

## Booking Details

### Full-time residents

Please enter the number of places required in the appropriate box(es) below:

Until Sunday evening: £115 (or £80 sharing a twin room)\*
  Until Monday breakfast: £135 (or £100 sharing a twin room)\*

If booking for more than one place, please give full details in the space below.

\*Please see note under 'Cost' regarding availability of twin rooms.

**Note:** If you are a 'non-youth' intending to bring a group of young people, please contact us for information on your conference fee, as subsidized rates only apply to young people.

### Part-time and non-residents

Please contact us to discuss arrangements.

Total cost: £

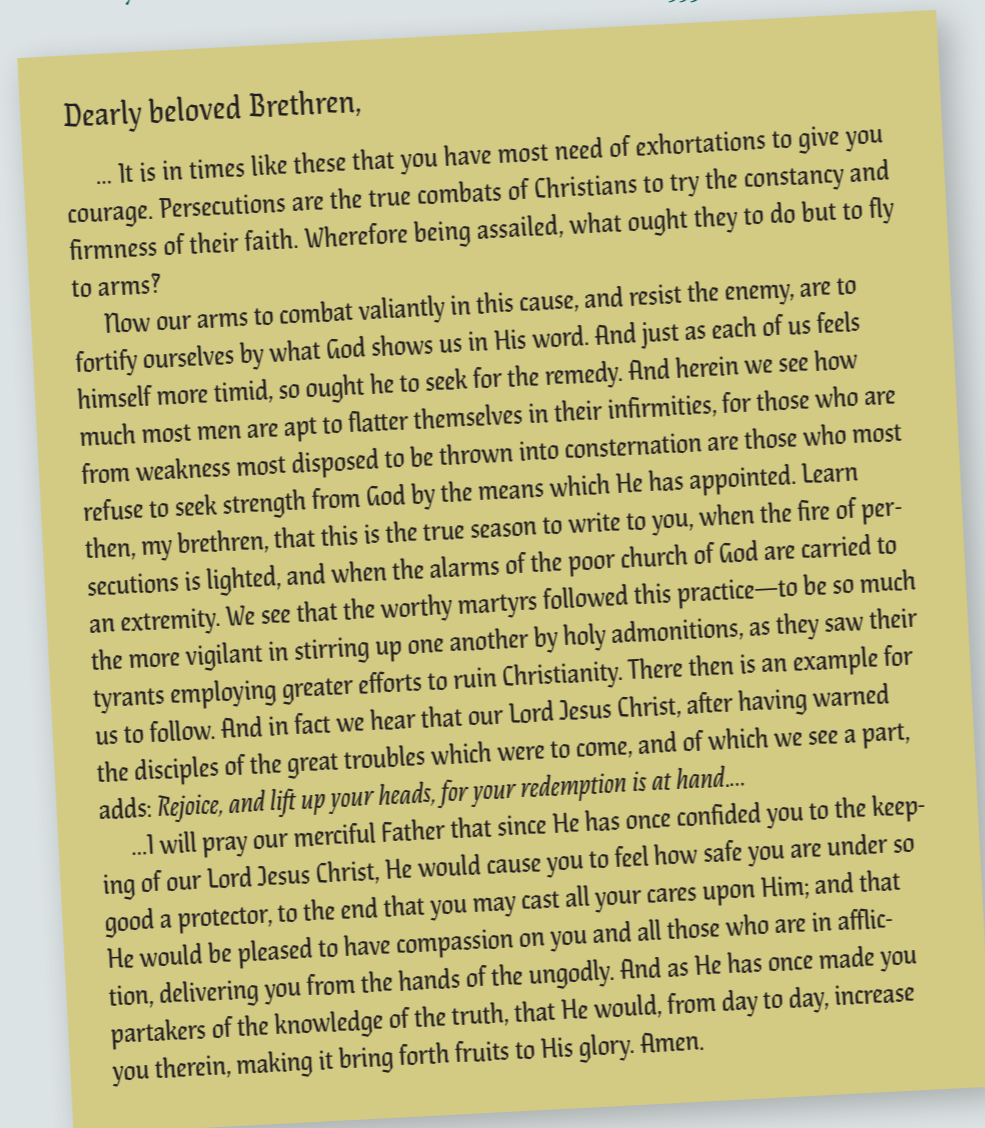
If you need to cancel your booking, please call the Edinburgh office or email us: [info@banneroftruth.co.uk](mailto:info@banneroftruth.co.uk). Cancellations arriving in the office before 4 March will receive a full refund. After this date we will refund the conference fee LESS the amount we are charged by the venue.

Please send completed form together with payment to:

**The Banner of Truth Trust, 3 Murrayfield Road, Edinburgh, EH12 6EL**

Space for detailing extra bookings:

Perhaps the best known French Protestant is John Calvin. While a student in Paris, he became associated with the emerging evangelical movement and was eventually forced to flee from France's hostile regime. He took refuge in Geneva, where he was persuaded to stay and help in the reformation of that city. Calvin is now most associated with Geneva, but his heart was with his native France, and he did all he could to advance the cause of the gospel there. One of the ways he sought to encourage his brothers and sisters in France was by writing letters. Here is part of one such letter, written by Calvin 'to the brethren of France' in November 1559:



► From *Letters of John Calvin*, available in the Book Room

## Venue

Yarnfield Park is the home of the Banner Youth Conference. Situated in the village of Yarnfield in Staffordshire, and easily accessible from the M6, the purpose-built conference centre provides good facilities, including cafeteria-style catering, outdoor space for recreation, an on-site Costa coffee bar, and an exercise room.

