

ACROSS THE CITY

NEWS OF CHRISTIAN EVENTS IN AND AROUND CAMBRIDGE

CHRISTIAN HERITAGE WEBINARS



**The Radical Christian Enlightener:
Exploring the Subversive Thought of
Johann Georg Hamann**

**Monday, 5 July
7.30PM | On Zoom**

Dr John Betz

Associate Professor, University of Notre Dame

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Please join us as Dr John Betz talks about how Hamann is a great example of how Christians engage thoughtfully with culture, and asks whether he could be a model for us as we seek to be salt and light in our society.

Register Here:
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Please find further details on our website <https://www.eagp.org.uk/training/team-training/> or get in touch with the Administrator Caroline at teamadmin1@gmail.com.



**Free Online Training
June - July 2021**

SHARING CHRIST CROSS-CULTURALLY

Training for the journey of loving and witnessing to friends from other cultures, from the Biblical basis through top practical tips and ideas.

Join us for

Six 90-minute seminars (on Zoom) with a chance to explore the foundations of cross-cultural understanding, and some more in-depth training on specific cultures.

Including teaching, discussion groups and Q&A time. Come for as many sessions as you can.

Register here: www.friendsinternational.uk/training

Questions? Email: julia.trarbach@friendsinternational.uk



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on Monday, July 5th at 7:30pm BST

Hamann is the key Enlightenment thinker that you don't generally get to hear about. He had critiqued Immanuel Kant's Critique of Pure Reason before that seminal work was even published. He analysed the key, self-defeating weaknesses in Moses Mendelssohn's capitulation to a secular worldview, and predicted the danger that this would lead to for the Jewish people in Germany. He was admired by Goethe, Schelling, Schlegel, and Kierkegaard, and was a significant inspiration to that great man's philosophical work.

Hamann is a great example of how Christians engage thoughtfully with culture: could he be a model for us, as we seek to be salt and light in a collapsing society?

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FRIENDS INTERNATIONAL

We live in a multi-cultural and connected world. We have great opportunities to reach people from different cultures just on our doorstep.

How should we love those God has placed around us?

Friends International invites you to join our summer training series exploring foundational issues in sharing Christ cross-culturally.

The six 90-minute free seminars continuing in July (2nd @ 7.30, 10th @ 10.30am, 16th @ 7.30pm & 24th @ 10.30am) will form a toolbox to help train you for the journey of loving and witnessing to friends from other cultures, from the Biblical basis through to practical tips and ideas.

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JUNE - JULY 2021

ONLINE TRAINING THIS SUMMER

<p>7:30PM</p> <p>Friday 18th June</p> <p>A GOSPEL FOR ALL NATIONS</p> <p>Why culture and world-view matter when sharing the gospel.</p>	<p>10:30AM</p> <p>Saturday 26th June</p> <p>WELCOMING INTERNATIONALS</p> <p>How to make our churches and CU's 'international ready'.</p>
<p>Friday 2nd July</p> <p>RELATING TO INTERNATIONALS</p> <p>How to reach students from a Far East Asian background.</p>	<p>Saturday 10th July</p> <p>RELATING TO INTERNATIONALS</p> <p>How to reach students from a Hindu background.</p>
<p>Friday 16th July</p> <p>RELATING TO INTERNATIONALS</p> <p>How to reach European students.</p>	<p>Saturday 24th July</p> <p>OPENING THE BIBLE WITH INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS</p> <p>Preparing and leading seeker Bible study groups.</p>



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BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH PRESENTS

Silver Sunday

On 3rd October we will be launching **ClubVintage**, a weekly group aimed at older folk in Swavesey and the surrounding villages, with a

Vintage Tea Party

on 3rd October,
from 2pm to 4pm
at
Bethel Baptist Church,
Swavesey



The Faraday Institute for Science and Religion SUMMER COURSE:

Interaction of Science and Faith in a Challenging World

Keynote Speaker: Revd Prof. Alister McGrath
Online from Sunday 4th July to Friday 9th July -
we shall be hosting two or three webinars
given by an array of international speakers
highly qualified in their individual fields.

There will also be some opportunity
for on-line discussion.

This course is aimed at students or university graduates from any background. No formal training in science or theology is assumed. Although many of the speakers have a personal Christian faith, the talks are intended for those of all faiths or none.

