



Prisca is a hub-based movement for preachers, Bible teachers and speakers, to be encouraged, inspired, equipped and developed.

We are passionate about raising up faithful, empowered, Christ-like and creative communicators.

Our Hubs:

Prisca, meaning ancient, was born out of a desire to see preachers communicate the ancient Scriptures in today's world, and our hubs offer an effective means for developing this skill.

Prisca hubs provide prayerful community, stimulating training and ideas, input from preachers across the globe, rigorous feedback, friendship and accountability.

We are committed to:

-  **Engaging deeply with the Bible text**
-  **The work of the Spirit in preaching**
-  **Effective communication**
-  **Attentiveness to context & culture**

How do I run a preaching hub in my church or local area?



A hubs facilitator decides on their six hub dates between January– June '24 and receives online training to run a hub (November '23). You can also start to direct people you know to sign up via the website. Prisca provide all the resources for your preaching hub including Prisca's 'Text to Talk' resource, a talk feedback resource, and video resources to watch as a hub on preaching topics with discussion prompts.



2024 Programme Overview

Year One 'Text to Talk': New Testament (Philippians 2:1-11)	Year Two 'Text to Talk': Old Testament Narrative (Exodus 3)
Online Evening: Monday 8th January 2024 The Prisca Launch 2024	
Hub 1 (January): 'Text to Talk' 1 Focus: The Preacher – Devotion & Vocation	Hub 1: 'Text to Talk' 1 Focus: The Preacher – Pre & post preach
Hub 2 (February): 'Text to Talk' 2 Focus: The Work of the Holy Spirit in Preaching	Hub 2: 'Text to Talk' 2 Focus: The Work of the Holy Spirit in Preaching
Online Evening: Monday 4th March 2024 Effective Communication Intensive	
Hub 3 (March): 'Text to Talk' 3 Focus: Evangelistic Preaching	Hub 3: 'Text to Talk' 3 Focus: Historic Moves of God through Preaching
Hub 4 (April): Talk Feedback 1 Focus: Preaching the New Testament	Hub 4: Talk Feedback 1 Focus: Connecting Well (story, analogy, illustration)
Online Evening: Monday 15th April 2024 Preaching in this Cultural Moment	
Hub 5 (May): Talk Feedback 2 Focus: Preaching the Old Testament	Hub 5: Talk Feedback 2 Focus: Preaching Christ (Old Testament)
Hub 6 (June): Talk Feedback 3 Focus: Connecting Well (story, analogy, illustration)	Hub 4: Talk Feedback 3 Focus: Expecting the Unexpected
Friday 21st June – Saturday 22nd June 2023 The Prisca Conference 2024 (All Saints Church, Worcester)	



FAQs

How often does a hub meet?

Individual Prisca Hubs meet six times between January 2024-June 2024, and join all the other UK and Ireland hubs for three online training evenings and an in-person conference in June.

Hub membership is £85. Prisca's Preaching Conference (Friday evening-Saturday evening, food included) is £30 for Hub members and £60 for non-hub members. Bursaries are available. Hub Facilitator membership is paid by Prisca along with their place at the preaching conference. For any more information on any of the above, please get in touch via info@prisca.org.uk.

January 8th 7.30pm:
The Prisca Launch 2024 (ONLINE)

March 4th 7.30pm:
Effective Communication Training (ONLINE)

April 15th 7.30pm:
Preaching in this Cultural Moment (ONLINE)

Friday 21st-Saturday 22nd June:
Prisca Preaching Conference, Worcester (IN-PERSON)



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How will my own preaching grow as a Prisca hub facilitator?

Every person in the group will grow together and learn from one another...perhaps especially the Facilitators! Facilitators also preach to their hub and receive feedback. You'll also have access to some additional preaching training along with other Hub Facilitators, and will be supported during your time by Sophie Bannister, part of Prisca's Wider Team. There is online training for Facilitators on Monday 20th November 1pm-2.30pm, or 7.30pm-9pm, or Thursday 23rd November 1pm-2.30pm. You only need to attend one of these sessions.

Who can come to my Prisca Hub and how will they find out about it?

Your hub is for anyone involved in preaching or Bible teaching in a variety of settings (Sundays, mid-week, youth groups, evangelism, Christian organisations...) Over the last two years Prisca Hubs have included vicars and pastors from various denominations, student workers, lawyers, doctors, social workers, homemakers, youth pastors, ordinands,...to name a few! You can advertise your hub to individuals you know, and Prisca will also advertise centrally through the website and social media. People sign-up via an online form, and we request that they have support of their church leader(s) in being part of a hub.

Ideally, your hub will have people from a few different churches. We've discovered that this mix of backgrounds provides a unique way for someone's preaching gift to be developed. However, some Prisca Hubs have been shaped around one church's preaching team.

The initial round of sign-ups will begin on Monday 6th November. The deadline for all sign-ups is December 4th.

Join the Prisca community!



For more information on Prisca,
please visit our website:

prisca.org.uk

