

# 2017 ANNUAL LECTURE

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**Wednesday 17 May**

**7.30pm - 9pm**

6B / 5 Talavera Road, Macquarie Park NSW 2113

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## **Speaker**

Dr John Dickson works as a writer, speaker, historian of religion (focusing on early Christianity and Judaism), media presenter, Anglican minister, and director of The Centre for Public Christianity (CPX). His first book appeared in 1993, and he has since produced 14 titles, including the award-winning *Simply Christianity: Beyond Religion*, and *A Spectator's Guide to World Religions*, as well as various academic books and articles.

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## **Public Christianity for a Post-Christian World: Lessons from the Pre-Christian Past**

In our postmodern and relativist age in the West, where truth claims are dismissed and the Christian faith increasingly marginalised, it is easy to become despondent. Dr Dickson calls contemporary Christians back to the teaching, example, and missionary and apologetic strategies of the early Christians. They faced a similar situation to modern Christians but nevertheless flourished as a movement.

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