

# INFORM

Deuteronomy 31:6 ~ Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you.



**Congregational Federation**

## Congregational Federation Youth & Children Assembly

Saturday the 10th May 10am- 4pm  
@Nottingham Trent University  
NG1 4BU

Bring your own lunch or pay for a booked lunch.  
Small snacks provided  
age 5-17

to register & more information :  
luzia.watt@congregational.org.uk

**BOOM!** **ZAP**



**intergenerate UK**

Tue 25 Feb 2025  
7.30-9pm  
Zoom

### PREACHING IN INTERGENERATIONAL CHURCH

With special guests



Dave Csinos



Rachel Turner



Mary Hawes

[www.intergenerateuk.org](http://www.intergenerateuk.org)

**Intergenerate UK - Preaching in Intergenerational Church with special guests Dave Csinos, Rachel Turner and Mary Hawes.**

A free webinar for anyone interested in developing preaching in ways that engage all ages and enable the generations to grow in faith together. Listen to three experts share key insights and share with others about your context and challenges. Intergenerate UK is a network for those in the UK engaged in Intergenerational Church – click below for more info

<https://intergenerateuk.org> or <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/intergenerate-uk-webinar-tickets-1079242837379>



**EMPTY!**

CAN SOMETHING EMPTY EVER BE GOOD?

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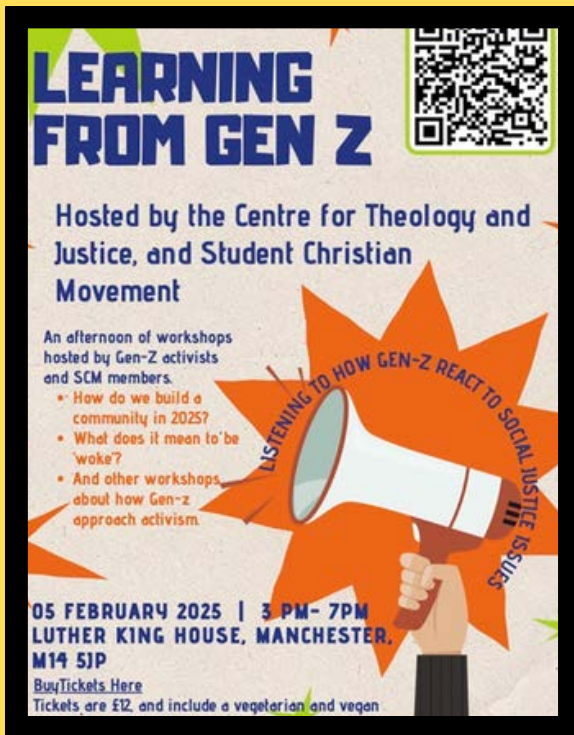
### Empty! Fantastic Easter booklet

Written for 4-7 year olds and their families, New York Times bestselling author Joshua Cooley in a funny, meaningful journey into Jesus' empty tomb—the greatest empty in the history of emptiness!—**The CF church support team will be given away this amazing resource to churches who share a picture of their best valentine and mother's day card or craft with us.**

for more info about the book click here

<https://uk.10ofthose.com/product/9781837280315/empty-paperback?u>





**An afternoon of workshops hosted by Gen-Z activists and SCM members. Hosted by the Centre for Theology and Justice, and the Student Christian Movement.**

**5th February from 3pm to 7pm.**

**Tickets are £12 and include a vegetarian and vegan friendly evening buffet.**

**to book click here:**

**<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/lutherkingcentrefortheologyandministry/1496158>**



### **Young Ecumenists' Fund cont.**

A fund to help young adults – aged 18 to 35 – to experience ecumenism outside England is open again for applications. They can apply to receive finances for an experience of study, pilgrimage, volunteering or any activity that promotes church unity. ©CTE This Bill Snelson Young Ecumenists Fund has been set up by Churches Together in England and the Snelson family in memory of Bill Snelson who was General Secretary of Churches Together England from 1997 to 2008. [click here for more details](https://cte.org.uk/working-together/young-ecumenists/snelsonfund/)  
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**CF -Youth Mission trip to Brazil**  
 After organizing the most amazing Mission trip to Brazil last year. The CF support team would like to invite young people across the federation to embark in this incredible experience by serving God in Brazil. The cost of the trip will be heavily subsidized by various grants. Over 18's also might legible to apply to young ecumenist fund "The Bill Snelson" fund from CTE. more details is above.

for more info about the mission trip:

**[Luzia.watt@congregational.org.uk](mailto:Luzia.watt@congregational.org.uk)**



# Around the Cf churches



## Walkden Congregational Church

A big thank you to the cast of our All Age Nativity "The Greatest Journey" by the Bible Society. Lovely surprise to have a real life Baby Jesus!



## Sherston C C

Christmas Toddler's club event.



## Lapford CC

Carol service by candlelight



## Newport CC

A great day at Church, thank you Zoe Lewis for taking the time to prep & for cooking a beautiful Roast Turkey meal it was really enjoyed. God was honoured in many ways & over 50 portions of food served & lots left to freeze. Thank you Jesus for all you do.



## Crediton CC

Lovely Christmas celebration at Fishtank Santa stopped by.