

Doing Public Theology Applying Social Ethics to Public Life



Programme at Drumalis over 6 Sunday afternoons in 2018, delivered by Dr Johnston McMaster

The programme will introduce participants to the nature and practice of public theology.

Six sessions will explore how we do theology in public, engaging public questions, and as applied social ethics. The realities of a religiously plural and secular world will provide a working context.

The programme is introductory with the intention of developing further learning possibilities.

Facilitated by Dr Johnston McMaster it will take place in **Drumalis Retreat and Conference Centre**, Larne, in 2018 over six Sundays, 2:30 pm – 5:30 pm.

21 January What is Public Theology?

11 February The 'Public' in Public Theology

11 March Reading the Jewish Christian Bible as a social and political text

15 April The Theological and Ethical Foundations of Public Theology

13 May Engaging with the Religiously Plural and Secular Worlds

27 May Making the Connections between Public and Theology:

Models at Work

Course Contribution: £40

To register, please contact Drumalis by phone or in person during office hours (Monday – Saturday, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm).

Our telephone numbers are 028 28272196 or 028 28276455.

A non-refundable and non-transferable deposit of £20 is necessary to confirm your place on the course.

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