

2019 Nurture Programme – Courses & single sessions

Opportunities to reflect about the faith throughout the year.

Back to Basics: A simple guide to the Christian Faith. Really simple!

A straightforward two evening presentation of what the Christian faith and being a Christian is all about. Two evening course – repeated five times a year.

Wednesdays from 7:30pm to 9pm. Venue: Church. 6th & 13th of February. 8th & 15th of May. 3rd & 10th of July. 4th & 11th of September and 6th & 13th of November.

Bite sized single sessions of faith/ ethical topics.

Looking at one issue a month. Presentation followed by discussion. Repeated day time and evening. Mondays 7:30pm to 9pm Venue: Hall. Tuesdays 1pm to 2:30pm. Venue (tbc)

- Faith and Science. 25th and 26th of February.
- Understanding the death of Jesus. 25th and 26th of March.
- What on earth is the Holy Spirit? 29th and 30th of April.
- Life after death? 20th and 21st of May.
- Living by a code of ethics. 24th and 25th of June.
- Miracles in an age of doubt. 22nd and 23rd of July.
- Different proofs for God’s existence. 19th and 20th of August.
- Euthanasia. 2nd and 3rd of September.
- Are all religions the same? 21st and 22nd of October.
- God made ... male and female? 4th and 5th of November.

Lent course – ‘Chocolat’!

Our fourth Lent course (five weeks) using a film (this time ‘Chocolat’ to explore Christian themes to do with giving up; giving out; getting wise; getting real and growing up. March and April – day time and evening.

Evening group based in someone’s home – evening (tbc). Day time – Tuesdays at 1pm. Venue – (tbc)

Connecting with the Diocesan ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ initiative run between Ascension to Pentecost

Christians throughout the diocese will be asked to pray for five people each day to come to Jesus. Alongside this we are putting on the ‘Lost for Words’ course (four weeks) helping Christians to speak more naturally and easily about their faith. May and June – day time and evening.

Evenings from 7:30pm to 9pm. Wednesdays – 22nd & 29th of May; and the 5th & 12th of June. Venue Church,

Day time from 1pm to 2:30pm. Tuesdays – 28th of May; and the 4th, 11th and 18th of June. Venue (tbc)

Bible Study Course – Exploring the Book of Revelation

September over three weeks. Day time and evening.

Evenings – Mondays in the Hall. 7:30pm to 9pm. 16th, 23rd and 30th of September.

Day times – Tuesday 1pm to 2:30pm: Venue (tbc) 17th, 24th of September and 1st of October.

Advent course – ‘Living in the Light’

A four-week course enabling Advent to become real and not kicked into the long grass by Christmas! Luke – reporting the coming of the Christ. John – reflecting on the coming of Christ. Mary – responding to the coming of Christ. Paul – rejoicing in the future coming of Christ. Mid November to mid-December – day time and evening.

Evenings – Mondays in the Hall. 7:30pm to 9pm. 18th and 25th of November; and 2nd and 9th of December.

Day time – Tuesdays. 1pm to 2:30pm. Venue (tbc) 19th and 26th of November; and 3rd and 10th of December.
