

Events for Year 7 (ordained deacon 2008):

It is expected that Year 7 Stipendiary Ministers will attend the full IME 7 course, which is designed to help prepare clergy for and support them in making the transition into taking on responsibility for parishes. Much of the content will also be relevant for SSMS/OLM/MSEs, who are warmly welcome, if able to attend; please tell me if you are coming. The programme is also open to any who have recently made the transition into a post of responsibility (e.g. those in Year 8/9).

The IME 7 Course:

A sandwich lunch is provided at all of the following (except the evening event on 29th Sept.):

Wed. 7th Sept. 2010, 10.30 am - 1.00 pm

Session 1: Parish structures, chairing a PCC, and the church representation rules (Legal Issues 1)

Church House, North Shields, NE29 6HS

Thurs. 29th Sept. 2011, 6.45 - 9.30 pm

Additional event; Pastoral Care Evening:

**“An Evening With Dementia” – the critically-acclaimed play, performed
by its author, Trevor Smith, followed by reflection and discussion**

*School Hall, Durham High School for Girls, Farewell Hall,
South Road, Durham, DH1 3TB*

Mon. 3rd Oct. 2011, 10.30 am - 1.00 pm

Session 2: Marriage law (Legal Issues 2), with Philip Wills, Assistant Registrar, Diocese of Durham

BHP Law, Kepier House, Belmont Business Park, Durham, DH1 1TW

Wed. 16th Nov. 2011, 10.30 am - 2.00 pm

Session 3: Churchyards, and employing staff (Legal Issues 3), with Philip Wills, and Rev Mark Worthington

BHP Law, Kepier House, Belmont Business Park, Durham, DH1 1TW

Thurs. 1st Dec. 2011, 10.30 am - 1.00 pm,

Session 4: Buildings, working with the DAC, faculties, etc. (Legal Issues 4), with Bill Heslop, Secretary to the Durham DAC

Church House, North Shields, NE29 6HS

Wed. 25th Jan. 2012, 10.30 am - 1.00 pm

Session 5: Supervising others and working with volunteers, and enabling others to develop in ministry

St. Giles' Church Hall, Gilesgate, Durham, DH1 1 QQ

Mon. 27th Feb. 2012, 10.30 am – 1.30 pm

**Session 6: Healthy churches and mission planning, with Richard Gascoyne,
Newcastle Diocese Funding Adviser
Church House, North Shields, NE29 6HS**

Thurs. 22nd March 2012, 10.30 am - 1.00 pm

**Session 7: Sustenance and support in ministry, and course review
St. Giles' Church, Gilesgate, Durham, DH1 1 QQ**

Other events:

Child Protection Training:

(If you have not previously participated in Child Protection Training, this should be attended, please:)

Sat. 15th Oct. 2011, 9.45am - 3.00pm - Child and Vulnerable Adult Protection Training

St. Ninian's Church Hall, Ivy Lane, Low Fell, Gateshead, NE9 6QD

Buffet lunch will be provided

Optional session for stipendiary clergy, recommended for any who have not previously attended this:

**Thurs. 12th Jan. 2012, 10.00-1.30 pm – Financial Planning for Stipendiary Clergy,
with Bruce Rickards and Alan Lee of Ecclesiastical Insurance (with Year 4)**

St. Giles' Church Hall, Gilesgate, Durham, DH1 1 QQ

Optional Event – Praxis Liturgical Day:

Sat. 4th Feb. 2012, 10.00 am - 3.00 pm - Praxis Liturgical Event: Healing, Dying and Death

St Mary's Heworth, Gateshead, NE10 0UT

Optional event for single curates:

Wed. 25th April 2012, 7.00 – (c.) 9.30pm - Called, collared and single – reflections on being single in ministry, over supper

Brancepeth Rectory, Brancepeth, Durham, Dh7 8EL

Supper provided

Optional residential retreat:

Fri. 11th (6.00 pm) - Sun. 12th (2.00 pm) May 2012 –

Space, for prayer, being alone, being with others.

Entirely optional but (a) limited places; (b) if not enough bookings have been

received to make this viable by the end of 2011, the event will have to be cancelled

to avoid wasting resources.

*Hexham and Newcastle Diocesan Youth Village, Pemberton Rd., Consett, Allensford,
Co. Durham, DH8 9BA*

End of Year Worship and Party (attendance optional):

Mon. 9th July 2012, 7.00 - 10.00 pm - IME 4-7 worship & party for all curates

St. Brandon's Church, Brancepeth, then Brancepeth Rectory, DH7 8EL

Buffet supper provided