Cost: Regular ticket: £75, Student ticket: £25.

For more information www.faraday.cam.ac.uk or to book visit faraday.institute/interaction





CAMBRIDGE CENTRE FOR
**CHRISTIANITY
WORLDWIDE**

LIBRARY REOPENING

The CCCW library is open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 1st June.

Members of the CTF and the University of Cambridge may now book ahead to use the library.

Bookings are for morning sessions (10am-1pm) and afternoon sessions (1:30pm-4pm).

Four spaces are available both morning and afternoon. Email the Librarian at library@cccw.cam.ac.uk to book.



Cambridge & District
**YOUTH
FOR CHRIST**

LOOKING FOR NEW IDEAS FOR YOUR YOUTH WORK?

Is your church wanting to reach more young people in your community? Youth for Christ resources could help!

With resources for ages from 7 all the way up to 25, there's a great range from discipleship materials to evangelistic tools, and even all ages services.

A local youth leader said "The session builder is easy to use and there is a wide variety of ideas you can pick and choose what would work best for your group. As well as great teaching content there are lots of icebreaker games and challenges to start your sessions off. So if you are stuck for ideas for your youth sessions, I would totally recommend Youth for Christ Resources."

Find out more at cambridgeyfc.uk

RESOURCES

CINNAMON

CINNAMON CONNECT is for anyone - leaders, volunteers, and activists - who wants to see Christian social action make a difference in their community.

With the delayed easing of lockdown, a lot of your July plans may be back on ice. We share your frustration. But take heart! Churches across the country are making an incredible impact and will continue to be at the heart of our nation's recovery. Here are a few resources, events, and even funding opportunities to help you as you continue to engage with your community.

How to support children and young people

Last chance to win £25k

Get expert advice on youth or children's work

Continue to help our churches



We Need to Talk About the Kids

...or rather, we need to talk with the kids.

At our last Cinnamon Connect Webinar, Sabrina and Nathan Dennis from First Class Foundation and Joe Lowther from Kick told us what they're doing to support young people - and it starts with listening.

You can rewatch the webinar on **Cinnamon Connect** until 8 July and download the accompanying resources, which include the "Seven Tips to Successfully Support Children and Young People."

JOIN CINNAMON CONNECT free
<https://www.cinnamonnetwork.co.uk>

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## **REGULAR EVENTS**

**CAMBRIDGE CHRISTIAN WRITERS** (part of the ACW).  
We meet bi-monthly on Zoom. Our website is:  
<https://cambridgechristianwriters793253341.wordpress.com>  
where you can see what we do as a group.

### **FRIENDS INTERNATIONAL in Cambridge**

If you would like to join us on Tuesday mornings (10-10.30am each week) to pray for internationals in Cambridge please contact us for the Zoom link. [cambridge@friendsinternational.uk](mailto:cambridge@friendsinternational.uk)

### **HOPE CAMBRIDGE LEADERS' PRAYER**

Monthly: third Tuesday of the month 12.30-1.30pm. Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81503342123?pwd=bXhzQk1ZMlIET0paYTjhY2F6aGdudz09> Meeting ID: 815 0334 2123 Password: 135563

### **VISTA INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S GROUP**

based at St Martin's Church, Cambridge  
meets on Zoom every other Friday from 10.30am to 11.30am.  
We welcome international women of all ages and backgrounds to join us for chat, talks, activities, cookery and craft demonstrations.  
Contact: [vista-team@stm.org.uk](mailto:vista-team@stm.org.uk) for Zoom link.

### **ST MARTIN'S WOMEN'S BREAKFAST**

Welcome to our meeting on Zoom on the first Saturday of each month from 9-10am, for friendly conversation and an inspiring speaker.  
Please phone Liz on 07484 705412 for the link.

### **ST MARTIN'S CRAFT CAFÉ**

meets every Saturday 10.30am to midday on Zoom.  
Everyone welcome to bring along and share craft projects and cookery. Contact [craftcafe@stm.org.uk](mailto:craftcafe@stm.org.uk) for the Zoom link.

### **HEPHZIBAH CAMBRIDGE**

Hephzibah is meeting via Zoom, with meetings starting at 7.30pm and lasting approx 90 minutes.

