Fellows’ Chaplain at Magdalen College, Oxford. She is a former Director of Pastoral Studies and Tutor in Church History at St Stephen’s House.

Ambrose of Milan: Prayer, Preaching and Pastoral Care in the 4th Century
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Leaders: Karen O’Donnell, see page 24. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Contemporary Spirituality  

Liturgy and Culture  
Tues 5 to Fri 8 May 2020  
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm  
N £385 R £560  

Investigate the relationship between liturgy and its changing cultural contexts. We will introduce different ways of understanding the relationship between culture and liturgy, and the implications and theological assumptions of each approach.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: James Steven and guest lecturer(s), see page 20.

Formation in Ministry  
A Kind of Belonging: An Introduction to the Theology of Place  
Wed 6 May 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50  

This day is an introduction to the Christian theology of place, as it particularly relates to the parish system in England.

Tutor: Andrew Rumsey is Bishop of Ramsbury and author of Parish: an Anglican Theology of Place.

Human flourishing  
Just Pay Attention… Appreciating the Poetry of Mary Oliver  
Thurs 7 May 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50  

The late Mary Oliver is one of the most cherished and admired contemporary American poets. Her lucid and uncomplicated poems, inspired by nature and dog-walking in Cape Cod and Florida, the experience of friendship, love and grief, are balm for the soul in a frenetic culture.

Tutors: Mark Pryce and Ruth Shelton are both members of the ecumenical poet-theologians group, The Diviners, and co-authors of Making Nothing Happen: Five Poets Explore Faith and Spirituality.

Contemporary Spirituality  
Biblical Models for Conflict Transformation  
Mon 11 to Thurs 14 May 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50  

In this course, we will look at how simple shared habits and spaces run by churches, in partnership with existing mental health services, are helping to tackle mental and emotional health issues in communities across the nation.

Tutor: Ruth Rice is the founder of Renew Wellbeing. She has been a teacher and a church leader. Her own story of brokenness is at the heart of her leadership.

What is Prayer? A Very Theological Approach  
Fri 15 May 2020  
10am to 4pm  
S £70 E £60 C £50  

This study day aims to investigate what, theologically speaking, is going on in the Christian practice of prayer. Seeking throughout to integrate doctrinal reflection and contemplative practice, it explores the difference prayer makes and what is going on when Christians pray.

Tutor: Ashley Cocksworth see page 25.

Renewing Wellbeing  
Tales of Two Cities  
Fri 15 May 2020  
See page 49 for details

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God, Beauty and the Imagination
Mon 18 to Thurs 21 May 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560

A general introduction to aesthetics and in particular to theological aesthetics, as illustrated by the central theological doctrines of the incarnation, the cross, the resurrection and the trinity.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: The Theology, Imagination and Culture teaching team

Carmelite Spirituality
Wed 20 May 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

We will explore Carmelite Spirituality, focusing on the spiritualities of Teresa of Avila and John of the Cross and bringing them into dialogue with the life and work of Edith Stein, a 20th Century Discalced Carmelite nun.

Tutor: Peter Tyler see page 25.

Leading in a Second Chair
Thurs 21 May 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Leaders are often assumed to be at the top of organisations. This day explores the opportunities offered to deputies and others. We will look at the interplay between first and second chair leaders, and the personal and organisational challenges that can occur.

Tutor: Tim Hare, see page 18.

Spiritual Direction Conference: Charism, Character and Calling
Mon 1 to Wed 3 June 2020
Arrivals 12.30pm, departures 2pm
N £310 R £215

An opportunity for those engaged in the ministry of spiritual direction to meet and reflect together on issues in spiritual direction.


Tutor: James Woodward, see page 16.

Ageing: Problem or Privilege?
Wed 10 June 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 C £50

Do you worry about what shape old age will take for you? Are you aware of the force of ageism in our society? This day will explore how we define age drawing on cultural and social theories from recent research.

Tutor: James Woodward, see page 16.

Tell it Slant: Reading the Gospels from the Edges
Fri 12 to Sun 14 June 2020
Arrivals 10am, departures 3pm
N £330 R £220

Emily Dickinson’s poem Tell all the Truth but tell it slant — suggests that truth must be approached from many angles, allowing the queer, marginal and silenced voices to speak, to hold their own, and to engage in a theological project of truthtelling.

