

SEMINAR LEADERS

Andy Swinford is a former English teacher and leads presentations, classes and spiritual retreats on the writings of CS Lewis and Tolkien. He is the author of 'The Practice of Joy: Insights from the stories of CS Lewis'.

Jeremy Thompson is Manager at Restore, a project befriending refugees in Birmingham. He is motivated by putting faith into action and by the welcome he received when working abroad.

Nigel Kenny has been The Christian Institute's Scotland Officer for the past 14 years. He preaches all over Scotland, but also regularly speaks at the Institute's public meetings across England.

FURTHER INFORMATION

The Priory Rooms Quaker Meeting House is at 40 Bull Street, Birmingham B4 6AF near Snow Hill Station. Visit theprioryrooms.co.uk/find-us for a map. If you are driving into the city centre it is a Clean Air Zone and, depending on your car, you may need to pay.

There is a hot drinks machine in the Atrium at the Priory Rooms and drinks cost £2 each. On Saturday bring a picnic lunch or there are many cafés and shops close by to buy food.

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BIRMINGHAM SPRING CONVENTION 2025

3 studies on

MOSES

WITH SPEAKER PHIL KNOX

FRIDAY 9th & SATURDAY 10th MAY
at THE PRIORY ROOMS



CONVENTION KIDS ALL DAY SATURDAY

FRIDAY 9th May at 7.30pm

Session 1: **Moses had a firm foundation** - Exodus 3

Mission focus:

Kenny & Madhu surname?, Operation Mobilisation

SATURDAY 10th May at 11am

11am Session 2: **Moses had a story** - Exodus 6

12.15pm Choice of 3 seminars

Joy: Insights from the world of CS Lewis

Andy Swinford

God's heart for refugees, our response to refugees

Jeremy Thompson, Restore

Assisted Dying

Nigel Kenny, Christian Institute

1pm Lunch

2pm Choice of 3 seminars (repeated)

3pm Session 3: **Moses had a friend** - Exodus 17



Phil Knox is an evangelist and missiologist at the Evangelical Alliance. He is passionate about making Jesus known and the power of friendship. He studies how people come to faith in Jesus and helps the church maximise those pathways. He regularly writes and appears for Christian and

secular media and is an award-winning performance poet and author of 'Story Bearer' and 'The Best of Friends'.

CONVENTION KIDS

This year's Spring Convention is going to be a great time for everyone no matter your age.

Alongside the fun holiday club-style sessions for children aged 4 to 10 years, there will also be a youth stream for those aged 10-14 and an unmanned crèche with sound and visual is available for parents with 0-3s.

The youth and children's streams will be looking at the same teaching themes as the adults in an engaging and age-appropriate way. There will also be crafts, games and other activities.

Register your children through the form at forms.office.com/r/8qrNceRWcP or via the QR code. Bookings will close on Wednesday 8th May.



Any questions please get in touch:

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BCM's Children's Team is led by Kathryn working with Laura, Anna, Sarah and Pete. Our Youth Team leader, John will be co-ordinating the youth sessions. All have worked with children and young people for

many years, both in schools and in more informal settings. They are really looking forward to sharing these sessions.