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21-23 May (Cheltenham) and 2-4 October (Sheffield)

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Leading in mission and ministry
in your first incumbency



making disciples, developing leaders,
growing churches





your first post of overall responsibility – both daunting and exciting!

The Buck Stops Here offers a unique opportunity for ordained people who are near to the start of a first post of responsibility, particularly for curates moving to become incumbents. This conference is also suitable for people returning to parish ministry from non-parochial appointments.

21-23 May 2012

Glenfall House, Cheltenham

Price: £260 per person (residential)

2-4 October 2012

Wilson Carlile Centre, Sheffield

Price: £260 per person (residential)

These 48-hour residential conferences run from lunchtime to lunchtime. The cost includes meals, accommodation and materials. Spouses are welcome to attend although sessions are not specifically geared for their needs.

want to know more?

Further details from Kirstin Macdonald on **01926 458436** or kmacdonald@cpas.org.uk.

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input and discussion on a variety of themes:

- Expectations of leadership.
- Changing roles.
- Managing a PCC.
- Self-organisation / planning.
- Managing change.
- Reflections / advice from experienced ministers.
- Strategic planning.
- Leading in different contexts (e.g. multi-church benefices).



There will also be space for reflection, discussion, prayer, worship and Bible teaching.

CPAS general director John Dunnett says: 'Good leadership is key to church growth and that's why CPAS is committed to developing leaders: so that more and more people can hear and discover the good news of Jesus Christ. Your leadership is going to be of crucial importance to the growth of your church or churches.'

'The Buck Stops Here provides an opportunity to explore the new responsibilities to which God has called you.

It will help you grow as a Christ-like leader, and you will be further equipped and encouraged not only for the exciting and significant challenge of a first incumbency but for a lifetime of fruitful ministry.'



what people say:

'It clarified and invigorated my thoughts starting in a new incumbency. Provided a rich resource to help me in my first months and ongoing as a priest-in-charge.'

'The sensitivity with which issues were addressed was most helpful.'

'Good structure and input that was both clearly biblical and one hundred per cent practical.'

'These proved essential and excellent days of learning and fellowship. Thank you.'

'This event is the only one of its kind – no other organisation does this.'