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Working with the Elderly

An opportunity to: hear from speakers working actively in this field; reflect on the theological nature of this work; consider practical ways forward in your own situation

**Four Sessions on Thursdays 10, 17, 24 June; 1 July
at Bouverie Court 7.30-9.30pm**



The sessions will cover:

- Session 1. Setting the scene – insights into the spirituality of the elderly and the theology of ageing.
- Session 2. Visiting residential care homes – resources and practical issues for working and leading worship in this context.
- Session 3. Inviting the Elderly in – what can we offer in our church buildings?
- Session 4. Reflecting on our own situations – learning from what others are doing; exploring what we can do next.

Cost: £10 for all four sessions or £3 per evening if you wish to attend selected sessions.

Tutors: Geoff Waters—Assistant Curate, has led the ministry of St Giles Church, Northampton with people in the 50+ age group since 2002. This ministry was the subject of a Church Army 'Encounters on the Edge' publication written by George Lings in 2008. He chairs the Northampton 'Enabling Elderly Group'. From 1999-2002, Geoff's work focussed on caring for frail, elderly clients in a Church-based Day Centre in Bristol.

Liz Kelly- Lay Pastoral Minister at St Peter & St Paul's church, Abington, Northampton, where her work includes taking services in Residential Care Homes. She has personal experience of caring for a mother with dementia and this has given her a passion for working with older people, both inside and outside the church.

Members of the Enabling the Elderly Network
in Northampton.

Easy ways to book

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