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Teaching the Scripture Teachers: Education of Clergy for Jewish-Christian Relations

7:30pm Tuesday 30 August 2022

Temple David Function Centre, 34 Clifton Cres, Mt Lawley

*Educators from three Christian denominations will share
their approaches to mission and biblical interpretation
with respect to Jews and Judaism*

**The Revd Dr Raewynne Whiteley BA(Hons), BTh, BMin, MA, PhD
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(Anglican)**



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**Mr Joseph Tedesco BSc, BA(Phil & Th), MATS, MA(Th)
Lecturer in Theology & Scripture Studies, University of Notre Dame
Presenter at Centre for Faith Enrichment, Archdiocese of Perth
(Catholic)**



QUESTIONS & DISCUSSION

Kosher light refreshments served

COVID regulations to be observed

ALL WELCOME

ENTRY FREE of CHARGE but DONATIONS APPRECIATED

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Brief Biographies of Presenters

Dr Whiteley is the new Warden of Wollaston Theological College. Although born and ordained in Australia, she has spent the last 24 years overseas, firstly in the northeast of the US, where she studied for her PhD, was a parish priest, and became a ski instructor, and more recently in the south of London, where she worked in vocations and lay ministry for the Diocese of Southwark. She has published two books, *Get Up Off Your Knees: Preaching the U2 Catalog* (edited with Beth Maynard) and *Steeped in the Holy: Preaching as Spiritual Practice*. Her particular research interests are the history of preaching, and preaching in an Anglican context.

Dr David Cohen has been teaching, researching, and writing in theology for over 20 years. He has a Jewish heritage from his father's side and has travelled to the Middle East on several occasions to teach and conduct research. During these visits to Israel, in particular, and also here in Australia, David has been involved with interfaith dialogues in various contexts. He is passionate about promoting respectful conversations between various faith traditions and emphasises the importance of mutual understanding in his teaching.

Joe Tedesco is currently involved in the teaching program at the School of Philosophy & Theology at the University of Notre Dame Australia, something he has done for over 15 years — this includes courses on the relationship between the Hebrew Scriptures, the Christian Bible and contemporary Christian Teaching. He is also a longstanding presenter at the Centre for Faith Enrichment in the Catholic Archdiocese of Perth. There he writes and delivers educational and faith formation seminars aiding participants to better understand the Bible and related topics from the Catholic intellectual tradition.