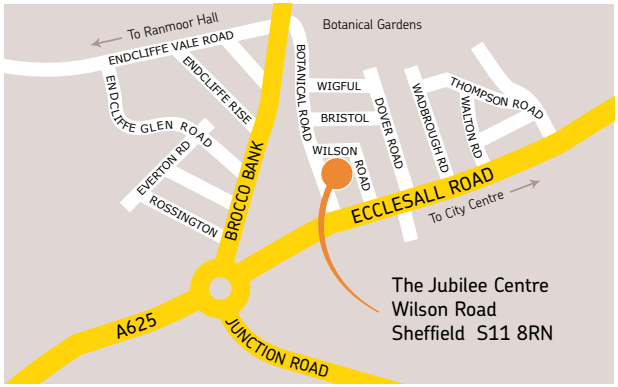
COURSE DETAILS

The course is based at The Jubilee Centre, home of City Church Sheffield (S11 8RN). It is a two year rolling programme, with an intake each year, consisting of two-day monthly modules from September to June, on a Thursday and Friday.
In-person students come to this location (see map below).
Online students join using Zoom.



COURSE DATES

The dates for 2024-25 are below.
Dates for 2025-26 are yet to be confirmed

12/13 September 2024
10/11 October 2024
14/15 November 2024
5/6 December 2024
*9/10 January 2025
(at Grace Church, Bolton)
13/14 February 2025
13/14 March 2025
10/11 April 2025
8/9 May 2025
12/13 June 2025

COURSE FEES

The fees for 2024-25 will be £895 for the year. In addition a limited number of places for accommodation can be provided with hosts from City Church Sheffield at a cost of £350 for the year.

For an application form, reference form and further information please visit christcentralchurches.org/training or email Chris Duerden at sol.uk@christcentralchurches.org

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SCHOOL OF LEADERSHIP



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Why not join us at the ChristCentral School of Leadership in September 2024?

The ChristCentral School of Leadership is now 10 years old with over 240 students having attended the course. As I start my final year as Training Director, I want to invite you to take the plunge and join the class this September. And, although I am stepping down as Course Leader in June 2025, the School of Leadership **will continue** in its current format and I will continue to provide some of the teaching. However, I am delighted that Sam Evans, an elder at Gateway Leeds, will be the School's new leader. He has been a valued member of the ChristCentral training team for several years, has trained in theology and has a passion for biblical teaching. I have every confidence that the School of Leadership will grow from strength to strength under his guidance. And you also can have confidence that as a new starter in September, you will be able to complete the full two year course.

The School of Leadership is a two year course for anyone who is called to some form of leadership in the church or in the wider world. It gives you solid grounding in biblical theology, a deeper understanding of church history, time to consider leadership issues and an opportunity to grow in your personal calling. We combine quality teaching, interactive forums and shared learning in a relaxed environment. Our 'hybrid' classroom has been hugely successful and provides both accessibility and flexibility as students can choose to join either in-person in Sheffield or online via Zoom.

There are so many benefits to being part of this course and I would be delighted to welcome you on to the School of Leadership in September 2024.

Martin Charlesworth
Training Director,
ChristCentral Churches





"School of Leadership has been a place where preconceived ideas about church history and doctrines have been broken down and then rebuilt through clear biblical teaching and stories."
Mike Lee, Sheffield



"I've loved School of Leadership, having attended both online and in person. God has taught me so much not just in terms of knowledge but also going deeper in him."
Lizzie White, Shrewsbury

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Teaching Themes

- **The Authority of the Bible** – what is it & why it matters
- **Hermeneutics** – learning to interpret the Bible
- **Church History** – getting the past into perspective
- **Bible Landscape** – the story & theology of the Bible
- **The Church & The Poor** – the central place of social justice
- **Pastoring in the Church Community** – seeing the bigger picture
- **Culture & Contextualisation** – being the church in different societies
- **Keys to Church Growth** – unlocking the potential of your church
- **Church Planting** – the need, the call & the practicalities
- **Apologetics** – answers to tough questions about faith
- **Homiletics** – learning the art of effective preaching
- **21st Century Church** – key contemporary issues facing the church
- **The Church & The Workplace** – discipleship & mission at work
- **Ethics** – a biblical framework for navigating the moral maze
- **The Devotional Life of a Leader** – the central place of walking with God
- **Evangelism in the Local Church** – keys to effective outreach
- **Life & Mission in the Power of the Spirit** – keys to the Spirit-filled life
- **Spiritual Warfare** – what is it? and how do we fight effectively?
- **Leadership Foundations** – principles from the pastoral letters
- **Leadership Principles & Practice** – leading, releasing & governing in the church