



BAPTIST THEOLOGY NORTH

Baptist Church: Back to the Future?

Baptist Theology North 2024 will take place on 7 June in Huddersfield. We will have the opportunity to hear presentations from two different perspectives on Baptist church life.

Professor Paul Fiddes has a wealth of knowledge on Baptist life as well as being a systematic theologian. He has taught generations of ministers at Regent's Park College in Oxford, and is a key theologian within the life of Baptists Together.

Rev Alex Harris encourages and develops new forms of Baptist church nationwide, and is researching church planting for his doctoral work.

There are more details of our keynote speakers overleaf, but there will also be time for short papers by local Baptists. This is a vital part of the annual event and offers an opportunity to try out a theological idea in a friendly environment. The day is distinguished by its focus on conversation, discussion and shared ideas, and possibly the most important part of Baptist Theology North is lunch, allowing us to meet old and new friends, explore the themes, and get fresh inspiration for our minds.

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Baptist Theology North began in 2010 and has met annually apart from a break for Covid. It offers an opportunity to Baptists to engage with some great theology and to be excited about faith and mission in new ways. If you are interested, please contact Sally Nelson for more information, or to book a place, at sally.nelson@sthild.org. If you'd like to offer a short paper, please contact Sally – we have room for six short papers in total.

OUR KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Professor Paul Fiddes is a Baptist minister and has taught at Regent's Park College since 1972, successively as a Research Fellow, Tutorial Fellow in Christian Doctrine, Principal, and Director of Research. He is also Director of the Project for the Study of Love in Religion, and research supervisor in systematic theology, ecclesiology, and Baptist studies.



Rev Alex Harris has specific responsibilities in the YBA for pioneering and church planting. His role is catalysing the journey to healthy church and seeing new mission ventures and new churches birthed. Alex also establishes accessible training and relationships to empower others. Alex represents pioneering and planting at a national level including the Firestarter network. His ongoing doctoral studies are in Church Planting in post-Christendom Europe.

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Timings: 9:30am - 3:30pm

Cost: £30 with a nice lunch
and other refreshments included.

Please note that the day is an on-site
(not online) event.