

THE CHURCH AND BRITISH POLITICS SINCE 1900

17 August 2015

Burley Room, Hatfield College, Durham University

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| 9.30 – 10.00 | Coffee and tea. |
| 10.00 – 10.30 | 'Bishops as Legislators: the Lords Spiritual in the twentieth century.'
Tom Rodger (Durham University). |
| 10.30 – 11.30 | The Church and policy-making. |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | 'Educating the child: the Church of England and British politics at the beginning of the twentieth century.'
Charlie Coleman (unattached). |
| 11:00-11:30 | 'The Church of England and Sexual Politics, c.1957-80.'
Laura Ramsay (University of Nottingham). |
| 11.30 – 11.45 | Break. |
| 11.45 – 12.45 | Voices of dissent. |
| 11:45-12:15 | 'R.H. Tawney: Socialism and the Church of England.'
Dr James Kirby (Trinity College, Cambridge). |
| 12:15-12:45 | 'Hensley Henson and the Conservative case for Dis-establishment, c.1928-1947.'
Professor Simon Green (University of Leeds; All Souls, Oxford). |
| 12.45 – 13.45 | Lunch. |
| 13. 45 – 14:45 | Models of Ecumenicalism. |
| 13:45 - 14:15 | 'From partisan politics to national religion: the Church of England, 1903-1953.'
Professor Philip Williamson (Durham University). |
| 14:15 – 14:45 | 'Two Liverpool Bishops and British Politics: the ecumenical partnership of David Sheppard and Derek Worlock, 1976-1996.'
Dr Maria Power (University of Liverpool). |
| 14:45 – 15.00 | Break. |
| 15.00 – 16.00 | The Archbishops and politics. |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | 'A "baffling task": Archbishop Fisher and the Suez Crisis.'
Dr Andrew Connell (independent scholar). |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | 'Church, politics and Michael Ramsey, 1961-74.' |

Dr Peter Webster (Webster Research and Consulting Ltd).

16.00 – 16.30 **Closing discussion.**

Reception and/or dinner.