

Present *Apologies

Bethnal Green Alan Green * Christine Hall Andy Rider Darren Wolf Kevin Scully * Erin Clark Sr Judith Blackburn Adam Atkinson Tim May Chris Newman-Day	Bow Group Cris Rogers Beki Rogers Debbie Frazer * James Hughesdon April Keech * Brian Ralph * Stuart Lee Bernadette Hegarty	Docklands Ed Dix Jane Hodges * Matt Wall * Ben Bell * Marcus Nodder * Andrew Latimer * Tom Pyke Unesu Chindabata Richard Bray	Stepney & Wapping St Peters - Vacant Bp Robert Ladd Angus Ritchie Richard Springer Phil Williams Peter McGeary Trevor Critchlow	Chaplains + Fiona Stewart-Darling Ella Sharples Mark Aitken Fiona Green Peter Turner Ifeanyi Chukuka Tasha Critchlow Nigel Copsey Ven Lyle Dennen
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*20 clergy present plus one ordinand Alan Moss, it was good to have Anne Fulton with us for worship & DBS checks
Worship and breakfast were graciously provided by Richard Springer and the team at St George-in-the-East*

The SGitE and CTC story

Andy explained that the SGitE story had been a new venture in appointing CTC to the parish, that with the notion of resource churches coming on stream later this year, there may be things for us to learn from their story.

Richard Springer brought us up to date with the SGitE story since CTC were appointed and he joined the clergy team there. He highlighted a few key elements in the life of SGitE:

1. They seek renewal by going deeper into their tradition so as to be more generous reaching out
2. Methodology is built around CTC and Community Organising
3. Planting worshipping communities into the parish as 100 years ago there were 26 parish rooms, today there are in place a Choir Church, Night Prayer and Church in School among others
4. Lay community is theologically diverse and work collectively to PCC vision
5. A monthly Church Meeting along Community Organising lines leads into mission and ministry initiatives owned by whole church community
6. CTC are exploring use of resources such as buildings

Deanery News

1. Crossroads Counselling: new website up, new trustee and 10k runners needed
2. Chapter dates on the website including the new Bishop of London's visit to the Deanery / Area
3. Rev Kevin Scully and Rev Debbie Frazer on the move this year
4. Rev Jonathan Beswick joining us at St Peters Wapping in the summer
5. Richard Bray – looking for a Building Project Officer
6. Bishop Adrian – looking for an Interim PA to cover Ann's maternity leave
7. St Luke's will hopefully be open before the summer
8. ECO Conference taking place at SPOF 28 April 2018

Many of those present updated their DBS record with Anne.

Notes: AR – 8.February.2018

Next meetings

Deanery Chapter: Thursday 15 March 12noon St Peters Bethnal Green
Deanery Synod: Mon 9 July Bar-B-Q at St Luke's Milwall TBC