



THE UNIVERSITY of EDINBURGH
School of Divinity



The Church of Scotland



New courses for Church people – all welcome!

Introduction to Pioneer Ministry and Church Planting

This course aims to equip participants with a grounding in the theological understanding and practical knowledge needed to begin new worshipping communities or 'fresh expressions of church', through pioneer ministry and church planting.

The course will be run in partnership with the Mission and Discipleship Council of the Church of Scotland, the Presbytery of Edinburgh and the Scottish Episcopal Institute. It will be led by experienced academics and practitioners.

Course organiser: **Dr Sandy Forsyth**

Where and when?

Classes will take place at New College, 21 September to 30 November 2019, and involve:

- Six evening classes, 6–8pm
- Two Saturday afternoon classes, 1–5pm

Assessment

The course will be piloted in 2019/20. Students who take part in the pilot will not be assessed.

Who is it for?

This course is open to all, lay or ordained, and from any Christian denomination. Participants are likely to be involved at present in beginning a 'fresh expression of church' in their context, or are hoping to do so soon. Maximum enrolment: 25

Course fee

£200

Contact

To register your interest, please email NewCollege@ed.ac.uk





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Training for Leading Worship in a Local Context

This course will be of interest to those who wish to explore the possibility of leading worship in their local church setting. It will focus on the history, theology and structure of worship services in a variety of styles, in order to ground current practice in its wider context.

The course will be run in partnership with the Mission and Discipleship Council of the Church of Scotland, the Presbytery of Edinburgh and the Scottish Episcopal Institute. It will be led by experienced academics and practitioners.

All of the components of a church service will be considered in theory and from a practical perspective. Participants will have opportunities to prepare and deliver prayers, children's talks and sermons, and to construct meaningful orders of service.

Course organiser: **Dr Alison Jack**

Where and when?

Classes will take place at New College, 13 January – 3 April 2020, and involve:

- Six evening classes, 6–8pm
- Two Saturday afternoon classes, 1–5pm

Assessment

The course will be piloted in 2019/20. Students who take part in the pilot will not be assessed.

Who is it for?

This course is open to all. Participants are likely to be active in their local Church. Maximum enrolment: 25

Course fee

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