

MODERN CHURCH CONFERENCE 2012

Monday 16 July.

From 2pm	Arrivals
3.30	Tea
4.00	Welcome and introduction from the Conference Chair, Harriet Harris
5.15	Introduction to Social Sculpture: Deborah Ravetz
5.45	Book Launch (to 6.15)
6.30	Dinner
7.45	Domestic abuse of women across the world - ecclesial and cultural collusions: Revd Dr Elizabeth Keopping
9.00	Brief Night Prayers: Chaplain, Miranda Threlfall-Holmes
9.15	Bar open
9.15-9.45	Drink and welcome to new conference goers

Tuesday 17

8.00	Morning Worship
8.30	Breakfast
9.30	Women Leaders in the Early Church: Loveday Alexander and Charlotte Methuen
10.45	Coffee
11.15	Response to the C of E Synod vote on Women and the Episcopate: Bp Peter Price and Revd Canon Vanessa Herrick, followed by panel. Discussion with other speakers (depending on who is available)
1.00	Lunch
2.15	AGM of Modern Church (otherwise free)
3.45	Tea
4.15	Workshops: Personal presence and authentic conversations - Pip Haydock: Social Sculpture - Deborah Ravetz: Poetry - Nicola Slee - Meditation led by Vanessa Herrick
6.30	Dinner
7.45	The difference'difference'makes, reflections from within Islam: Imam Halima Krausen
9.00	Night Prayers
9.15	Bar open

Wednesday 18

- 8.00 Morning Worship
- 8.30 Breakfast
- 9.30 'Exemplar reasoning: holy figures, role models, and the art of conversation across faiths and cultures'. Theory and Practice: Victoria Harrison and Rhett Gayle
- 11.00 Coffee
- 11.30 "Leadership" and "Discipleship" in the Anglican Divines. Valentine Cunningham
- 1.00 Lunch
- Afternoon free
- 3.45 Tea
- 4.00 Workshops same as Tuesday, plus 'Challenges and opportunities in Interfaith dialogue': Bonnie Evans-Hills
- 5.30 Eucharist
- 6.30 Dinner
- 8.00 'Getting off to a good start - how the Baha'i faith championed equality from the outset': Sepideh Taheri

Thursday 19

- 8.00 Morning Worship
- 8.30 Breakfast
- 9.30 Equality and diversity - who decides and why: Carrie Pemberton Ford, chaired by Sepideh Taheri
- 10.45 Coffee
- Closing Session with Panel
- 1.00 Lunch and depart