

How Your City Works for Faith Communities

How does the Council work with Voluntary, Community and Faith Sector partners?

Who holds the power and how do you influence them?

What are the challenges and opportunities for faith communities?

This [free] course is for members of faith communities, and others, who want to become more involved in shaping the future of the City



This short course aims to:

- Explore the role and contribution of faith based activity to the life of the City.
- Develop an understanding of the decision making structures that oversee the City's development and how to influence them.
- Strengthen joint working between the faith sector and other partners in shaping the future of the city.

It will also provide the opportunity for people to:

- Share experiences and learning with people from faith communities and other partners in the City.
- Explore some of the challenges and opportunities facing the City.
- Think about how you can get your voice heard within the structures that shape life across the City and in local areas.
- Consider how to sustain the contribution of faith communities.

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Who should come along?

Anyone interested in learning more about how faith communities contribute to Sheffield, and how the City can make the most of this contribution.

When and where is the course happening?

6 Wednesday evening sessions from 6 - 8.30pm
(with food available from 5.30pm)

Dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6

Venue: The Circle, 33 Rockingham Lane,
Sheffield, S1 4FW

Want more information?

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BOOKING FORM:



Closing Date for Bookings – Weds 23rd Feb 2011



Name _____

If you are part of an organisation, which one/s?

Mailing address _____

_____ **Postcode** _____

Tel. _____

Email _____

Any specific needs - disability/dietary/childcare?

Please tell us how the learning from the course may be of benefit to your Community

**Please return your form to: Sheffield Faiths Forum,
c/o Victoria Community Enterprise Ltd, Victoria Church,
Stafford Road, Sheffield, S2 2SE**

**or fax to 0114 275 00 00, email dave@sheffieldfaithsforum.org.uk
or book online at sheffieldfaithsforum.org.uk**

Sheffield Faiths Forum exists to increase the ability of faith groups to work together and with partners on issues of common concern and interest, and have an effective, co-ordinated and recognized means of achieving voice and influence in the city.

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