

Course Aims

- Provide Christians with the practical skills to be effective expressions of God's love and compassion in today's society;
- Help Christians develop the ability to work productively and harmoniously with Christians from different denominations and backgrounds to demonstrate the Kingdom value of love for people regardless of their backgrounds
- Inspire the Christian community to cultivate the ability to work creatively with a range of local government agencies and voluntary agencies for the well-being of the community
- Motivate Christians to become better citizens, contributing positively to the social, political, education, economic and religious well-being of the community
- Inspire Christians to creatively and truthfully blend social action with their faith to bring hope and change within the community

We have developed a training programme set out over 3 weekends. It is aimed to equip you with the tools to carry out your Street Pastors duty effectively.

All the training will take place at Community Gateway's Hub, 1a Longridge Road, Ribbleton, Preston, PR2 6RE, between Sion Park and Ribbleton Service Station.

I do hope that you enjoy this training and benefit from it both personally and as you serve our Lord in this way. Thank you for being willing to be part of our amazing team.

Jason Buckler

Co-ordinator

Preston & South Ribble Street Pastors

STREET PASTORS™

Preston & South Ribble (North)

Training Programme

Autumn 2011- Spring 2012

Sion Community Hub

1a Longridge Road, Ribbleton, Preston, PR2 6RE



Weekend 1: 1-3 October 2011

Roles and responsibilities

Saturday 1 October 9.00am to 3.00pm

Personal safety and street awareness

Sunday 2 October 9.00am to 12.00 noon

Knowing your community 1 - Understanding youth culture

Sunday 2 October 1.00pm to 5.00pm

Basic first aid

Monday 3 October 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Weekend 2: 19-21 November 2011

Knowing your community 2 - Police matters

Saturday 19 November 2011 9.00am to 12.00 noon

Knowing your community 3 - Prostitution and homelessness

Saturday 19 November 2011 1.00pm 5.00pm

Understanding Islam

Sunday 20 November 2011 9.00am to 3.00pm

Good News

Monday 21 November 2011 7.00pm to 9.00pm

The principles that will shape our Kingdom living, in the context of the strongholds of twenty-first century culture.

Weekend 3: 11-13 February 2012

Understanding drugs and addictions

Saturday 11 February 2012 9.00am to 12.00 noon

Team dynamics and leadership skills

Saturday 11 February 2012 1.00pm to 5.00pm

Mentoring and body language

Sunday 12 February 2012 9.00am to 3.00pm

Crime and justice - at Preston Magistrates Courts

Monday 13 February 2012 evening