

I lift up my eyes to the mountains - where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth. Psalm 121

CONGREGATIONAL FEDERATION

CF-GRANTS FOR GROWTH



DO YOU WANT TO EXPAND YOUR MINISTRY BUT MONEY IS A PROBLEM ? WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO HELP

Mini-grant:

- up to £100 are available for church equipment and resources for children's and youth work.

Starter grant

- up to a maximum of £400. Starter Grants are available to Congregational Federation churches to 'have a go' at something new.

Impact grant

- up to maximum of £18,000 is available to churches looking for further develop their ministry ,building projects , discipleship and new staffing for mission.



Congregational Federation Grants

Why not consider applying for one of our grants?
for more

information: luzia.watt@congregational.org.uk

Diary Dates, Congregational Federation 2023

- Thursday 7th – 10th September - Training Weekend
- Saturday 30th September- Church Support Committee Meeting



We are very pleased to announce our partnership in the Newbigin Pioneering Hub.

This past year 5 people from our churches have taken part in this Course. The Course will run again from September and we encourage you to consider enrolling.

This is a collaboration between United Reformed Church, the Congregational Federation, Church Mission Society and Seedbeds and named in honour of the inspirational URC Minister and mission theologian, Lesslie Newbigin. This new venture is open to all and part of celebrating the past 50 years of the United Reformed Church and Congregational Federation by investing our future in local communities.

for more information click here:

<https://www.congregational.org.uk/>



Rural Mission Hubs aim to support and encourage pioneers, practitioners, and permission givers, as well as those looking to explore rural ministry and mission. It is an opportunity to chat, pray, explore, laugh, and cry together. It is a gathering of like-minded explorers with an open door to anyone seeking community, and as such, invites you to join the journey. Each hub aims to meet two or three times each year and has its own character with no set format. Find your nearest hub and come along.

Future Rural Mission Hub meeting dates

21st Sept: Midland Rural Hub, Launde Abbey, Leicestershire. £10

25th September: Northern Rural Hub, Scargill House, Yorkshire. £10

26th September: North-East & Borders Rural Hub, Holy Island, Northumbria £6

for more information click here: <https://www.ruralministries.org.uk/rural-mission-hubs>

Any news or information you want to share let us know: support@congregational.org.uk

SUMMER AROUND OUR CHURCHES



Newport Grand Opening and new members

As part of our weekend celebrations four of our 5 recently new church members were given their Membership Certificates by Yvonne Campbell our General Secretary.



WITNEY CC- INDUCTION OF REV. BRYAN DOYLE



Ridgewell and Stambourne Chapel - Community Project

Bow CC - Community Lunch Club