

## CMD 2024 Dates, plus other trainings

Date	Type	Course Title	Trainer	Time	Venue
Wed 10 Jan	GROW	Leading informal Worship	Jon Curtis	7:30pm - 9pm	Zoom
Wed 17 Jan	GROW	Leading informal Worship	Jon Curtis	7:30pm - 9pm	Zoom
Wed 17 Jan		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Wed 21 Feb		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Mon 26 Feb		Transforming Conversations Day 1 of 4	Ian Bussell		Great Hall
Tue 27 Feb		Transforming Conversations Day 2 of 4	Ian Bussell		Great Hall
Thu 29 Feb	CMD	Introduction to Data Protection	Annemarie	10am - 1pm	Great Hall
Tue 05 Mar		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Thu 07 Mar	CMD	It's a Christening!	Sharon / Jo	TBC	Great Hall
Thu 18 Apr		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Sun 28 Apr		EcoChurch celebration	Sophie Phillips	1-6pm	Cathedral
Wed 01 May		Transforming Conversations Day 3 of 4	Ian Bussell		Great Hall
Thu 02 May		Transforming Conversations Day 4 of 4	Ian Bussell		Great Hall
Thu 23 May		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Tue 04 Jun	CMD	journey of generosity	Brigit Kiyaga		Mill House Retreat
Wed 19 Jun		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall
Thu 27 Jun	CMD	Good DP practice guidance	Annemarie	10am - 1pm	Great Hall
Thu 18 Jul		First incumbents	Ian Bussell	10am-3pm	Great Hall

### Preaching the Themes of Lent

#### Tuesday 16 January, 10.30 | on-line via Zoom

Workshop leader: Michael Beck, Tutor in Preaching at Lindisfarne Regional Training Programme

This workshop will look at the range of readings used in the season of Lent and the themes that might emerge from these. There will be time to share experience and ideas as well as asking questions.

Ticket prices: general, £12; ministry student, £10



#### Experimenting with Form in Preaching

#### Saturday 27 January, 10.00 | Trinity College, Bristol, BS9 1JP

Workshop leader: Martin Little, Vicar of St John the Evangelist, Highbridge

Many of us have a default form or structure that is our 'go-to' for creating a sermon, particularly under the pressure of a Sunday deadline. But how often do we stop to consider alternatives? This workshop explores how we can vary the literary forms we use in preaching to provide fresh perspectives for our preaching and variety for our congregations.

Ticket prices: general, £35; ministry student, £30

#### Preaching on and Through Music

#### Saturday 10 February, 10.30 | on-line via Zoom

Workshop leader: Vicky Johnson, Canon Precentor, York Minster

This session will explore the use of music in preaching the gospel, whether to inform, enhance or enable our preaching and as a means of connecting congregations to the words of scripture in an experiential way.

Ticket prices: general, £12; ministry student, £10

## **Preaching at Funerals**

**Monday 12 February, 10.30 | on-line via Zoom**

Workshop leader: Jennifer Brown, Director of Training, College of Preachers

This workshop will consider how our funeral preaching can honour the desire for a funeral to celebrate the life of the departed and provide comfort to the bereaved while still clearly proclaiming the resurrection hope of the gospel.

Ticket prices: general, £12; ministry student, £10

## **Out of the Shadows: Preaching the Women of the Bible**

**Saturday 17 February, 10.00 | Community of the Resurrection, Mirfield, WF14 0BN**

Workshop leader: Liz Shercliff, Tutor, Luther King Centre, Manchester

This workshop will look at some of the stories of women contained within the Bible, how we can preach about them, and why it matters that we do so.

Ticket prices: general, £50; ministry student, £45 (includes lunch)

## **Preaching the Events of Good Friday as Seen through the Women's Eyes**

**Saturday 9 March, 10.30 | on-line via Zoom**

Workshop leader: Liz Shercliff, Tutor, Luther King Centre, Manchester

This workshop will look at Good Friday through the eyes of the women and consider how the insights from this perspective can inform our preaching on and about this important day in the Church's year.

Ticket prices: general, £12; ministry student, £10

## **The Language of Resurrection: Finding the Right Words**

**Monday 11 March, 09.30 | Gladstone's Library, Hawarden, Wales, CH5 3DF**

Workshop leader: Rod Garner, Anglican priest, writer, and theologian

This workshop is for preachers wishing to engage with the questions our secular age raises in relation to preaching the hope of the resurrection. Preparing for Holy Week and Easter provides the fitting, even urgent context, in which teaching and faithfulness to the word of God can be enriched by the fruits of theology and the creative imagination.

Ticket prices (includes lunch): general, £40; ministry student, £37.50 (includes lunch).

## **Connecting Old Testament & New Testament in Our Preaching**

**Saturday 20 April, 10.30 | on-line via Zoom**

Workshop leader: Philip Jenson, former lecturer in Old Testament, Ridley Hall, Cambridge

This workshop explores two helpful ways in which preachers can connect the two Testaments and open up how God is at work both in the past and the present: a fresh appreciation of the imagery and archetypes of the Bible and a sophisticated approach to the Grand Narrative of Scripture. The workshop will emphasize interpretation rather than technique, but will include opportunities for dialogue, questions, and practical work on selected texts.

Ticket prices: general, £12; ministry student, £10

**Further details and links to book tickets for all workshops are available on the College of Preachers' website:**

[www.collegeofpreachers.co.uk/events](http://www.collegeofpreachers.co.uk/events).