Tutor: Pádraig Ó Tuama, see page 13.

B&B Discount
There is a special rate for B&B before and after a course, so why not take the opportunity to relax and explore the city? See page 74 for details.

Missional Listening
Tues 9 June 2020
See page 31 for details.
Worship, Art and Architecture
Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560
2694

The space in which Christian worship takes place is influenced by the culture of the age and place as well as ecclesiology. This module will investigate church buildings and their art in significant historical periods in order to highlight the way each artefact is the result of a confluence of variables. This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: James Steven and guest lecturer(s), see page 20.

Contemporary Christian Spirituality
Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560
2695

This module looks at recent developments in spirituality, particularly in the light of writing on the ‘spiritual revolution’ within theology, sociology, psychology, philosophy and literary criticism.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Karen O’Donnell, Barnabas Palrey and guest lecturer(s), see page 24.

Personal Development
Leadership Learning
Mon 15 to Thurs 18 June 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
N £385 R £560
2696

A review of contemporary management strategies for using feedback to develop and evaluate personal development plans in a variety of faith-based and secular contexts.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Tim Harle and guest lecturer(s), see page 18.

Confronting the Violence in the New Testament
Sat 20 June 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50

The New Testament has its share of violent texts. Remember Ananias and Sapphira? Or the treatment of the ‘whore of Babylon’ in Revelation? This day will tackle problematic passages, and consider how the New Testament helps us answer some of the persisting Old Testament problems.

Tutor: Helen Paynter, see page 13.

Lady Gaga and Her Little Monsters: Popular Music, Faith and Human Flourishing
Tues 23 June 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50

Can Lady Gaga really be mother to all those little monsters? This question, around which the study day is shaped, is about the ways in which people engage with popular music and its significance for the place of faith in contemporary culture.

Tutor: Stephen Roberts is an academic theologian, Anglican priest and amateur musician. He has particular interests in chaplaincy, inter-faith relations, liturgy, and the relationship between music and theology.

Awakening, Communing, Refiguring: Thomas Merton’s Continuing Ministry
Tues 23 June 2020
10am to 4pm

This day begins with a brief overview of Merton’s life-work. We will then focus on ways in which his communicative monasticism engages readers in everyday struggles to live faithfully and attentively between classical Christian sources, critical social currents and the neighbours we are learning to love.

Tutor: Gary P. Hall is tutor in practical theology at the Queen’s Foundation, Birmingham, and regularly teaches and publishes on Merton.

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Preaching, Poetry and Prophetic Speech

Wed 1 July 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50

This day explores how poetic processes and forms are integral to the practice of preaching and examines the prophetic possibilities of poetic preaching.

Ideal for those wishing to apply these ideas to public speech about God.

Tutors: Beth Dodd, see page 22. Paul Burden, see page 14.

Embracing Vulnerability

Tues 7 July 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50

The course will explore themes within the Judeo-Christian tradition in relation to the human embodied experience: exile and exodus; darkness and light; lament and praise; vocation and sainthood.

Tutor: Jennie Hogan is an Anglican priest and a psychotherapist. She had two brain haemorrhages as a child and subsequently developed sight-loss, paralysis and epilepsy.

Christian Salvation and Ecological Restoration

Wed 8 to Thurs 9 July 2020
Arrivals 10.30am, departures 4pm
N £145 R £200

This two-day course explores the roots of the disconnection between people, creation, creatures, and creator. We also discuss the efforts to establish reconnection in ways that are both spiritually and ecologically restorative.

Tutor: Michael Nortcott is a retired Professor of Ethics at the University of Edinburgh’s Divinity School and is best known for his contributions to environmental theology and ethics.

