

## Conference Speakers

### Alison Phipps - Glasgow University



Alison is a poet, a professor and a gardener. She is currently the Director of the Centre for Faith, Culture and Education at Glasgow University. Alison has a background in German studies, but her more recent research has involved pedagogical practice, intercultural communication and other educational issues.

### Joy Cowley—Wellington



Joy is a very humble, yet prolific writer. She made her writing debut in children's fiction, but is widely known in Youth Ministry circles for her spiritual writings such as Psalms for the Road and Aotearoa Psalms. She speaks from a spirituality that is gentle, and yet engaging and challenging. We are thrilled to have Joy to provide the spiritual nourishment for our conference.

## Conference Fees

ANZTCA Conference	\$170
(NB: Conference dinner is included in conference fee).	
Accommodation	\$45/night
Day Retreat:	\$25
TCMA Meeting	\$15

Please pre-register your interest by emailing [catholic@vuw.ac.nz](mailto:catholic@vuw.ac.nz).

Formal registration will begin in June.

To coincide with the ANZTCA conference, the Wellington Chaplaincies are also hosting *Critical Thoughts*, a conference on the Vocation of Universities from 20th-21st November. Why not make a week of it? Contact us for more information.



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ANZTCA  
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## Clay in the Potter's Hand



## Chaplaincy & Formation

Hosted by the  
Wellington Chaplaincies

17-19 November 2008

## Clay in the Potter's Hand

What is the place of a Chaplain in a critical learning environment? How do we engage with ideas of education, learning and formation from a faith perspective? What is the role of a Chaplain in formation? These are some of the questions that inspired the theme for this conference. As we grow in our appreciation of our context, we are able to work more creatively with the forces that shape and mould us.

Even as we act as guides, prophets and companions for the staff and students we serve, we too seek to be formed by the potter's hand. To this end we are pleased to put together two very capable speakers, Alison and Joy, to help us explore our roles the role we have to play in forming people, both head and heart.

We are excited to open our conference to Australian Tertiary Chaplains from TCMA, and to invite them to share their experiences with us.

We also invite you to take advantage of the optional extras for the conference: the Retreat Day on the 17th, and a discussion of broader Chaplaincy issues led by Rev Keith Rowe on the 20th. Also see over for information on the *Critical Thoughts* conference.

## Practicalities

We are able to offer accommodation adjacent to the campus and 10 minutes from the city: current quotes are \$45 per night for a single room.

City excursions will be optional and costs will depend on your choice. More info will follow.

We are pleased to include the Conference dinner in the registration price. We invite you to bring along a wine from your local region to share.

## Conference Timetable

*Monday 17th Nov*

am - *Retreat day*

pm - Conference Registration

evening - Welcoming

*Tuesday 18th Nov*

am - Sessions led by Alison Phipps

pm - Sessions led by Joy Cowley and Alison Phipps

evening— ANZTCA AGM

*Wednesday 19th Nov*

am - Sessions led by Alison Phipps

pm - Sessions led by Joy Cowley and City Excursions

evening—Conference Dinner

*Thursday 20th Nov*

am—*Multi-faith discussion with Rev Keith Rowe*

## Chaplains' Retreat Day 9:30am -4:30pm 17 Nov

Inspired by the success of this initiative during the last year's ANZTCA conference, and aware that we must be ministered to in order to minister to others well, we are pleased to offer a day retreat directed by Joy Cowley.

This retreat is an optional extra to the conference, so please indicate now whether you are interested in attending. It will be catered. Please note that this may affect the time you need to arrive in Wel-

**9am—4:30pm 17 Nov 2008**  
**Venue to be advised**  
**\$25 (includes lunch)**

## UCA/TCMA Discussion led by Rev Keith Rowe

This is an opportunity for the visiting Australian Tertiary Chaplains and others to meet and discuss any wider chaplaincy and multi-faith issues. More information will be available closer to the time.

**9.30am—2:30pm 20 Nov 2008**  
**Kohanga, 4 Kelburn Parade**  
**\$15 (includes lunch)**