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Music in Worship: an integral element or an optional extra?

Saturday 28th October 2017 (10:00 – 16:00) at St Nicolas Church, Earley, Reading, RG6 7JN

This is a training event in liturgy and music, which will be set within an atmosphere of worship, for clergy and musicians working together. It will be led by the Revd Canon Helen Bent, the RSCM's Head of Ministerial Training. Applications are encouraged from clergy and the organists, choir directors or music leaders at the same Church, but this is not essential.

Steven Croft, Bishop of Oxford, writes "I have worked closely with Helen Bent for many years in the Diocese of Sheffield. She has a remarkable gift of enabling others to lead lively and dynamic worship across a whole range of traditions. The days she leads are uplifting, encouraging and excellent for beginners and those wanting to go deeper".

Cost: £10 for those from Churches Affiliated to the RSCM or individual members (£15 non-members)

Contact: Mary Delaney (RSCM Berkshire Area Secretary) as above

Draft timetable for the day

10.00 **Opening Worship/Prayers**

10.15 **An overview of the aims of the day**

10.20 **The role of music in Western worship**

10.50 **The horns of several dilemmas**

11.30 *Break tea and coffee will be available*

11.45 **Leadership with or without music(ians)**

12.15 **Simple Eucharist or Service of the Word** with various musical options

12.45 *Lunch – Leader available for individual consultation*

Please bring a packed lunch - tea and coffee will be available

2.00 **Wise choice of resources**

3.00 **Forum**

3.45 **Closing worship**

4.00 *Depart*



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