

### **Brief Biography – Rev Dr Andrew Menzies**

Andrew has been in full-time ministry since the early 1990s in roles that have included youth and young adult pastor; chaplain; denominational executive; senior pastor of two multi-staff teams and principal of a theological college with responsibilities to a university and denomination. He is engaged in ongoing study and research in areas of pastoral & practical theology and counselling especially as they relate to recovery from trauma, moral injury and burnout - towards health for people in areas of pastoral leadership. He teaches in pastoral & practical theology and coordinates the Doctor of Ministry program at Melbourne School of Theology part-time and devotes the balance of his time as a professional supervisor for people in ministry. He has a deep pastoral interest in the formation, health and growth of people in ministry and Christian service as well as those they lead and serve. Andrew seeks to create a confidential, disarming, open, mutual space where trust, listening and reflective conversation flourish.