

Please choose from the following options and tick the box/es below.

Option 1 the two day 'conference type' gathering for deacons held on the weekend of Deacon School Friday April 20th – Monday 23rd April 2018
Cost (subsidized) includes accommodation for **3** nights and all meals. *

\$ 140.00

Option 2 the five day residential school for deacons held Friday April 20th – Wednesday 25th April 2018.
Cost (subsidized) includes accommodation for **5** nights, all meals, workshops and materials. *

\$ 300.00

Addition: the extramural study of The Diaconate in the Church continued over a year or more. Cost includes Study Guide and Readings.

\$ 30.00

Addition: membership of the national association of Anglican and Methodist deacons which includes membership of the international DIAKONIA Federation. Cost covers 2017-2021 membership.

\$ 25.00

*For live out options please contact Director

National Deacon School

A residential school of formation for Anglican deacons in Tikanga Pakeha.



NATIONAL DEACON SCHOOL

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Diakonia in a World of Change

Deacon School in 2018 will be held between Friday 20th April and Wednesday 25th April

The venue will be the St Margaret's College in Christchurch

Deacons as Leaders

Deacon School is for (vocational) deacons and deacons in training.

The work of Deacon School is an effective and strategic way to not only strengthen the renewal of the diaconate as a whole but the ministry of each individual minister. Participation enables deacons to have a stronger sense of their vocation as well as confidence in their formation.

This year's focus : *diakonia* in a World of Change

During field trips and with help of our invited speakers we will explore this what change means for each of us as we live out our ministry.

Participants are invited to choose from the following: either a two and half day 'conference-type' gathering for **or** the complete five day School.

The five day School is planned to meet the needs of those who have yet to complete the three year curriculum of topics **but is open to everyone.**

Our weekend will be a time of gathering, learning and celebration. As in previous years, our time together will be

The Programme

Friday Please plan to arrive in time for dinner at 6pm.

Saturday: *diakonia* and the 'mountain top' experience.

Sunday: Eucharist at the transitional cathedral then *diakonia* 'at the edges'.

Monday (am): tbc

Weekend participants usually plan to depart **after** the Monday morning session and lunch can be provided in the case of later flights. The programme continues for those in residence until Wednesday.

For those who are completing the five days, Year One curriculum tutors for Monday to Wednesday have yet to be confirmed but are likely to include changing ministry with young people, rural ministry, leading groups and the liturgical roles of a deacon. Those who have come for the five days will depart on **Wednesday** after lunch.

An invitation is again being extended to a group of Methodist deacons to join us and a meeting of the DANZA will take place to report on the regional and world-wide networks of deacons and deaconesses.

Full details of this year's programme will be available early February.

REGISTRATION FORM 2018

Please read the booklet **Introduction to Deacon School** before completing this registration form. Cut off this portion, complete **both** sides and post or scan/email.

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Diocese:

Ordained as a deacon /
in pre-ordination training (please circle one)

Year of Ordination OR year of acceptance for training:

Registration Deadline.

Registration Forms with deposit of \$50.00 must arrive with Anne by **February 14th, 2018.**

Payment options. (Circle one)

Cheques made out to National Deacon School sent with this form.

Direct Banking: National Deacon School
12-3483-0033870-00 . Please put your name as reference.