

Promoting Prayer

The work of prayer is a vital in God's Kingdom. GEAR helps facilitate prayer for our denomination through...

Power Points

A printed prayer diary distributed via *In GEAR*, with prayer requests for personnel, churches, ministries and activities within the URC.

Network of Intercessors

People who are committed to intercede for our work and for the URC, kept informed by email updates with specific requests for prayer.

Prayer Letter

An informative prayer letter, distributed to our Partners after committee meetings as a resource for intercession for GEAR's work and ministry.



GEAR Partners

GEAR's work is wholly dependent upon the voluntary support of its Partners - individuals and churches who...

- ❖ Actively pray for our work within the URC
- ❖ Give to help fund our work

Partners automatically receive copies of *In GEAR*, *Power Points* and the Prayer Letter.

If you support our aims, then why not become a Partner? Complete the details overleaf and return this form to the Secretary.

Contact details are held on our database and used only for GEAR correspondence. We do not share them with anyone else.

The Aims of GEAR

Serving the United Reformed Church, GEAR aims:

- ❖ To emphasise that the heart of all Christian life and work is a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ.
- ❖ To promote growth in Christian faith and life that is rooted in the Bible.
- ❖ To pray for and to foster renewal by the Holy Spirit in the personal life of members and the corporate life of congregations and councils.
- ❖ To explore ways of evangelism, and to encourage participation in forms of outreach relevant to today.

Leadership

GEAR's work is overseen by a committee drawn from across the United Kingdom and meeting twice a year. Various groups and individuals work throughout the year to promote our aims and implement our ministries.



Facebook group: **GEAR**

Contact Us...

Details about Partnership, copies of *In GEAR*, publications, prayer requests and booking for conferences can be found at www.gear.org.uk

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Group for Evangelism And Renewal
within the United Reformed Church

Growing closer
to Jesus
Enthusiastic about
the Bible
Alive in the power
of the Spirit
Reaching out with
the Good News

www.gear.org.uk

Introducing GEAR

GEAR has been a significant part of United Reformed Church life for over 40 years. We are a voluntary network of Christians who long to see evangelism and renewal become part of the heartbeat of our denomination.



Rev Brian Harley
GEAR Chairman

We see that growth is happening where the gospel of Jesus is being clearly presented and where there is a hunger for God in worship.

We are convinced that effective ministry and fruitful mission can happen only under the anointing of the Holy Spirit. Therefore we work and pray for personal and corporate renewal, looking to see individuals and churches move into a deeper intimacy with Jesus Christ.

GEAR's prayer resources, conferences, publications and other ministries are made available to the whole church - we are called by God to bless and serve the URC in the name of Jesus Christ and in the power of the Holy Spirit. Funding part time Evangelism and Renewal Advocates (ERAs), is a major expression of this commitment. Whilst our focus is within the URC, we benefit hugely from networking widely with others locally, nationally and globally

The continuing work of GEAR is wholly dependent on the support of those who share our aims. We invite you to become a Partner in this work.



GEAR is a voluntary network of United Reformed Church Members who have covenanted together to serve this denomination in accordance with our Aims.

Evangelism & Renewal Advocates (ERAs)

Available to churches, elders meetings and wider groups to facilitate a variety of evening, day, half day or weekend events. These include Vision2020 workshops on prayer, evangelism and church growth; spiritual renewal and Elders' retreats. We'll come at no cost but a donation is invited.

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Conferences & Events

Our annual conference each Spring aims to inspire, encourage and enrich. These are relaxing weekends with excellent teaching, contemporary worship, prayer ministry and creative workshops, together with a healthy dose of friendship and fun!

Our *Refreshing Your Ministry* conferences are for serving ministers and CRCWs, with thought-provoking speakers, worship, plus space to relax and build friendships.



Crossfire Crossfire is an annual URC GEAR youth camp for young people aged over 11. With contemporary worship, Biblical teaching, great food and awesome company, Crossfire appeals to youth groups and individuals who want to encounter God and have a load of fun too!

www.crossfire.org.uk

Publications

In GEAR

Our free magazine, published three times a year, with articles on evangelism, spiritual renewal and evangelical theology, plus personal testimony, letters and book reviews. Ask for multiple copies to distribute in your church.



GEAR Booklets

Insight, inspiration and encouragement in line with GEAR's aims. Titles include...

- ❖ Let us Pray
- ❖ Mission Enabled
- ❖ Eldership
- ❖ Renewal in the Local Church
- ❖ Over the Horizon
- ❖ A Refreshing Stream

...and Vision 2020 resources



Contact Details

(This form is also available to complete online)

Title..... Name.....
 Address

Postcode Tel

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Church

- Please send (.....) extra **In GEARs** for my church
- Please send information about becoming a Partner Church

My Donation

- I enclose a Partnership Donation* of £
- Please send me details about Gift Aid &/or Standing Orders

* We encourage Partners to give each year to help us fulfil our Aims