

RURAL MINISTRY COURSE

20 – 22 March 2012

The Rural Ministry Course is for those who are new to ministry in rural areas. Rural ministry is a specialist ministry for which particular insights and skills are required.

IS THIS COURSE FOR YOU?

- For all engaged in rural ministry, both lay and ordained.

ISSUES TO BE EXPLORED

- Partnership of church and community
- Rural mission and theology
- Networks and power structures
- Working collaboratively and ecumenically
- Patterns of worship, service and evangelism
- The countryside today and tomorrow
- Farming and environmental issues

RESOURCES

- Arthur Rank Centre staff and specialist speaker(s)
- Choice of workshops
- Opportunity to purchase relevant publications

PREPARATION

You will be sent further information about two months before the course, with a small amount of preparatory work for you to do.

COST

The cost of each course is **£220**

This includes a free subscription for one year to Country Way magazine.

The course will start at 1.00pm on Tuesday 20 March 2012 at the Arthur Rank Centre. Later that day you will travel to Offa House, the Coventry Diocesan Retreat House (about 5 miles from the ARC) and finish after lunch on Thursday 22 March 2012.

To reserve your place please complete the booking form over the page and return with the non-returnable deposit of **£75** to the address below. Please make cheques payable to The Arthur Rank Centre.

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(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Surname Title

Christian Name

Preferred Name for use on badges

Address.....

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Tel..... E-mail

Your Denomination

Name of Benefice / Team / Church / Circuit (etc)

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Date of taking up ministry in current / future rural post

Dietary and/or other special requirements (*please specify*)

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Tick here if you are NOT willing to share contact details with other course participants

Please complete & return this form with a cheque made payable to **The Arthur Rank Centre** for the full amount **£220** or non-returnable deposit **£75** (the full payment will be due 30 days before the start of the event) to:-

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PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE FOLLOWING

The Arthur Rank Centre unfortunately needs to guard against the financial loss due to late cancellation of bookings by course participants. We will do all we can to take account of changes in circumstances but we are duty bound to respect the policies of the residential establishments we use.

Cancellation Charges

Cancellation of a booking up to 1 month prior to the course will forfeit the deposit. Re-booking on a subsequent course will incur a full fee including another deposit to be paid. Bookings cancelled with less than one month's notice will be charged 50% of the full course fee. Course bookings cancelled with less than one week's notice may be liable for the full course fee.
