

Presbytery Newsletter | May 2025



What Church of Scotland Learning can offer you!

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The Church of Scotland Learning team are here to support you however we can. From short online presentations to bespoke and tailored conference sessions, we are here to help you in your Presbytery. How might we be able to serve and support your Presbytery in the coming months? Below are a number of opportunities to connect:

A conversation | connect with the team for an introductory conversation about your learning and training needs.

A 5-10-minute presentation | a short online presentation introducing Church of Scotland Learning to your Presbytery.

A Conference Session | either online or in-person at your Presbytery Conference, getting a 'taste' of Church of Scotland Learning.

Something more bespoke | we can tailor something for a specific group in your Presbytery, e.g. your ministries or mission committee.

You can get in touch with the team via learning@churchofscotland.org.uk to find out more about any of these opportunities.

The [Resources](#) area on Church of Scotland Learning contains a variety of resources to help you explore the platform, including: introductory films, workshops, access information, module summary and suggestions and tips and hints for group work.

Upcoming Church of Scotland Learning Webinar



Church in a Changing Landscape

We're excited to tell you about our next live stream event on the Church of Scotland Learning platform! We've launched a number of new modules over the last few months, all of which share a common thread of responding to change. Change continues to be present in our church and these times of change can be unsettling for everyone – church leaders and congregations alike. In that light, we are hosting a webinar exploring the subject of change and introducing you to the variety of modules which have recently launched.

We'll introduce you to four modules, new to the platform – **Navigating Your Way Through Change**, **Being an Intergenerational Church**, **Future Focus** and **Ways of Working Together**. These four modules demonstrate different aspects of the nature of change and how we can respond in the church.

We hope this will be a stimulating and encouraging time together, we'd love to see you there.
Join us on **Thursday 19th June 2025: 1:00-1:45pm**. Sign up [HERE](#).

Stories to Share...



We love to hear stories of how people are using Church of Scotland Learning where they are and the difference that it's making. Below is a story from one of our team – Angie McNabb, Recruitment Coordinator, about how our module *Could It Be You*, is helping those discerning a calling to ministry.

"Could It Be You has become a regular talking point at an increasing number of Local Reviews in recent months. It has been great to hear in conversation that Applicants have been finding the module incredibly helpful as an extra aide in their discernment journey, along with their conversations with Mentors and Presbytery Assessors. It's encouraging to know that Church of Scotland Learning is being utilised by people right at the beginning of the process and becoming an integral resource for Applicants, Candidates and the wider church."

If you or anyone in your Presbytery has a story to share about Church of Scotland Learning – big or small - we'd love to hear it! You can contact us via the email below or come and chat to us in person at the General Assembly. There are two opportunities to do that – the People and Training Team lunch on Saturday 17th May or during the day on Tuesday at our stall in the Martin Hall. Look out for the folks with purple lanyards! We hope to chat to you then.

Contact the team: learning@churchofscotland.org.uk