

Arts@Trinity

VALUES AND ETHOS

Arts@Trinity is an independent arts organisation operating out of Leeds city centre's iconic Holy Trinity church. Whilst the historic church remains a sacred home of Christian worship and mission after near 300 years, we seek to make it also a vibrant hub for the arts in Leeds. Arts@Trinity host a diverse program of the visual and performing arts, act as impassioned patrons of Leeds based artists and work tirelessly to enrich the local community through creative endeavour and community projects. We also oversee the use of this stunning listed building as a corporate event space, for the use of business, charitable and networking events.

Holy Trinity Church belongs to Leeds City Parish and is also home to Riverside Church and the Nurture Café.

Vision

Holy Trinity Church is

- a place of spiritual Christian worship, development and support
- a holy space for reflection and prayer
- a place for 'fresh expressions' of church
- a venue for the arts in all their forms
- a venue for corporate, charitable, community and networking events
- a welcoming place for the vulnerable and marginalised

Ethos and Values

- All those working within the building must ensure a lack of conflict towards other's events and activities.
- Visitors to the church should be treated with respect and courtesy at all times and involved in activities where possible
- The church should not be profaned by any meeting therein with temporal objects inconsistent with its sanctity
- If any person is guilty of riotous, violent or indecent behaviour in church they should be restrained and if necessary made subject to proceedings against them according to law
- If the church is used for plays, concerts, exhibitions or films care should be taken that word, pictures or music are such as befit a house of God and are consonant with sound doctrines. (Material in accordance with Christian values would exclude any material of explicitly gratuitous sexual imagery, horrific nature, excessive violence, inappropriate language including words which are racist or obscene. It would be unacceptable to present nudity, material of an occult nature including séances, tarot or other 'unhealthy spiritual practices and material which encourages people to behave in a way that is incompatible with words of justice and peace encompassed within the teachings of Jesus.)
- Where material may be seen as 'borderline' in relation to any of the above then Arts@Trinity will discuss with Rector and PCC.