



Sea of Faith NETWORK N.Z.

NEWSletter

Conference 2004

Twentieth Anniversary of "The Sea of Faith"

THE STEERING COMMITTEE held its annual one-day planning meeting in Wellington on February 14th. One of the major tasks at that meeting was to plan the annual Conference. This year marks the 20th anniversary of Don Cupitt's seminal TV series "The Sea of Faith". Our Network, together with those of the UK and Australia will be asking where is "faith" ("religion"? "spirituality"? we couldn't agree!) going at this time. These are Conference details that we can give you now:

Date: September 24-26, 2004

Venue: St. Peter's School, Cambridge, near Hamilton

Theme: '20 Years On, Faith Evolving'

Keynote Speakers: David Boulton; Lloyd Geering; one other yet to be confirmed.

Later Newsletters will provide updates. Or you can look on the website.



The 2003-2004 Steering Committee

Left to right: George Dodd, Yvonne Curtis, Keith Fuller, Marion Dodd, Noel Cheer, Hugh Gilman, Don Feist, Marjorie Cox, Ian Crumpton, Frank Gaze, Peter Timmins, Lyle Millar, Ron Wilson

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1. Planning the Conference

Your Steering Committee is on the case

2. John Dominic Crossan and the Examination of the Data

Continuing Alan Webster's analysis of radical theologians

4. Two Book Reviews

The invitation was accepted.

5. Ephesus and The Sea of Faith Network

By Ian Harris, and he ought to know!

7. Sailing To Byzantium

Yeats sings "Of what is past, or passing, or to come."

7 Review of DC's "New Religion for a New Age"

... by the equally prolific Alan Goss.

8. Local Groups

What they're talking about.

8. In Brief

Ripples on the Sea of Faith

9. Faith in Cyberspace

The start of a global consciousness?

9. So FiA's Conference

Their first will be in September, in Perth.

9. A Decade Ago

A snippet from the 1994 Newsletter in which David Boulton first came to our attention.

9. All About Us

The who, why, when, where and the what of us.

10. Last Word from the Chairperson

In which he muses about a "second constituency" for SoF.