

A One-Day Seminar and Workshops

Saturday 16 August 2014, 9:30 am—4:00 pm

Booth College of Mission 20 William Booth Grove Upper Hutt

Keynote speakers

Dr Peter Lineham (Professor of History, Massey University, Albany, author and specialist in the religious history of New Zealand and 18th and 19th Century Britain)

George Whitefield (1714-1770) is commonly reckoned as the greatest of the evangelists of the eighteenth century and the most prominent figure in a movement which dramatically transformed the shape of the church on both sides of the Atlantic. Yet his movement was afflicted with extraordinary problems which have often been put down to a lack of leadership. Dr Lineham will present a case study of the struggles of this Christian leader entitled 'Leadership Lessons from the Great Awakening'.

Major (Dr) Harold Hill (Retired Salvation Army officer, author and teacher of Salvation Army history Booth College, Sydney College of Divinity)

Leadership involves the exercise of power within a community. The character of the leader and the nature and polity of the "followership" cannot be considered entirely in isolation. Together they constitute what Foucault describes as "a complex strategical situation in a particular society." This paper attempts to tease out some of the threads in this situation, with particular reference to leadership which might be described as "bad", or even "pathological", and to discuss how these considerations might relate to leadership in the Church.

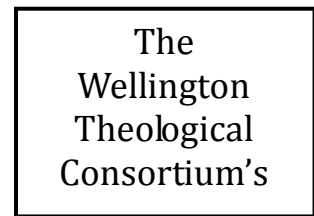
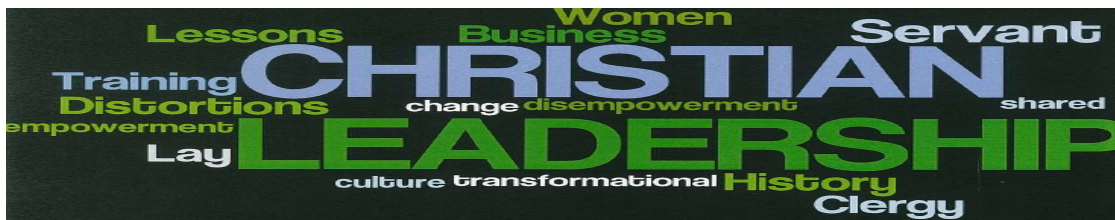
Bishop Peter Cullinane (First bishop of the Catholic diocese of Palmerston North, Companion of the New Zealand Order of Merit for services to the community)

We live at a moment in history when some ways of "being Church" are giving way to different ways of "being Church"; new ways of being require new ways of acting. Some of the consequences of this for leadership style – in radical continuity with the Gospel.

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Workshop presenters

Val Goold (Head of Tertiary Student Christian Fellowship, Auckland University. Val has a Masters in Education with a thesis that examined the experience of women leaders of not for profit organisations)

'Training Leaders' "With the mass of leadership resources available today how do we approach the training of a new generation of leaders? What is at the heart of leadership? How might the New Zealand context shape leadership and how we prepare leaders for the local context as well as the global? What might be the future demands on leadership? How might the leadership of tomorrow differ, or remain the same, from yesterday and today. This is not a workshop of "10 handy hints to becoming a good leader", but rather an opportunity to bring your questions and ideas and we will discuss some of these issues together."

Major Vyvyenne Noakes (The Salvation Army Overseas Development Officer and Senior Training Officer, Booth College of Mission, Wellington)

'Are women leaders born or made?' This workshop will explore the case study of Beatrice, a Rwanda genocide survivor, who has become the leader of a women's empowerment programme which is changing women's lives and communities in Kenya. The group discussion will focus on whether this woman was born a leader or did her life's experience develop her to become the leader of over 20,000 women to date?

Rod Oram (Sunday Star Times journalist, broadcaster and adjunct professor Unitec Business School, Auckland. Rod is a diocesan and general synod representative of the Anglican Church)

'Christian Leadership in Business'. Business and economics have no inherent values. They are systems that are only as good, or bad, as the ethics and values of the people who run them. Good business leaders come in many personalities and styles. Many of them are excellent leaders without being Christians. However, being a Christian can be a help, but it can also be a hindrance. The workshop will explore how we can be effective Christian leaders.

Mary-Anne Peetz (Lay leader, Otari Catholic Parish Wellington, sharing the responsibility of pastoral, spiritual and practical care of the parish community and two schools)

'Lay leadership in the church'. This workshop looks at biblical models of church and leadership, collaborative ministry and Mary-Anne's own journey to lay leadership of a parish.

Registration:

Pre-conference waged: \$35.00 unwaged: \$15.00
On the day waged: \$40.00 unwaged: \$20.00

Catering: morning & afternoon tea provided—lunch, b.y.o or nearby cafes

Online banking:

- Acct No. & Name: 03-1531-0085204-00 - WTC Reference: CL & your name.

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