

About our church-planting curacies



To prospective church-planting curates

We are so pleased you have got in touch!

By now you will have seen that here in Ipswich we are looking for three church-planting curates to start in June or it could be September, this year.

We have three very different and very exciting posts on offer and, if you're interested in any or all of them we'd encourage you to have a read of the various documents which have been provided. (NB Two of these are fairly recent parish profiles so hopefully useful for you to see but please note that these churches now have a priest-in-charge in situ or coming and some of the details may be out of date.) You will also find some more information about the church or project supplied by the prospective TIs. You might also like to see the document we have circulated to PCCs about the posts so you know more of what might be expected by you and the church.

Once you have read the profiles and information, if you are still interested, we'd encourage you to email the clergy (addresses on the advert) and arrange a zoom call or in-person meeting to chat through what a curacy would look like with them.

After that please send me a simple email with a CV by February 28th if you'd like to express some interest in a post, with a little explanation to say why.

If you seem a good fit with one of our posts we hope to invite you to an 'interview' on Wednesday 8th March in Ipswich where a small panel, including myself, would like to ask you some questions to help us discern together what might be possible.

If you would like any further information or an informal conversation please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Lastly, please join with us in praying the Inspiring Ipswich prayer:

*God of Mission,
who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
vision to our planning,
wisdom to our actions
and power to our witness.
Help your Church here in Ipswich
to grow leaders, to grow younger,
to grow in numbers,
inspiritual commitment to you
and in service to our local community,
through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.*

Every blessing,

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