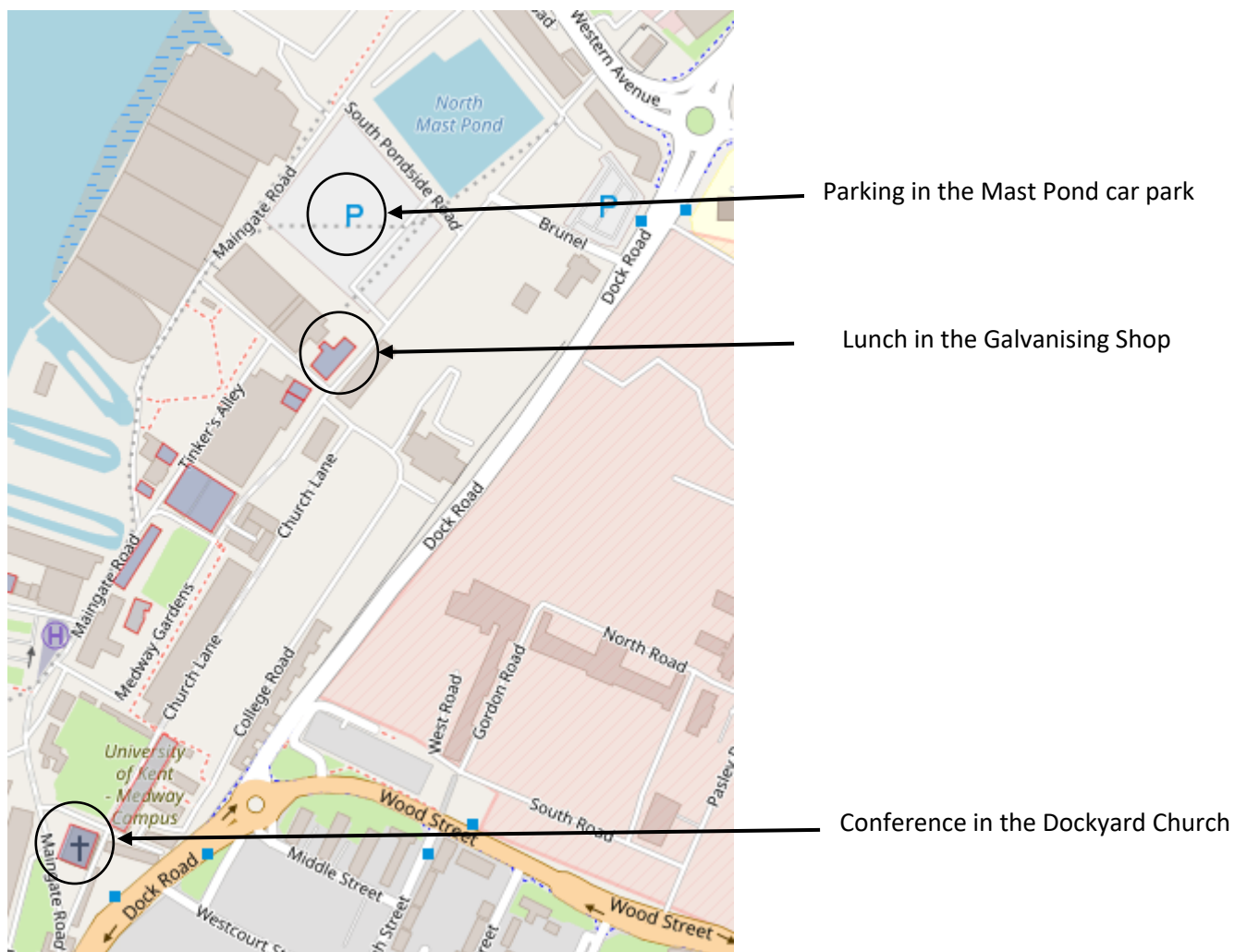


The Point: Conference Programme	
9.00 -10.00	Arrive at the Royal Dockyard Church
10-00.15	Opening and introduction (Bishop of Tonbridge, Simon Burton-Jones)
10.15 - 11.30	<p>Nature of the knife crime problem (Chaired by +Simon)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Prof John Pitts: Knife crime and county lines ○ Dr Tara Young: Girls on road: young women as victims and perpetrators of violence. ○ Dr Erin Sanders-McDonagh: Social isolation as a driver of youth violence ○ Prof David Shemmings: Trauma and youth violence
11.30 – 11.50	Coffee break
11.50 – 13.05	<p>Responses to youth violence: a roundtable discussion (Chaired by +Simon)</p> <p>This session will start with a presentation on the reduction of youth violence in Scotland by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Prof Susan McVie <p>Followed by a roundtable discussion with the audience, featuring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Niven Rennie, Scottish Violence Reduction Unit ○ Gwenton Sloley ○ Patrick Regan, XPL Youth Project ○ Prof John Crichton
13.05 – 14.00	Lunch (Galvanising Shop)
14.00 – 15.15	<p>Reducing deaths from knife crime (chaired by +Simon)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Prof Jane Reeves: Serious game for reducing youth violence ○ Katy Jackson: The social history of pointed knives ○ Prof Sarah Hainsworth and Dr Mike Beckett: Reducing deaths from pointed knives <p>Followed by audience discussion</p>
15.15 – 15.30	<p>Closing summary of action points (chaired by +Simon)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Prof Alex Stevens

The Point: conference venue map



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Please note that the Mast Pond car park is about 5 – 8 minutes' walk from the Church. If you need to park closer to the Church, please take advice from staff at the gates to the Dockyard.