Accommodation is in ensuite bedrooms, each equipped with a desk, tea and coffee making facilities, and Wi-Fi. Towels are provided.

There will be an extensive Book Room with Banner of Truth books available at special conference prices.



## Cost

*Residents* – Fri dinner to Sun dinner – £115 (Twin room £80)\*  
Fri dinner to Mon breakfast – £135 (Twin room £100)\*

Those wishing to attend for just one day or part of a day should contact us at the Edinburgh office.

\*Attendees wishing to share a twin room should book at the same time as one another. Some rooms will contain a regular bed and a 'Z' bed. Please note that there are a limited number of twin rooms, which will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

## Arrival

Arrival should not be before 4.30pm on the Friday. If not arriving by 6.25pm, please advise us when booking. Free car parking is available adjacent to the conference venue.

*The address of the venue is:*

**Yarnfield Park, Yarnfield Lane, Yarnfield, Staffordshire, ST15 0NL.** The nearest railway stations are Stone, Stoke, and Stafford. Please visit [yarnfieldpark.com](http://yarnfieldpark.com) for further travel information.

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# Banner Youth Conference

# 2025



**4-7 April**  
**Yarnfield Park**  
**Staffordshire**

Hosted by  
Hugh and Lois Collier

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2025



BOOK ONLINE

The speakers at this year's Youth Conference will cover themes to help us live practical and biblically-informed Christian lives. In addition to hearing the Scriptures expounded, we will also learn from church history, focusing this year on the courage of persecuted Christians in sixteenth-century France. We will also look at why we should read, with tips and suggestions given on how best to go about our reading.

The Conference is for young people aged 16 and over. It is an opportunity to find out why the Christian life is the most serious, but also the most joyful and hope-filled life, and to meet many young people who hold that belief, from churches across the British Isles and beyond. Every year, many newcomers find a friendly welcome and feel quickly at ease.

As in previous years, there will be plenty of free time for fellowship, sports, and browsing the Book Room! There will also be opportunity to put your questions to the panel. We hope that you will be able to join us in April. If you have any queries about the conference, please contact us using the details below.

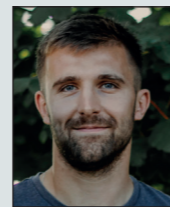


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## Speakers



**David Whitla**  
Professor of Church History at Reformed Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA



**Tim Rawlinson**  
Pastor of Tranent Community Church, East Lothian, Scotland



**John Rawlinson**  
General Manager of The Banner of Truth Trust, Edinburgh

The Banner Book Room will be open on Friday and Saturday, full of books at special conference prices



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The Emigration of the Huguenots, 1566  
by Jan Antoon Neuhuys (1832-1891)

## Programme

### Friday 4 April

6.30 pm Dinner  
7.45 pm Homesick Christians (Psa. 120) *David Whitla*

### Saturday 5 April

7-8.15 am Breakfast  
9.15 am Born Again to a Living Hope (1 Pet. 1:1-12) *Tim Rawlinson*  
10.30 am Refreshments  
11.00 am Read? Why? What? How? *John Rawlinson*  
12.30 pm Lunch  
5.00 pm Courageous Christians (Case Study: The French Huguenots) *David Whitla*  
6.30 pm Dinner  
7.45 pm Growing Up in the Living Word (1 Pet. 1:13-2:3) *Tim Rawlinson*

### Sunday 6 April

7-8.15 am Breakfast  
9.15 am Prayer  
11.00 am Morning Worship— Exiled Christians (Jer. 29:1-14) *David Whitla*  
12.30 pm Lunch  
2.00 pm Speaker Interview  
2.30 pm Refreshments  
3.00 pm Questions and Answers  
5.00 pm Evening Worship— Being Built Up in the Living Stone (1 Pet. 2:4-25) *Tim Rawlinson*  
6.30 pm Dinner  
9.00 pm Fellowship and Prayer

### Monday 7 April

7-8.15 am Breakfast

## Booking Form

Please send this completed form (both sides), to the address overleaf with full payment, by 4 March 2025. **Alternatively, you can book and pay online at [conferences.banneroftruth.org](https://conferences.banneroftruth.org), or phone the office on +44(0)131 337 7310.**

Full name  Sex (m/f)

Address  Age   
If 16/17 see below

Post code  Daytime tel.

email

I enclose a cheque for £  Please make cheques payable to 'The Banner of Truth Trust'

### IMPORTANT NOTE TO PARENTS OF ATTENDEES WHO ARE 16/17 YEARS OLD:

Please note that, while the conference is primarily a residential conference, we are unable to provide close supervision of those attending the conference who are under 18 years of age.

By signing the parental consent below, you are acknowledging that you are happy for your child to attend the conference, and understand that, while the Banner of Truth Trust will endeavour to take reasonable care of your child, the nature of the conference means that it is not possible to provide close supervision of your child. Further, you understand that the Trust cannot necessarily be held responsible for any loss, damage, or injury suffered to or by your child during, or as a result of, attending the conference.

Please inform us in writing if there is any regular medication, medical problem or disability which may affect normal activities.

Parent's signature:

Please provide an emergency contact number:

In an emergency, if I cannot be contacted, I am willing for my child to receive doctor/hospital or dental treatment including an anaesthetic.

Yes  No

IF AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT IS NEEDED, PLEASE PROVIDE A S.A.E.