

***“WHO DO WE TRUST IN CHANGING TIMES?”***

A tough challenge for 2010's conference!

The background to this year's topic is a verse identified by last year's speaker Robert Weston - **Proverbs 29 v 25 “the fear of man will prove to be a snare, but whoever trusts in the Lord is kept safe”**

How tempting it is to trust in our own strengths, our intellect, our finances, our practices as we face the current challenges of being in legal practice and even more so as we face the challenge of being Christian lawyers in a society that wants to privatize belief.

We are delighted that Simon Downham from St Pauls, Hammersmith has agreed to speak and encourage us as we grapple with this issue. Simon worked as a solicitor in the city of London specialising in International Corporate Finance, before studying theology and undergoing ministerial training at Wycliffe Hall in Oxford. He worked for 5 years at Holy Trinity Brompton before leading a church plant to St Paul's in January of 2000.

We will also have an opportunity to discuss this subject in a small group session.

The conference is open to all members of your firm, spouses and interested friends. Trainees and young solicitors are always especially welcome.

The conference will start at 10.00am with a time of worship and will end at the slightly earlier time of 3.30pm.

Coffee will be served from 9.30am onwards to encourage prompt arrival!

The Conference fee is £45.00 per person to include buffet lunch and refreshments.

The day will include the Association's AGM and it is hoped that as many member firms as possible will be represented to discuss and plan for the future of the ACLF.

Book now by completing the enclosed Booking Form and returning it to the ACLF Secretary with your cheque for the fee. Places cannot be guaranteed for any bookings received after 15<sup>th</sup> March and no fees paid will be refunded unless cancellations are notified to the ACLF Secretary by that date. ***BOOK NOW !!!!***



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