



from Garth...

Launch of Against the Grain - book and double CD

BOOK LAUNCH

GARTH HEWITT

AGAINST THE Grain

CHOICES ON A JOURNEY WITH JUSTICE

A mixture of stories, theology, wisdom, music, humour - all building together to say something really important...but gently

GARTH HEWITT
The story of singer, songwriter, priest, author and activist: Garth Hewitt, in his own words

**TUESDAY
22 MAY**

6PM - 8PM

you are invited to the launch of

Garth Hewitt's memoir and accompanying double CD

**ST BOTOLPH'S ALDGATE
LONDON EC3N 1AB**

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The Book

I'm delighted that the launch is close now - we decided to do it in the beautiful St

Botolph's Aldgate, the church Gill and I attend. Though when we started going there it was a church on a traffic island between the East End and the City, it has now been redeveloped into a lovely park and communal area, with new steps leading into the church. Our thanks to Rev Laura Jorgensen the Vicar; she will welcome us on the evening, and then Nive Hall from Amos will ask me questions about the book and hopefully something of the story will be told.

There will be something about the music, something about Amos, something about theology, and something about Banksy's Walled Off Hotel in Palestine...

The double CD

I'm pleased with the way the double album has worked out as well - I think it's a good companion to the book. We'll play a couple of tracks from the album, but also I'll sing two or three songs.

And now that they've been out a few weeks, we are getting lovely responses. I'm glad to say that the design of the book, in a sort of magazine style, has met with much approval. I think that's partly because people can dip in and out rather than reading the book from cover to cover, and also because there are anecdotes and photos here and there in the middle of chapters.

I felt we had achieved what I was aiming for when this quote came in from John Randall: "It's like an expanded 'concert' as it's full of stories - some familiar, some totally new with lyrics and pictures to bring things into focus. It's a wonderful memoir and proclamation of all that you and Gill have fought for over the years. The large format works well."

Thanks John!

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There's so much conflict going on in the world, I'm working on a newsletter with perhaps prayers and liturgy for peace and justice as its focus - but I wanted to get this book launch invitation out to you just now.

So I'll be in touch again soon.

Gareth Hewitt

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