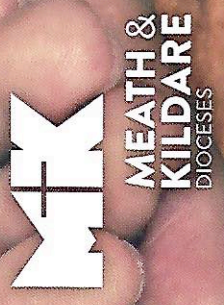
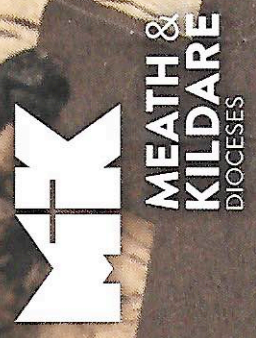


“A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

JOHN 13:34-35



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PASTORAL CARE TEAM

Dear Colleagues,

It has been on my mind now for some time to set up a Pastoral Care Team for clergy and spouses. This is not to detract from my own personal pastoral care as Bishop, but it is provided as an alternative. I have therefore asked the four people opposite if they would oblige as points of access should you need them. There are two counsellors: Dianne Morris and Stuart Wilson; a personal coach: Earl Storey, and a spiritual director: Rev Garth Bunting. All contact details are provided. These people are professionally qualified in their specific field.

I will pay for the first three sessions of any of their services, and after that it would be up to yourselves if you wish to continue, although the panel has permission to seek further financial assistance if necessary.

NB: None of these people will report to me and it will be an entirely confidential service. I will get the bill, but I will not know who has accessed the service, or anything about it. You can trust that this is being provided as a completely confidential service to you as clergy and your spouses, and will not be relayed to me in any way.

Please do see this as an extra strand of pastoral care, as well as, and not instead of, your relationship with me, and please do use it if you would like to, either now or in the future.

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GARTH BUNTING SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

Garth has been ordained for 17 years. Since ordination he trained as a spiritual director with the Diocese of Southwark and furthered that with an MA in Applied Christian Spirituality at NUI.

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He is Managing Director of ZestLife, a specialist training and consultancy company which has created programmes, training and care programmes for those on the fringes of society and those working with them. He is founding member and CEO of ZestLife College, a training college for behavioural psychotherapy and psychology. In particular, Stuart's work has involved developing ways of dealing effectively with the issues of aggression, anger and behavioural problems.

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