

# Booking Form

## Your Details

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

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Mobile No. \_\_\_\_\_

Home Tel. \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Req. \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment

Please book my place on the weekend 11-13th March 2011. I enclose a cheque for £10

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

NB. Cheques will not be banked until after the weekend

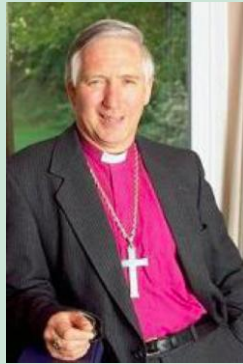
Follow up: If you do not wish your data to be retained to notify you of follow up events, place a tick in this box ☐

Please return this form by Fri 17<sup>th</sup> September to:  
Kevin Ellis, The Vicarage, 96 Romsley Road,  
Bartley Green, Birmingham B32 3PS  
rev.kev@tiscali.co.uk

**Priest/Ministers signature:**

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(I support this application)

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_



Bishop Graham has practised Christian healing ministry for many years. During his time as Vicar of Holy Trinity, Coventry, the church developed a large healing team which continues to operate. Bishop Graham was Bishop of Carlisle for 9 years, and before that Bishop of Willesden in the Diocese of London. While most of his experience is healing in the area of personal hurts and attitudes ('inner healing') the Bishop also has experience of physical healing and deliverance ministry. He has practised healing ministry in both formal (eg sacramental) and less formal contexts. This Learning Healing Ministry weekend is an opportunity for people to grow in their understanding of this ministry.

*'I am delighted to commend +Graham Dow and the healing weekend' – The Rt. Revd David Urquhart, Bishop of Birmingham*

Please note that we will send confirmation and full directions and parking details on booking.

**30 September to 2  
October 2011  
St Michael and All  
Angels, Bartley Green**

**Led by Bishop Graham  
Dow**

**HEALING  
MINISTRY**

# Programme

Includes lunch on Saturday & Sunday

## Friday

7.30pm

### Introduction

Laying the basis for a Christian ministry of healing-sacramental and non-sacramental ways  
Followed by ministry in groups

9.15pm

### Finish

## Saturday

9.30am

Different kinds of healing  
(1) Physical  
(2) Emotional hurts & attitudes

### Coffee Break

11.15am

Practical skills in ministry.  
Followed by ministry in groups

1:15pm

### Lunch

Afternoon break

3.00pm

### Coffee Break

3.15pm

A doctor's perspective on  
prayer for healing

3.45pm

Questions

4.30pm

Ministry in groups

6.00pm

### Finish

## Sunday

Meet rest of ministry group at a designated church for Sunday service with opportunity for healing ministry. Reassemble at St Michael and All Angels Church Hall

1:15pm

### Lunch

2.15pm

Where do we go from here?  
Ministry in groups

4.00pm

Finish

# Learning Healing Ministry

What are the aims? What is it all about?

## Aims of the Weekend

- To gain some understanding of Christian healing ministry in the light of the Bible and present day experience
- To practise the ministry of praying for people using the laying on of hands
- To learn from the experience of others
- To encourage churches to form teams offering healing ministry

## About the weekend

The church is rediscovering the importance of prayer for healing and experience shows that it is effective. The instructions that Jesus gave to his disciples to preach the Kingdom of God and heal the sick gives grounds for regarding healing as one of the basic tasks of the church.

There are important questions to be answered about who should perform this ministry, what training they need and what their relationship should be to the medical and counselling professions.

Participants need to be ready to receive healing ministry for themselves during the weekend; this may relate to areas of emotional hurts as well as physical problems. It is also important the participants are available for the whole course.

# Learning Healing Ministry

Who is it for? What does it cost?

## Who can come?

The weekend is intended for members of the Church of England but is open to members of other churches. It is for those who wish to explore the practice of healing ministry, provided that their participation is supported by their parish priest or minister whose signature is required. This is to ensure that the development of personal ministry takes place under the authority of the local church.

Participants must commit themselves for the whole programme. The Bishops of Birmingham and Aston have given the weekend their full support

## How much does it cost?

The cost is £10 per person. Cheques should be made payable to: **Bishop Graham Dow** and sent to the Revd Dr Kevin Ellis (see overleaf for address).

There will be an offering to cover the costs of the food and refreshments over the weekend.

## Where is the course held?

The weekend will take place at St. Michael and All Angels Church, Bartley Green. St Michael's is on the corner of Field Lane and Romsley Road