

Enriching Ministry *through* Pastoral Supervision 2019



Pastoral Supervision helps people re-visit and re-energise their sense of calling, be more fulfilled in ministry and better serve those in their care.

Location: Ignatian Spirituality Centre, Scott Street, Glasgow

Dates/Times: One Friday per month 1000-1600

Group size: Minimum of 8, maximum of 15

Dates:

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| Certificate Module One | Jan 18; Feb 15; Mar 15; Apr 12; |
| Certificate Module Two | May 10; Jun 21; July 12; Aug 16; |
| Diploma Module | Sep 13; Oct 11; Nov 8; Dec 13 |

Course Content

Certificate: Supervision & Mission Introductory Workshop Jan 18; Feb 15

- The theological and theoretical basis for supervision
- exploration of pastoral supervision and its place within ministry and mission
- differences between supervision, line management, spiritual accompaniment and personal therapy
- establishing supervision covenants and expectations
- structuring the supervisory time

Certificate: Toolkits and Frameworks for Pastoral Supervision Mar 15; Apr 12

- core skills & competencies in supervision
- power and vulnerability in supervision
- developmental phases in practice
- tools for getting participants and their work into the room
- eliciting, tracking and exploring the supervisory focus
- building the bridge from reflection back to practice

Certificate: Behind the Scenes, Beneath the Words May 10; Jun 21; July 12; Aug 16;

- working with the 'then and there' in the 'here and now'
- dynamics between supervisor, supervisee, context and culture
- stakeholders and organisational dynamics in supervision
- unspoken and unconscious factors in supervision
- collusion, avoidance and sabotage

Diploma: Professional Integration & Independent Learning Project Sep 13; Oct 11; Nov 8; Dec 13

This professional level course is geared towards those for whom supervision is or will be a key feature of their ministry. This includes those with pastoral responsibility for youth workers, mission teams, fresh expression teams, probationers, chaplains etc. The course aims for personal, vocational and professional integration and focuses on four key areas:

- theological reflection
- integrative theoretical and praxis base for supervision
- team and group supervision
- professional practice issues

In addition to the four group days participants

- supervise individuals and/or groups out with the group sessions
- receive supervision for the supervising they are offering
- pursue an individual learning project around an aspect of pastoral supervision of their choice

Costs: £350 per module (ie £700 for Certificate; £1100 for Certificate and Diploma taken together)

Eligibility: The course is open to anyone in Parish & Local Church Ministry – Theological Education – Ministerial Development - Chaplaincy – Spiritual Accompaniment - Youth Work – Counselling & Therapy – Organizational Leadership - Group Facilitation - Adult Education.

Offering Supervision: Participants are required to build up a practice log of 10 hours of supervision offered to gain the certificate and 25 hours for the Diploma. These sessions could be with peers, probationers, pastoral workers etc and can be face to face, by phone, facetime or skype.

Being Supervised: In addition to the course, participants are required to receive monthly mentoring supervision for the supervising they offer others. Mentoring supervision helps to embed course learning and to support skill development. Recommendations of suitably trained supervisors can be offered.

Assignments: *Assignment One* at the end of April comprises a review of learning; logs of supervision offered and received and a short 500 word statement outlining your understanding of pastoral supervision.
Assignment Two at the end of August comprises a review of learning; logs of supervision offered and received and a case study (2000 words) based on one supervisee or group you have worked with over 4 sessions.
Assignment Three (Diploma students only) comprises an individually tailored learning project of 2500 words or equivalent in which some aspect of supervision is explored in further depth according to personal or contextual interest.

Qualification: Upon successful completion of assignments and a completed log of 10 hours (certificate) and 25 hours (diploma) professional qualifications in supervision are issued by the Institute.

Accreditation: The course fully meets the training hours required for accreditation with APSE (The Association of Pastoral Supervisors and Educators).

Course Leader – Rev Dr Michael Paterson

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