

The Children of Abraham

Common Beliefs Common Values

Programme

7.00pm	Welcome Revd Prebendary Graham Fowell St Mary's Church
7.05pm	Introduction to the speakers and format for the evening Hifsa Haroon-Iqbal Staffordshire University Chair of Stafford and District Friends of Faith
7.10pm	Rachel Berkson Hebrew Community Stoke on Trent Judaism
7.25pm	Rev. Ray Gaston Queen's Foundation Birmingham Christianity
7.40pm	Dr Musharaf Hussain Karimia Institute Nottingham Islam
7.55pm	Heather Farr The Importance of Religious Education in a Secular society
8.10pm	Questions to the Speaker
8.45pm	Short prayer from each religious tradition
	Refreshments

Each speaker has been asked to address the following three questions:

- I. What is the core belief of your religious tradition?
- II. What about Abraham then?
- III. How can you uphold your core beliefs whilst at the same time value and respect the traditions of the other two religions, without undermining the distinction of your own tradition?

'God is Good and Merciful & Abraham is beloved of Him'