

The Aldhelm Certificate Additional Contextual Material

Term 3: Faith at Work

Session Four: 'Prosperity with a Purpose: Christians and the ethics of affluence, pp.23-39

A book to consider alongside this session is The Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book for 2017: Welby, Justin, Dethroning Mammon: Making Money Serve Grace. Bloomsbury, 2106.

For developments to consider in the farming case study see:

Concerns about on-going levels of debt and low milk prices for dairy farmers.

See: <http://www.telegraph.co.uk/business/2016/02/21/thousands-of-dairy-farms-face-closure-as-debts-reach-crisis-level/> [Accessed September 15 2017]

See also concerns about how Brexit may affect farmers. BBC Newsnight report (length 10:46) from March 2017:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IOV3j4K0jV4> [Accessed September 15 2017]

Session Seven: 'Faith in the Future: The Church in Education', pp.46-56

pp.48-52: For recent article on the on-going importance of Religious Education in light of recent events see:

<https://www.schoolhousemagazine.co.uk/education/religious-education-lessons/> [Accessed September 15 2017]

pp.52: For a good summary article about recent reports surrounding RE and how it is to be taught, as well as challenges from groups such as the British Humanist Association see: <https://www.tes.com/news/school-news/breaking-news/religious-education-needs-be-brought-21st-century-study-concludes> [Accessed September 15 2017]. See also: <https://www.tes.com/news/school->

[news/breaking-news/gcse-parents-challenge-exclusion-non-religious-world-view-0](#) [Accessed September 15 2017]

See also the 2015 report, 'Living with Difference.' Whilst stating that all children in state funded schools should, by law, have entitlement to a curriculum about religion, philosophy and ethics, the same report also called for a repeal of the legal requirement that all schools should hold an act of collective worship and be replaced by times for reflection. For report in full see:

http://www.cte.org.uk/Articles/456066/Home/News/Latest_news_articles/Living_with_Difference.aspx [Accessed September 18 2017]

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