



Evangelist

This course is for you if you:

- ◆ love to share your faith with others
- ◆ have a desire to share but don't know how
- ◆ want to be equipped to engage with issues of the day and show the relevance of faith to those issues
- ◆ want to see the church grow in faith and number.
- ◆ want to be used in areas of evangelism and mission
- ◆ want to know more about the Good News
- ◆ want to explore the difference between mission and evangelism?

The course will include both study and practical experience in these areas:

- ◆ The evangel, what is the Good News we share? Word and deed, Presence, Proclamation, Persuasion.
- ◆ The Evangelist, a gift from God.
- ◆ How do I share the faith I have in God? Jesus and make it relevant to today's post modern society. (What are those issues and how do we address them? Acts 16 Paul in Athens)
- ◆ Process and Crisis evangelism: the process in which people come to faith; courses of process evangelism such as Alpha and Emmaus and the many others around today; exploring the way Crisis evangelism methods have been and continue to be used. (Engel scales etc.)
- ◆ Practical Evangelism, preparing for outreach in a parish: strategy, planning, outworking and follow-up; prayer and evangelism; visitation methods; home groups in missions; target groups
- ◆ Mission shaped Church: its implications for the local church and evangelism
- ◆ Fresh expressions of church: is there a place for Evangelism?
- ◆ Evangelism now, what are others doing? Seeker services (Willow Creek), cell church, Natural Church development, church planting, engaging with spirituality, Children's and Youth evangelism.

