

Church Development in the European Context – Present Situation and Trends

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From England: Bishop Graham Cray (Church of England: Archbishop's Missioner and Team Leader of Fresh Expressions) – an important contributor to the report Mission-Shaped Church : Church Planting and Fresh Expressions of Church in a Changing Context ((2003) 2004) in the Church of England.

- "Mission-Shaped Report Eight Years After"
"The Challenge of Developing Churches for Youth and Young Families"



From Germany: Professor Michael Herbst (Leader of the Institute for Research on Evangelization and Church Development at the Theological Faculty in Greifswald).

- "Current Trends in Church Development in Germany".
"The Concept of Growth, or Development, in Traditional European Churches"



From Sweden: Rev. Fredrik Modéus (Church of Sweden / Ph. D. Student)

- "Church Development in the Church of Sweden – the local perspective"



From Denmark: Dr. Mogens Mogensen, (Researcher and Consultant, Church of Denmark / Areopagos)

- "Church Development in the Church of Denmark and the Multireligious Challenge"

From Norway: Rev. Paul Erik Wirgenes (Director of the Department for Church Development, Church Council, Church of Norway)

- "Church Development in the Church of Norway"

