

## IEWG CONFERENCE IN NOVEMBER 2023 IN GREAT BRITAIN

Covid locked down many projects including the International Ecumenical Work Group for deaf ministry, IEWG.

We aim to arrange a conference every second year for deaf and hearing sign language users in the Christians church.

In 2023 the conference theme will be BIBLE TRANSLATION INTO SIGN LANGUAGES, and you are all invited.

The program will include:

- Time to talk about translation work that is happening in different countries at present time.
- Discussions of upcoming plans for future translations.
- Encouragement to use the translations we have.

This time we will meet in Great Britain in Staffordshire, near Birmingham and Manchester.

Arrival Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> of November

Conference is on the 7<sup>th</sup> and the 8<sup>st</sup>.

Departure Thursday the 9<sup>nd</sup> of November.

The conference cost will be 500 Euros if you book before the 1<sup>st</sup> of May, if you book after the 1<sup>st</sup> of May the price will be 550 Euros. This price includes accommodation, food, and lectures.

Participants pay their own travel costs and interpreters. (There will be international sign language interpreters, but if you need translation into your national sign language you need to bring and pay for your own interpreters).

To join the conference contact Hendrik Korthaus: [IEWG@gebeaerdenkreuz.de](mailto:IEWG@gebeaerdenkreuz.de)

He will send you a registration application where you can fill in you details and special needs.

The members of the IEWG board hope to see you soon.



Best regards

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