



Engaging Issues: exploring issues of life and faith

Series 7 - October 2011 – February 2012

We think Engaging Issues presents a season of challenging lectures/discussions and maybe more so for those of a religious mind. They are, each of them asking questions about life in society that are not readily being addressed. Each of our speakers is very experienced in their field, able communicators and some are known to be quite humorous. These evenings are open to anyone in the community of a curious nature.

4th October **The end of religion is come: True or False**
Simon Small

18th October **The 'Big Society' in small Communities**
Graham Jones

8th November The Annual Lecture
How (not) to live with nuclear power
Claire Foster-Gilbert
In partnership with Stretton Climate Care and the Montgomery Trust
In Church Stretton School

22nd November **Confessions of a Pro-Gay Evangelical**
Benny Hazlehurst and Dave Griffin

6th December **Mind the Gap - faith and society - 'Getting down to earth in December'**
Noel Beattie

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10th January **Economy and Society:**
"What do we really value in hard times? - economics, society, the church's witness"
Malcolm Brown

24th January **Poetry as a way to God**
Donald Horsfield

7th February **Why believe in god, I don't: does she mind?**
John Annetts

All lectures are held on Tuesday evenings at 7.30 p.m. in the United Reformed Church High Street, Church Stretton, with one exception, 8th November in the School.

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