

The Church of England Guild of Vergers

Annual Training Conference and Retreat



Monday 9 – Thursday 12 August 2021

Elim Conference Centre
De Walden Road, West Malvern,
Worcestershire. WR14 4DF

BOOKING FORM

Please use this as your booking form
and send it by post or email in PDF to:

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**Bookings must be received
by Friday 9 July 2021**

TITLE:

NAME:

ADDRESS:

POSTCODE:

HOME TELEPHONE:

MOBILE TELEPHONE:

EMAIL:

PARISH CHURCH ETC...:

**ATTENDANCE (tick ONLY the days & meals you will be attending)
COST FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday			Dinner
Monday	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
Tuesday	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
Wednesday	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
Thursday	Breakfast	Lunch	

ONE DAY OVERNIGHT CHARGE

SINGLE OCCUPANCY ROOM	FULL PRICE
Sunday–Thursday inclusive	£370
Monday–Thursday inclusive	£280
DOUBLE OCCUPANCY ROOM	FULL PRICE
Sunday–Thursday inclusive	£320 per person
Monday–Thursday inclusive	£245 per person

The cost of one overnight delegate is £100.00 in a single room, this also includes all meals (dinner, breakfast & lunch)

Day Rate no accommodation is £35 plus £10 evening meal

Deposit of £50.00 sent with booking form, or payment in full

- Cheques payable to **‘Church of England Guild of Vergers Conference Account’**
- or Bank Transfer to Natwest S/C 60-15-31 A/C 83406077
(please email to confirm payment)

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Do you suffer from anything we need to be aware of: YES/NO

If yes, please list below:

ALLERGIES: YES/NO

If yes, please list below:

ARE YOU ON ANY MEDICATION: YES/NO

SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS: YES/NO

If yes, please list below (please ensure you inform us of everything so we can make the necessary arrangements (please do not contact the centre individually)):

NEXT OF KIN CONTACT DETAILS:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

HOW DO I GET THERE:

While the Elim Conference Centre is nestled in the heart of the Malvern Hills, the M5 provides quick and easy road access when travelling south from Birmingham or North from Cardiff and Bristol.

Elim Conference Centre is just two and a quarter hours from London by car, and linked to Birmingham and London Paddington stations by a frequent and fast rail service. The nearest airport is Birmingham International, just one hour away.

BY ROAD: The main entrance to Elim Conference Centre is located on Croft Bank. There is a car park outside the main entrance. Croft Bank is accessed from West Malvern Road (B4232). Further parking is available - follow the signs for Elim International Centre when you arrive at Croft Bank.

FOR SAT NAV: WR14 4DF

BY RAIL: The nearest stations are Great Malvern and Malvern Link. Taxi services from either to the Conference Centre will cost from £13, or let Conference Secretary know if you require a lift

PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK (this is subject to change)

Please note that all services are in the Church, unless otherwise stated

Sunday 8 August		
	1700	Standing Committee
	1830	Dinner
	1930	Executive Committee
Monday 9 August		
	0745	Morning Prayer
	0830	Breakfast
		<i>Delegates arrive</i>
	1030	Annual General Meeting and Open Forum
	1230	Lunch
	1330–1455	Session I : Canon Mark Oakley – 'What happened to my spiritual life? Difficult job, difficult people, and keeping my faith.
	1500–1630	Rehearsal for Opening Eucharist
	1700	Opening Eucharist and Guild Congregation
	1830	Dinner
	2000	Social Evening – Bubbles/Nibbles/Social interaction!.
	2130	Compline (<i>Hereford Suite</i>)
Tuesday 10 August		
	0700	Morning Prayer
	0730	Eucharist
	0830	Breakfast
	1000–1130	Session II : Stephen Borton – 'Marriage Law'
	1200	Angelus & Midday Prayer (<i>Hereford Suite</i>)
	1230	Lunch
	1400–1600	Session III : Canon Andrew Piper – 'Preparing for the Unexpected'
	1645	Committee meetings or Free time etc...
	1830	Dinner
	1930	Healing Service
	2100	Compline (<i>Hereford Suite</i>)
Wednesday 11 August		
	0700	Morning Prayer
	0730	Guild Requiem
	0830	Breakfast
	1000–1145	Session IV : Quiet Morning – Transfiguration
	1200	Angelus & Midday Prayer (<i>Hereford Suite</i>)
	1230	Lunch
	1400–1530	Session V – Practical workshops
	1645	Evensong with Sermon & Benediction: Preacher: Canon Chris Pullin, Chancellor, Hereford Cathedral.
	1830	Dinner
		Evening free for Prayer Walk, Swimming etc...
	1900–1945	Standing Committee
	2100	Compline (<i>Hereford Suite</i>)
Thursday 12 August		
	0800	Morning prayer
	0830	Breakfast
	0930	Meeting & Mop-up Session
	1000	Rehearsal for Closing Eucharist
	1100	Closing Eucharist with Licencing of the New National Chaplain
	1245	Lunch and depart—safe journeys

Robes may be worn at all services

We encourage all delegate to attend the services to experience new traditions and customs and participate fully

Towels are provide in your room, but should you wish to use the heated outdoor pool, please bring your costume and own towel.

No Alcohol is permitted in the Elim International Centre and Grounds