20 July - Jacob Vince, CEO of Christian Friends of Israel: 'The unfolding of your word brings light' (Psalm 119:130) . How the biblical canon, 'all inspired scripture', unfolds in four parts, law, prophets, psalms and apostles from creation to completion, revealing the one true, covenant-making and covenant-keeping, relational God.

21 September - Don Horowitz, Executive Director of Christians Care International (CCI). Don will talk about the considerable suffering in the Jewish communities of Ukraine. Also how CCI is blessing, saving and bringing home brothers and sisters from Ukraine.

Please apply for relevant access code via our website  
[www.hephzibahcambridge.org](http://www.hephzibahcambridge.org) or email [hephzibahcambridge@yahoo.com](mailto:hephzibahcambridge@yahoo.com)

### **BIBLICAL CREATION GROUP**

Contact: [biblicalcreation@hotmail.com](mailto:biblicalcreation@hotmail.com) or 07543 827335

### **FRIENDS INTERNATIONAL: THE BARN CAFÉ**

A great community for internationals and language students in Cambridge. For Zoom meetings - contact: [barninternational@gmail.com](mailto:barninternational@gmail.com) or @ficams on Facebook and Instagram

## **CHURCH SERVICE UPDATES**

### **ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MILTON**

Sunday services at 8am and 10.30am and online services at  
[www.allsaintsmilton.org.uk/youtube](http://www.allsaintsmilton.org.uk/youtube)

### **ST PHILIP'S CHURCH**

Sundays at 10.30am Service on Zoom plus small services in the building at 8.30am and 4pm on alternate weeks.

For more info: [www.stphilipchurch.org.uk](http://www.stphilipchurch.org.uk)



## CHRISTIAN HERITAGE FUTURE Webinars

**Monday, August 23rd at 7:30pm**

*The Nuts and Bolts of How We Know:*

A conversation with author and philosopher Esther Lightcap Meek  
For details see: <https://roundchurchcambridge.org/events>

## CARE FOR THE FAMILY



## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

**Saturday 25 September  
via Zoom**

We're excited to reach even more toddler group leaders this autumn as our national conference will be online for the second year! So many church toddler groups have worked incredibly hard to support and engage families throughout this pandemic. No longer able to connect with families as before – we've had to find new ways – we've had to change!

That's why the theme of this year's conference, *Catalyst for Change*, is so exciting; a catalyst increases the rate of a chemical reaction and brings about change. We'll explore how we can use what we've learnt and continue to be catalysts for change – sparking a reaction within our toddler groups and communities in the season ahead.

Our workshops will include:

Church and toddler groups: an explosive relationship

Loving others and loving yourself

Being creative throughout the year with Christian festivals - and more!

Speakers: Rob Parsons and Cathy Madavan

Worship – led by Sue Rinaldi

## FINDING EMPLOYMENT

### Course @ C3

3 x 90 minute online sessions to help you find work  
16, 23 & 30 September. Starting at 8pm

The course includes:

- what are my skills and where are the jobs?
- application forms and CVs
- preparing for interviews

We are also offering a limited number of personalised two-to-one online support sessions when two of our team will focus on your specific needs to help you find work.

Interested? Contact: [www.thec3.uk/findingemployment](http://www.thec3.uk/findingemployment) 01223 844415

## MISCELLANEOUS

### CORNERSTONE CAFÉ

185 Mill Road, Cambridge

Now Fully Open, Mon – Fri 9am-2.30pm

Serving good home-cooked food, daily specials, great coffee and homemade cakes.

Do you have a few spare hours to **volunteer** in our café?

No experience needed as full training will be given.

For more information please contact the Cafe Manager on [cafe@stphilipchurch.org.uk](mailto:cafe@stphilipchurch.org.uk)

## CCC INNOVATE & CULTIVATE FUND

Application Deadline 1st August 2021

One-to-one pre-application advice available on 22nd and 23rd June

The fund is open to churches in and outside of Cambridgeshire.

Open for applications (£2,000-£15,000) for projects that build community support networks for vulnerable people.

The 'Innovate' funding stream (£15,000-£50,000) is currently suspended.

