

OTHER SPEAKERS

Jo Randerson is a playwright and performer, the director of Barbarian Theatre Company which uses performance to frame complex questions and express radical politics. Her contributions promise to be fierce, funny and counter-cultural.

Dr Robert Myles is Lecturer in Theological and Religious Studies at the University of Auckland. A non-believer with a deep respect for religion, his research focuses on the convergences between the Bible, politics and culture with a particular interest in radical politics.

Rev David Clark is an ordained Presbyterian minister and, since 2011, MP for Dunedin South. He has served on the Otago Community Trust and worked as a Treasury analyst. He believes he has an understanding of the economic and social levers that can be pulled to achieve meaningful change.

PROGRAMME

Friday 6th May – Registrations and afternoon tea are from 3pm. There will be presentations before and after dinner at 6pm. You will be asked to make your

choice of Saturday workshops by the close of the evening session. This will be at approximately 9pm.

Saturday 7th – You are invited to begin the day with centring prayer at 8.45am. There will be further speaker presentations, a variety of workshops and a panel discussion, as well as breaks for morning/afternoon tea and lunch. The conference dinner is at 7pm with entertainment in the Asher Hall.

Sunday 8th – Dr Meyers will preach at the 10.30am service at St Paul's and the conference will conclude at lunchtime.

TRAVEL

Arrivals by bus or plane Pick-ups and drop off will be available at airport and bus terminus. Please let us know your travel arrangements (see booking form).

Travel by car – all day pay parking is available in Tennyson Street and there is free parking is along the southern end of Marine Parade.

ACCOMMODATION

A number of options including special rates will appear on the website by the end of January 2016.

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Progressive Spirituality NZ Conference



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