

**The Church and Social Justice**  
**at a time of economic crisis and environmental catastrophe**  
**Saturday 18 May 2024**

Hosted by the Centre for Anglican History and Theology at the  
**Canterbury Lodge, Canterbury Cathedral**

9.00-9.45 Registration, Arrival and Coffee

**9.45-10.10 Introduction and welcome**

from Kenneth Fincham

David Ormrod, William Temple and John Macmurray – two traditions in twentieth-century  
Christian social thought

**10.10-11.15 Session 1: The Church and Social Justice**

Lady Brenda Hale, Rebuilding Civil Society in Britain

Panel: Religion and social justice today - voices from the margins,  
led by Jonathan Arnold with Liz Rook, Domenica Pecoraro  
and Emma Pennington

11.15-11.45 Coffee

**11.45-13.00 Session 2: Economic Crisis**

David Ormrod, The historic roots of uneven development  
Patrick Watt, Development and trade justice in a contested world

13.00-14.00 Lunch

**14.00-15.15 Session 3: Environmental Catastrophe**

Hugo Slim, *Laudato Si'* (2015) and Integral Ecology  
Jeremy Carrette, Anglicans and the environment

15.15-15.45 Tea

**15.45-17.00 Session 4: Faith in the Human Future**

Celia Deane-Drummond, Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, evolution and  
the challenge of the Anthropocene  
Alan Race, Religion, science, and the meeting of East and West

17.00 Reception, followed by Evensong at 5.30

## Speakers

<b>Kenneth Fincham</b>	Emeritus Professor of Early Modern History at the University of Kent
<b>Rt Hon Lady Brenda Hale</b>	Formerly President, Supreme Court of the United Kingdom
<b>Revd Jonathan Arnold</b>	Director of the Canterbury Diocesan Social Justice Network
<b>Liz Rook</b>	Manager at the Community Larder, All Saints, Canterbury
<b>Domenica Pecoraro</b>	Kent Refugee Programmes Manager, Social Justice Network
<b>Revd Emma Pennington</b>	Canon Missioner at Canterbury Cathedral
<b>David Ormrod</b>	Emeritus Professor of Economic and Cultural History, University of Kent
<b>Patrick Watt</b>	Chief Executive and Director, Christian Aid
<b>Hugo Slim</b>	Senior Research Fellow, Las Casas Institute for Social Justice, Blackfriars Hall and Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford
<b>Jeremy Carette</b>	Professor of Philosophy, Religion and Culture, University of Edinburgh
<b>Celia Deane-Drummond</b>	Senior Research Fellow in Theology and Director of the <i>Laudato Si</i> Research Institute, Campion Hall, University of Oxford
<b>Revd Alan Race</b>	Chair of the World Congress of Faiths and editor of <i>Interreligious Insight. A Journal of Dialogue and Engagement</i>

## Relevant reports and publications

*Laudato si. On care for our Common Home*, The Second Encyclical Letter of Pope Francis, 2015

*The Communion Forest. A Legacy of the 2022 Lambeth Conference* (Anglican Communion, Anglican Communion Environmental Network, & Anglican Alliance), <https://www.communionforest.org>

The 2022 Lambeth Calls: *Environment and Sustainable Development*, and *Sustainable Development*, [Lambeth-Calls-July-2022.pdf \(lambethconference.org\)](https://www.lambethconference.org/Lambeth-Calls-July-2022.pdf)

White Paper on International Development (CP 975), *International Development in a Contested World: ending extreme poverty and tackling climate change*, November 2023, [International development in a contested world: ending extreme poverty and tackling climate change \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1184227/international-development-in-a-contested-world-2023.pdf); for the official 14pp summary, see: [Why-Is-International-Development-So-Important-Now-White-Paper Summary.pdf \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1184227/why-is-international-development-so-important-now-white-paper-summary.pdf)

Church Commissioners for England, *Research into Historic Links to Transatlantic Chattel Slavery*, 2023, [church-commissioners-for-england-research-into-historic-links-to-transatlantic-chattel-slavery-report.pdf \(churchofengland.org\)](https://www.churchcommissionersfor-england.org.uk/research-into-historic-links-to-transatlantic-chattel-slavery-report.pdf)

OECD, Better Life Initiative, *How was Life? Global Well-Being since 1820*, 2014, 266pp (Jan Luiten van Zanden et.al.) [How Was Life?: Global Well-being since 1820 | en | OECD](https://www.oecd.org/better-life-initiative/how-was-life/)