Sing it Again: Taizé and Short Songs in Worship

Fri 10 July 2020
See page 41 for details

An Introduction to Biblical Hebrew: Hebrew I

Wed 2 to Fri 4 September 2020
See page 27 for details

An Introduction to Biblical Hebrew: Hebrew II

Mon 7 to Wed 9 September 2020
See page 27 for details

Greek in a Week

Mon 10 to Sat 15 August 2020
See page 26 for details

Formation in Ministry

Contemporary Spirituality

Two-year course with nine residential sessions. 2020 to 2022
dates: 24 to 25 September 2020; 12 to 13 November 2020; 21
to 22 January 2021; 4 to 5 March 2021; 2 to 4 June 2021; 23 to
24 September 2021; 18 to 19 November 2021; 27 to 28 January
2022 and 24 to 25 March 2022

This two-year course offers a balanced learning environment, blending personal and spiritual formation with skills development. Participants undertake this training as part of a group: the learning environment will be experiential, developmental and group-focused.

Given the nature of training full attendance at all sessions is required. Applicants will have been in spiritual direction for some time and are expected to continue throughout the course. The certificate is not a licence for practising spiritual direction, but is evidence of training in the area.

The 2019-21 course is fully booked. Places for 2020-22 are now being accepted. Early applications are advised.

Tutors: Julia Mourant is Lecturer in Spiritual Direction and Tutor and Lecturer in the Centre for Formation and Ministry at Sarum College. She is the author of Listening to Your Life: Creatively Discerning Your Calling. She specialises in spiritual direction and the training and supervision of spiritual directors. Ellen Farmer is a tutor on the London-based Ignatian Spirituality Course and a visiting retreat guide at St Beuno’s Jesuit Spirituality Centre.

Applications: courses@sarum.ac.uk or 01722 424826.
Introduction to the Enneagram

Fri 9 to Sun 11 October 2020
Arrivals 6pm, departures 4pm
Price tbc 2425

The Enneagram is an ancient, extraordinarily accurate, model of human personality and spirit. Describing nine personality types and their interactions, it enables us to look deeply into our own character, harmonise our daily lives and our relationships, and understand our particular, best, path to growth.

Tutors: Karen Webb has taught the Enneagram in the Narrative Tradition since 1991. She is a graduate of the Enneagram Professional Training Program with Helen Palmer®.

Re-writing the Bible in Public

Tues 20 October 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50 2426

The days of cultural privilege for the Bible are long gone. But as a suspect text it has new, subversive potential. This course explores how the cultural status of the Bible affects interpretation, and how creative, public re-reading of the Bible can re-write stories that quietly enforce the rules by which we live.

Tutor: Matt Valler is Founder and Executive Director of The Alchemy Project, a creative consultancy exploring the relationship between the Bible and contemporary culture, working with a global community.

Paul as Pastor

Tues 20 October 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50 2427

We will consider Paul’s objectives as a pastor, the means of pastoral care, his heart as a pastor and the mentoring he provided.

Tutor: Patrick Whitworth was an Anglican Priest for 40 years. He now writes on Biblical studies and church history, is a trainer and an overseas missioner.

Facts of Blood & Bread: Drama and Power in the Gospel of Mark

Wed 21 October 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50 2428

A dialogical, resource focus on the 2021 Gospel of the Year earthing the story in lived experience.

Tutors: Azariah France-Williams is an Anglican priest who frequently contributes to blogs and podcasts. Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

For Us Men and For Our Salvation? When Feminism, Ritual and Liturgy Collide

Thurs 22 October 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50 2429

Much of the liturgy used in our church settings speaks overwhelmingly of male experience, language and shaping. Yet efforts to reimagine it have been deemed transgressive.

This day offers an opportunity to explore together feminist words, liturgy and rituals.

Tutor: Ruth Wells is an ordained member of the Church of England, a feminist and a poet.

Foundations and Forms of Christian Spirituality

Mon 5 to Thurs 8 October 2020
See page 30 for details

Christian Faith and Leadership

Mon 5 to Thurs 8 October 2020
See page 30 for details

Exploring Intergenerational Learning

Mon 2 November 2020, 10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50 2446

All-age settings help foster healthy societies by enabling intergenerational connections.

This day will explore both the meaning of spirituality and ways to restore capabilities and joys that had been allowed to atrophy.

Tutor: Malcolm Johnson is Visiting Professor of Gerontology and End of Life Care at the University of Bath. His major specialism, ageing and the lifespan.
Christians are called to reach beyond place, beyond borders, boundaries and conventions, out into space. So, the Spirit impels Jesus after his baptism – into the wilderness. Where do we find that space and wilderness in our lives? We will try to discover a spirituality of space in our stories, in architecture, in art, poetry, and theology.

