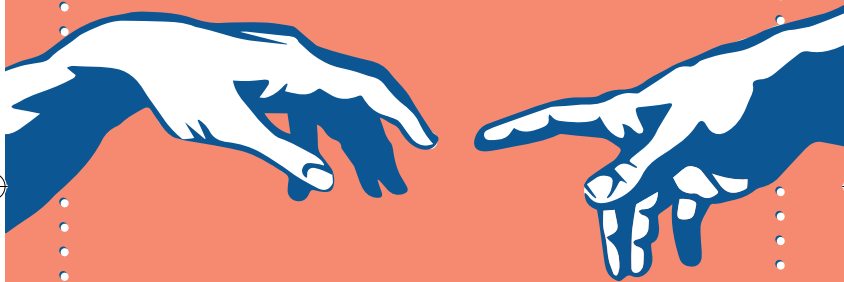


North West Youth Works presents
'NWP Youth & Children's Leaders Annual Conference'

ENGAGING WITH GOD



Helping youth and children
meet the living Lord Jesus

Saturday 12th March 2016
(10am to 4pm) St John's, Hartford

Cost £15





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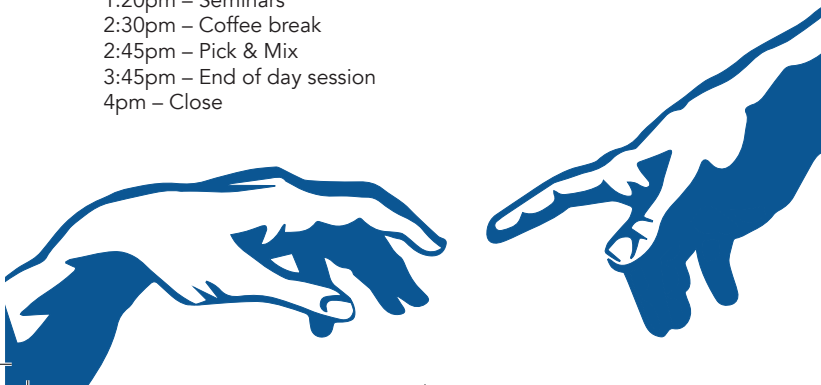
We rightly want our Youth and Children's Ministries to be Bible centred and our Bible teaching to be excellent, but do we sometimes forget that these are only a means to an end? They are the way in which the Youth and Children in our churches will encounter the Living Lord Jesus. We can't be satisfied with mere head knowledge and this year at our training day we'll be thinking about how to ensure we're not.

The day will include our main sessions together and your chosen seminars. There will also be a chance to browse our extensive books stall and time to pray and network with other like-minded Christians involved in children's and youth work.



Overview of the day:

9:30am – Doors open, refreshments and bookstall
10am – Main session: Engaging with God part I
11am – Coffee break
11:30am – Main session: Engaging with God part II
12:20pm – Lunch
1:20pm – Seminars
2:30pm – Coffee break
2:45pm – Pick & Mix
3:45pm – End of day session
4pm – Close





Seminars:



There will be a choice of practical seminars covering Engaging with God through...

1. The Bible – Do you find it hard to get Youth, Children and Families to read the Bible for themselves? This seminar will give you some ideas on what to do.
2. Prayer – For the majority of children praying in groups does not come easily, come and hear how to make it easier.
3. Singing – Whether you can't hold a tune or you're auditioning for Frozen II, this seminar will help you use music in your Y&C groups.
4. The Church – If the church is the body of Christ then in some way engaging with the rest of the church is engaging with God – if only it weren't so hard!

Pick and Mix:

(no need to pre-book your preference for these)

Take your pick on the day between the following options:

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- Age-related discussion groups – Informal gatherings of those working with a similar age; a time to share experiences with people doing the same thing as you;
 - Quiz the speaker – An opportunity to ask the speaker questions on what he says;
 - 1 to 1s – A chance to speak 1 to 1 with an experienced full time leader about specific issues in your church and ministry;
 - Let's play and pray – Stay in the main area to sing and pray and hear testimonies of God's work in the lives of volunteer Y&C leaders like you.
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Discounts:

There are bursaries available for those who would like to attend but cannot afford the full cost – please contact the NW Partnership office for more information on the address listed below.



BOOKING FORM

12th March 2016 (Southern venue) Cost £15

NAME:

ADDRESS:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

CONTACT NUMBER:



Seminar Choice:

Please choose a first and second preference for seminars –
in most cases we will be able to book you into your first choice:

1ST CHOICE

2ND CHOICE

You can book online www.soundholidays.org.uk/children-youth-workers-conference
or return this form along with a cheque made payable to North West Partnership
to Jill Tunley, NW Partnership Trust, 2 Blackburne Place, Liverpool, L8 7PE.
Alternatively you can book places by emailing jill@northwestpartnership.com with
'Children's and Youth Leaders Conference' in the subject box.