North-East Presbyteries Conference

Aberdeen, Buchan, Gordon, Kincardine and Deeside, Moray.

What kind of church? Life Together
Acorn Centre, West Parish Church, Inverurie
Saturday 8th September 2018
10.00 – 16.00

This conference will examine the question ‘What kind of church?’ It will explore the theological issues that surround the challenges and opportunities which present themselves to churches as they seek to bear a faithful witness to the Gospel in the world today.

Guided by the four questions crafted by Practical Theologian Richard Osmer; ‘What is going on?’, ‘Why is this going on?’, ‘What ought to be going on?’ and ‘How might we respond?’ we shall consider the nature of Christian fellowship as discussed by Dietrich Bonhoeffer and what it means to participate in the mission of God.

Rev Dr Ken Jeffrey, Dr David Smith, Rev Professor Philip Ziegler

PROGRAMME
10.00am: Registration
10.15am: Introduction and Opening Act of Worship
10.30am: What is going on?
11.00am: Why is this going on?:
11.30am: Coffee
11.50am: What ought to be going on 1?
12.35pm: Small Group discussion and Plenary
13.00pm: Lunch
13.50pm: What ought to be going on 2?
14.35pm: Small Group discussion and Plenary
15.00pm: Comfort Break
15.15pm: How might we respond?
15.45pm: Closing Act of Worship

Refreshments and lunch will be provided.

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