

Speakers & Workshop Presenters

Paul Farmer, Director, MIND
Julia Head, Bishop John Robinson Research Fellow at the
Maudsley Hospital, London
Chris Danes, Mental Health Service User
Edna Hunnysett, Carers in the Community

Richard Allen, Association of Pastoral Care and Mental
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Dilys Barrell, Pastoral Associate, Diocese of Clifton
Peter Gilbert, NIMHE/SCIE Fellow in Social Care (Policy
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What is Life Like if you or
someone in your family has
mental health problems?
And what can your parish do to
make a difference?

Download a leaflet for parish pastoral teams
from [www.everybodyswelcome.org.uk/
mentalhealth.html](http://www.everybodyswelcome.org.uk/mentalhealth.html)



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Making Everybody Welcome

Families, Mental Health and
Pastoral Care in the Catholic
Community

Saturday, October 20th 2007

Britannia Hotel,
Wolverhampton
10.00am - 4.30pm



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Why?

Mental health is an important part of all our lives. Around one in six of us will develop a mental health problem at some point in our lives. Many people in this situation and their families turn to the Catholic Church for help and support.

This day conference is an opportunity for pastoral leaders and people with a special interest in mental health, to share and learn more about the challenges involved in responding to the needs. There will be time to reflect on personal experience, to hear from service users, carers and professionals and to explore a range of practical responses.

Everybody's Welcome is an initiative of the Catholic community in England and Wales. It seeks to support parishes in becoming more welcoming, more friendly and more family sensitive—to all kinds of families and in all kinds of family situations.



Please register early to ensure your place. Closing date for booking:

September 30th 2007

What?

The day will begin at 10.00 am with a welcome from Bishop John Hine, Chair of the Bishops' Committee for Marriage and Family Life. Paul Farmer, Director of MIND will set the scene for the day's activities and Julia Head, Bishop John Robinson Research Fellow at the Maudsley Hospital, will facilitate an orientation session in which there will be an opportunity to reflect on experiences of mental ill-health.

After coffee there will be a series of short presentations by service users, carers and mental health professionals. After lunch there will be a choice of workshops describing a variety of practical pastoral responses. The day will conclude at 4.30pm after an Open Forum to identify priorities and some next steps.

Workshops

You may attend **two of the following**:

- 1: Developing a Befriending Service
- 2: Running a Carer Support Group
- 3: Organising a Mental Health Awareness-Raising Event
- 4: Spirituality and Mental Health

Or

- 5: Pastoral Skills for Mental Health (a 1 hour special seminar for pastoral leaders)

Booking Form

I would like to book a place at Making Everybody Welcome: Families, Mental Health and Pastoral Care in the Catholic Community

Name.....

Organisation

Address

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Tel No

Email

Preferred Workshops (please list 3)

1:

2:

3:

Special needs.....

I enclose the day delegate fee of £10 (Please makes cheques payable to CATEW)

Or I would like an invoice sent to

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