

To reserve a place on:

Your Worship, Your Story

On Saturday 28th November 2009

Please return your completed booking form (overleaf) as soon as possible, to:

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times as you wish and distribute it to friends and
colleagues.*

*We look forward to welcoming you to
The Mirfield Centre.*

The day will be led by:

Revd Dr Roger Grainger

Roger Grainger is a registered Dramatherapist, Chartered Counselling Psychologist and occasional TV actor. He holds a PhD in Sociology from Leeds University as well as Doctorates in Theology and Implicit Religion, and has worked as a psychiatric chaplain for the Stanley Royd Hospital in Wakefield. He is also one of the founders of the National Funeral College and is the author of several books.

The Drama of the Rite' (Sussex Academic Press, 2009)

A reviewer writes:

As a Christian with more experience of charismatic worship and a relative newcomer to Anglican liturgy I found Roger Grainger's book enormously helpful in deepening my understanding of what we are doing when we worship. Many Christians would identify closeness to God as central to worship without identifying what that means. If pushed they may relate it to something they have felt or thought. This book is not just about thoughts, or feelings, it is about the whole person coming close to God. It picks you up and puts you right down in the middle of the action. As a play-write casts an actor in a story so too liturgy invites us into the story of God to play our part and in so doing we are transformed. It is a book about relationship, love and the expression of love and how liturgy helps us to give ourselves fully to the God of the Bible.

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10.00 am - 3.30 pm

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Cost: £15.00

(incl light lunch)

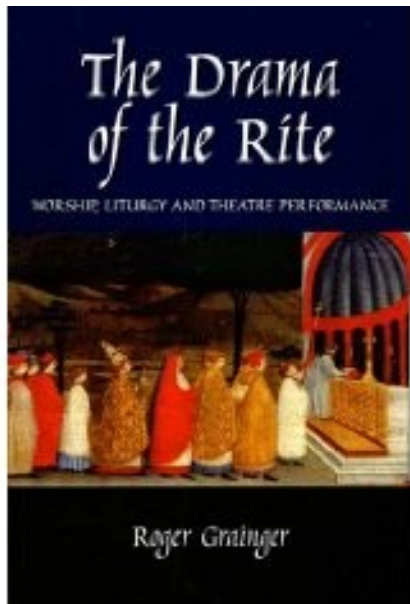
About the Day

This day workshop is for all of us who are used to attending church services, whether we are new to Church or not so new.

It is about exploring how we can help our familiar services really come alive for us in a way they haven't always managed to do before.

The workshop is based on Roger Grainger's new book about worship. Writing about it, the Archbishop of Canterbury says that a service that works "*...is the embodiment of a story, so that the participant at the end is not where they were at the beginning.*". Church services, he says, have the effect of changing people—"*...that's what they are for.*"

So, come along and find out what he means!



Programme

9.45

Arrival refreshments

10.00 - 10.50

Session 1

10.50 - 11.00

Refreshments

11.00 - 11.50

Session 2

11.50

Midday Office and Eucharist with the Community of the Resurrection (optional)

13.00

Lunch

13.45

Session 3

15.30

Depart

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Booking Form

Fee: £15.00
(includes refreshments & light lunch)

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(Mr/Mrs/Miss/Revd/Dr/other)

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Special Dietary Requirements.....

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