

**Trainers:**

The Reverends: Chris Bedford; Derek Harding and Marilyn Welch

**Venue:**

The training events will be held at Trinity Church, Corner of Hororata Road and Highfield Avenue, Dunsandel, Canterbury Plains 8151.

Normally this course is residential but this time we are trialling it as non-residential course to keep costs to a minimum. Members of the parish have offered to provide billets for us and you may want to give your host a koha.

**Course cost:**

\$500 phase one

\$425 phase three

There is no cost involved for phase two - the supervised fieldwork, other than what is normally paid to a supervisor.

Please fill in the enclosed registration form and return with a cheque made out to Auckland Diocesan Council to:

Reverend Marilyn Welch  
12 Delmont Close  
Dannemora  
Auckland 2016

**No later than 3 August 2012**

You will be sent further details as soon as possible after the close of registration.

The New Zealand Branch of the  
Interim Ministry Network(US)  
is facilitating a training event for:

## TRANSITIONAL MINISTRY



A training event for those interested  
in developing skills for an intentional  
ministry during that period  
between the departure of one  
minister and the arrival of the next minister or ministry  
team.

Phase 1:

10 – 14 September 2012

Christchurch

Phase 3:

Christchurch – Date to be advised

**TRANSITIONAL MINISTRY: A BRIDGE BETWEEN THE PAST AND FUTURE:**

The transitional period in the life of a congregation is an excellent opportunity for it to reflect and review its past; to find meaning in its heritage and history; to explore its current identity; to celebrate the gifts, skills and ministries already being exercised within the congregation; and a time to envision and discern God's call for its future in a proactive way.

The course is made up of three phases:

**Phase 1:** This is a week long intensive where theory is taught.

**Phase 2:** Consists of a supervised and monitored fieldwork project which can be carried out in your particular ministry setting. This project will continue to develop the participants' skills, knowledge and personal awareness. Your learning outcomes will form the basis for a fifteen to twenty minute presentation in phase three. You will also be required to submit two reports.

**Phase 3:** This is usually six months after phase 1 and is another week long intensive (this may finish on Thursday depending on the number of participants). Participants do their presentations, reports are processed in small groups and additional theory is taught.

We will negotiate the dates for phase 3

Each day begins at 8.30am and concludes at 8.30pm

**It is important participants commit to all three phases of the training.**

Wednesday evening is a free night for participants to visit friends, go to movie etc. The evening meal is at participants' own expense.

### Registration Form

Name.....

Address .....

Telephone .....

Mobile .....

e-mail.....

Denomination.....

Accommodation:

- I will organise my own
- I would like to be billeted

Special dietary requirements .....

Return to: The Reverend Marilyn Welch  
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