In collaboration with

Tutor: Colin Heber-Percy is an Anglican priest and screenwriter. He lectures and publishes on spirituality, mission, faith and culture.

**The Spirituality of Space**

**Tues 3 November 2020**

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 D £50

**2447**

Retreat from all the busyness of life by coming on Silent Retreat at Sarum. Using gentle liturgy, spiritual reflection practices, and rest we aim to create a residential community of silence and calm for the weekend.

Leaders: Karen O’Donnell, see page 24.
Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

Tutor: James Woodward, see page 16.

**Autumn Silent Retreat**

**Fri 6 to Sun 8 November 2020**

Arrivals 3pm, departs 3pm

Price tbc

**2448**

How do we consider mortality and prepare for death? This day aims to facilitate a conversation about this aspect of our shared ministry and introduce some resources to equip us all to continue to develop and grow in wisdom in this area of pastoral and spiritual work. This day is ideally suited for spiritual directors and anyone, lay or ordained, engaged in pastoral ministry.

Tutor: James Woodward, see page 16.

**Befriending Death?**

**Wed 11 November 2020**

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 D £50

**2449**

A day to explore the creative tension between image and the word. Drawing together art history and theology we will look at works of art old and new to consider the vitality of uncertainty, the imaginative potential of empty space and the subversive power of the image to question authority.

Tutor: Deborah Lever, see page 25.

**Art, Faith and the Unsaid**

**Thurs 12 November 2020**

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 D £50

**2450**

This day will explore the traditional healing ministry, look at the role of prayer, and explore the mission field. We shall reimagine Christian spiritual healing and the power of faith in helping individuals and building up the mission of the church.

Tutor: Gillian Straine see page 17.

**Our Ministry of Health and Healing**

**Fri 13 November 2020**

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 D £50

**2451**

More and more people today have little or no familiarity with the Bible. This day will be practical in scope, exploring methods for approaching the Bible in fresh, exciting ways with a view to making it accessible and meaningful for those who don’t normally read it.

In collaboration with

Tutors: Paul Burden, see page 14.
Jayme Reaves, see page 12.

**Reading the Bible with People Who Don’t Read the Bible**

**Mon 16 November 2020**

10am to 4pm

S £70 E £60 D £50

**2452**

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**Human Flourishing**

**Formation in Ministry**
Teach us How to Pray: Poetry and Prayer

Thurs 19 November 2020
10am to 4pm
S £70 E £60 D £50

This day will explore the role of poets as instructors in the art of prayer, not just as a set of words but as an experience, a form of meditation and a bodily practice.

Tutor: Beth Dodd, see page 22.

Embodying Wisdom

Mon 23 to Thurs 26 November 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
Price tbc

Explore the key philosophical and psychological issues of the last 100 years which have shaped contemporary understandings of spirituality.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Karen O’Donnell, Barnabas Palfrey and guest lecturer(s), see page 24.

Change and Conflict

Mon 23 to Thurs 26 November 2020
Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
Price tbc

Critically examine theoretical and practical aspects of change and conflict through a number of disciplines, especially theology, ecology, psychology and complexity theory.

This postgraduate module is open to wider participation. See page 11 for details about auditing modules.

Lecturers: Tim Harle and guest lecturer(s), see page 18.

Liturgy and Time: Calendar and Daily Prayer

Mon 30 November to Thurs 3 December 2020. Arrivals 2pm, departures 2pm
Price tbc

The space in which Christian worship takes place is influenced by the culture of the age and place as well as ecclesiology. This module will investigate church buildings and their art in significant historical periods in order to highlight the way each artefact is the result of a confluence of variables.

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Lecturers: James Steven and guest lecturer(s), see page 20.

AWE: Paintings in Response to Creation

Mon 20 January - Fri 11 Apr 2020
Open Evening Fri 28 February 2020, 6-8pm

Based on an experience of remote bothy life in Shetland, surrounded by sea and sky, Peronel experienced the rawness of elements which are the starting point for her paintings and drawings.

Peronel Barnes is an award-winning artist whose work hangs in private and public collections across the world.
Booking and Travel Information

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