For further information visit: [www.cambscf.org.uk/icf.html](http://www.cambscf.org.uk/icf.html)

**FREE MISSION PRAISE SONGBOOKS:** Approximately 25 copies, words edition songs to 798. Please contact Tudor Parsons, Pastor, Haddenham Baptist Church 01353 741657

## SMALL ADS

## ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE

**THREE BEDROOM HOUSE** in Oakington to rent. Lounge, kitchen/diner, additional downstairs toilet. Quiet location and off road parking. Easy access to M11/A14 and good bus service to city centre. £800pcm+bills. Contact Peter or Clare 07879 002015

## RECRUITING RESIDENTS FOR LYN'S HOUSE, CAMBRIDGE

Are you a student, recent graduate or a young adult looking for a place to live? Live as part of a small, praying, ecumenical Christian community and share in a ministry of friendship centred on adults with intellectual disabilities, supported by volunteers and trustees within the wider Lyn's House community. Available from the end of August in a shared, 3-bedroom house. Monthly rents from £564 to £620.

More details are available on 'Christian Flatshare': <https://tinyurl.com/3rcmfdnf> For more information, or an informal conversation, email Carole Irwin [ci235@cam.ac.uk](mailto:ci235@cam.ac.uk)

## ACCOMMODATION WANTED

**RECENT GRADUATE CHRISTIAN MALE** working at M&S in Cambridge seeks a room in a shared house or family home from mid-August. Presently living in the Vicarage with my parents until they move to a new post. Friendly, tidy non-smoker happy to share chores. Please contact me by email at [louis@inyourfaith.co.uk](mailto:louis@inyourfaith.co.uk)

**GENR8 TEAM MEMBER** - Ideally seeking self-contained annex or similar for Mid August able to pay £500 a month rent, possibly £600 if necessary. Either long term or short term. Please contact if able to help in any way. 07702 649469, [petalwhite@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:petalwhite@hotmail.co.uk)

## VACANCIES

### CAMBRIDGE CENTRE FOR CHRISTIANITY WORLDWIDE

#### JOB OPPORTUNITY: CENTRE COORDINATOR

We are looking for a creative and well-organised individual to coordinate the Centre's activities, including managing and developing the Intercultural Encounter Scheme for young adults and students.

If you are interested – or know someone who might be – please have a look at the full job advertisement. If you would like an informal conversation about what the role involves, do get in touch with Jenny Leith at [centre@cccw.cam.ac.uk](mailto:centre@cccw.cam.ac.uk)

**LINK HOUSE TRUST** is a Christian managed charity based in Chesterton Road, Cambridge, which aims to provide a community for Post-Graduate students from about 20 countries, studying at university here. We are currently looking for a new Treasurer to take over in the early autumn. You don't need to be a trained accountant, but being numerate and familiar with figures is important. It is not a significant time commitment, but if you have an interest in Internationals, and are curious to know more, please contact Stuart Anderson, Chair of the Trustees, Link House, Cambridge for more information: email: [stuartanderson30@icloud.com](mailto:stuartanderson30@icloud.com)

**CAMBRIDGE YOUTH FOR CHRIST** are looking to fill **two youth worker vacancies**. Would you like to be part of a visionary team looking to see a culture-changing number of young people following Jesus? Are you a self-starter with a passion for working with young people? Can you understand and respond to the challenges of working within a range of church traditions?

**YouthInc Catalyst Worker:** Developing youth ministry with rural churches in South Cambs <https://cambridgeyfc.uk/vacancy/catalyst-youth-worker-youthinc>

and **Catalyst Youth Worker (St. Neots):** Developing youth ministry with rural churches in St. Neots <https://cambridgeyfc.uk/vacancy/catalyst-youth-worker-st-neots/18.75hpw>, flexible, salary of up to £23,000 (depending on experience) based on 37.5 hpw. Closing date: 12th July.

**ZION BAPTIST CHURCH (ZBC)** invites applications for the posts of: **Church Administrator**, 4.5 hours p/w @ £10.68 p/h; and **English Classes' Coordinator**, 4.5 hrs p/w (term-time only) @ £10.68 p/h. Good communication and interpersonal skills are essential. Further details are available upon request. To apply please send your CV, a covering letter, and the names and email addresses of two referees to: Reverend Gale Richards at: Zion Baptist Church, 1 East Road, Cambridge CB1 1BD, or email office@zionbc.org.uk Closing date for applications Friday 9 July

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