RENEWING LIBERAL VALUES IN RELIGION AND POLITICS
with Ian Bradley and Peter Francis

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£270

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Fri 23rd - Sun 25th OCT

The rising tide of fundamentalism and populism links ultra-conservative religious and political thought. Can theological and political liberals find common ground not just to counter the conservatives but to seize the initiative and proclaim a new and appealing set of liberal values? This course explores the underlying core values of both theological and political liberalism and the extent to which they can be harnessed, applied and put into practice.

Ian Bradley was Emeritus Professor of Cultural and Spiritual History in the University of St Andrews and is well known as a preacher, writer and broadcaster. He is the author of over 40 books. Peter Francis studied at the University of St Andrews and then the Queen’s College in Birmingham. He was ordained into the Anglican Church in 1978. His ministry has included periods in England, Scotland and Wales. Peter was Rector of Ayr and Provost of St Mary’s Cathedral Glasgow. He is now the Warden of Gladstone’s Library.
Fri 23rd
OCT
6pm Welcome and introductions
7.45pm Why I am a liberal

Sat 24th
OCT
8am Eucharist
10am The founding sources of liberal values
11am Coffee
11.30am The values and practice of political liberalism
4pm The values and practice of theological liberalism
5pm Political and theological values and me
7.30pm Expressions of liberalism in poems, songs and stories

Sun 25th
OCT
10am A liberal future: countering fundamentalism, populism, cynicism and indifference
11am Coffee
11.30am Eucharist
12.15pm Lunch and depart

DINING:
From 8AM BREAKFAST | From 6.30PM DINNER | From 12PM LUNCH

CHAPEL:
8am each weekday morning. All welcome