

St Mary's Church, Cogges
making Christ known by word and deed



MOBILISE

Putting your gifts to work

**Teaching Weekend with Jon & Jo Soper
Friday 22nd – Sunday 24th January 2010**

Apostle		Explorer
Prophet		Artist
Evangelist		Broadcaster
Pastor		Lover
Teacher		Communicator

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These sessions explore the five-fold ministry of Jesus as seen in Ephesians 4. They look at how Jesus and other characters in Scripture are our examples for the ministries of apostle, prophet, evangelist, pastor and teacher (or as they are characterized 'explorer, artist, broadcaster, lover and communicator'). Each session explores through gifting, temperament and experience which ones we feel most at home in, which ones God may be calling us to grow into and how Christ-like character holds it all together.

God has created each of us to be fulfilled and fruitful in a meaningful place of ministry. Part of our identity as followers of Jesus Christ is uniquely related to the gifts God has promised each of us. Our strategic plan is to release the gifts of God's people so the church can function as it should and His kingdom can grow as He always intended it to. The material from the teaching weekend is a step along that path and I would encourage you to make it a priority

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| 1. Programme Objectives | <i>Andrew Sweeney</i> |
| 2. Introduction to the Exeter Network Church team | <i>Jon Soper</i> |
| 3. Mobilise 1 – overview of the subject
and also apostolic ministry | <i>Jon Soper</i> |
| 4. Mobilise 2 – prophetic and evangelistic ministry | <i>Jon Soper</i> |
| 5. Mobilise 3 – pastoral and teaching ministry | <i>Jon Soper</i> |
| 6. Summary Overview (Sunday Sermon) | <i>Jon Soper</i> |

The weekend was led by Jon and Jo Soper. Jon and Jo planted Exeter Network Church in 2005. The church has been made the first Bishop's Mission Order in the UK. It's a mission orientated church based on networks of relationships and not on the parish system. Before church work, Jon was a musician and Jo worked in mental health. They have one son, Bart, aged 12. Jon and Jo trained with Andrew Sweeney at Wycliffe Hall and have been great friends ever since, despite coming from different sides of the Irish Sea. Jo is a writer for Closer to God bible notes. Jon supports Southampton FC. They all enjoy tennis and surfing.

To find out more about Exeter Network Church visit www.enc.uk.net