

Burnley & Pendle Faith Centre Compus



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- Local Elections please note that on Thursday 5th May our Spiritual Space becomes a Polling Station for the day. So if you fancy popping in for a quiet moment in our special room, avoid that day. That said, Thursday lunchtime prayers will take place as usual, but in my office. The question is to AV or not to AV, the choice is yours!
- **Leeds Diocese Interfaith Conference** last September we had the pleasure of welcoming friends from the Interfaith Commission in Leeds to unfold a new and searching document titled "Meeting God in Friend and Stranger". The journey now moves on to a larger stage, with a half day conference on Saturday 25th June. The same questions remain; how are we called to dialogue, be it with people of a different faith or no faith? What are the issues; what are the opportunities? See poster attached for more details. Should be a good morning, with lunch to follow!
- # "East Lancashire Goes Global" a number of readers have been in touch enquiring about our Summer Exhibition / UN Summit in June 2011. 17 high schools across East Lancashire have been contacted. Very encouraging indeed to receive some really enthusiastic responses this week. More to follow. The study will focus on the UN Millennium Development Goals and we are looking to develop a very interactive piece of work. Do watch this space!! Also, click on MDG Basics and UN MDGs
- **Building Peace in Diverse Britain** a day to promote dialogue and sharing, to support positive, peaceful action in response to racism and community conflict. Saturday 7th May at the Huddersfield Quaker Meeting House - 1000hrs - 1600hrs. For further info click on http://nfpb.gn.apc.org/bpdb2011.html Do check it out . . .
- **STOP PRESS! Perspectives on the Prophet Muhammad (p.b.u.h.)** date for your diary - Thursday 12 May at the Burnley Campus between 1900hrs and 2100hrs. To be delivered by Dr Philip Lewis, Principal of Bradford Churches for Dialogue and Diversity and specialist in Christian-Muslim relations. Phil is a first class speaker and highly knowledgeable. Will be a really good evening. Further info next week.
- **And finally** do enjoy the holiday weekend. I don't have a quote to hand which combines royalty and weddings, so let's stick with the community and people and a wonderful message which links to whole of the globe, whatever one's status . . .

"Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world"

Archbishop Desmond Tutu (1931 -)