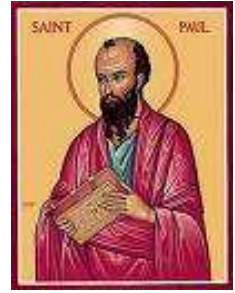


PAUL – WHY BOTHER?

Engaging with the apostle



A WIT seminar offers perspectives on arguably the most important writer of the New Testament. This is aimed at preachers (both clergy & lay) and anyone who wants to explore Paul's thought. It will feature a number of papers looking at different aspects of Paul's writings.

Bring a Bible & your lunch.

10am-3.30pm

PROGRAMME

10.00 am **Opening Prayer & introductions**

10.05 am **Session 1: *Portraits of Paul: myth and reality***
(Sarah Beattie & Jenny Wilkens)

Followed by Break into Groups – discussion questions on paper 1

11.00 am **Coffee Break**

11.15 am **Session 2: *Did Paul invent Christ? Paul, Jesus, the Christ & salvation***
(Darryl Ward)

Followed by Break into Groups: discussion questions on paper 2

12.15 pm **Lunch** (bring your own)

1.00 pm **Session 3: *Paul, the Spirit & the Church*** (Lyll Perris)
Followed by Break into Groups: discussion questions on paper 3

2.00 pm **Session 4: *Why bother with Paul today? Women, slaves, social structures*** (Deborah Broome)

Followed by Break into Groups: discussion questions on paper 4

3.00 pm **Final Panel session with presenters, wrap-up, feedback sheets**

3.30 pm **Depart**

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Saturday 17 October: St Mark's Church, Carterton
Saturday 31 October: WIT Library Anglican Centre, Wellington
Saturday 7 November: St Matthew's Church, Palmerston North