



**The Bishop of Rochester seeks to appoint  
Rector (full time) for the  
Benefice of Ightham and Wrotham**  
[www.ighthamchurch.org.uk](http://www.ighthamchurch.org.uk) & [www.wrothamchurch.org](http://www.wrothamchurch.org)

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*Gathering in Community – Growing in Christ – Going in Service*

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*We are a thriving 2-parish benefice looking for an inspiring and mission-minded person; excited to work with and serve the whole community, and shape the future of our benefice. We are seeking someone who will continue to nurture the strong relationships with our communities and local schools. Our Breakfast@Church is attracting new worshippers of all-ages and we are keen to explore new ways to grow our congregations.*

*Please read our profile for more details on the Benefice and the Rector we are praying will join us.*

We warmly invite applications to join our lively Benefice as we seek to reflect Christ's love in our neighbouring parishes nestled at the foot of the beautiful North Downs. This is an exciting opportunity to make a difference in our beautiful, vibrant communities.

Here's what we offer:

- Parishes with good facilities, strong networks and excellent community spirit
- Friendly and engaged congregations offering practical support and prayer
- A Benefice that values your personal well-being and professional development
- A Benefice Administrator and dedicated teams of volunteers
- A Joint Standing Committee open to change as we evolve and grow

The Rectory is a 4-bedroomed property with spacious garden, garage and off street parking in the village of Wrotham, with good local amenities and easy access to London.

Read the Parish Profile here: [www.rochester.anglican.org/diocese/vacancies/](http://www.rochester.anglican.org/diocese/vacancies/)

Applications via Pathways: <https://www.cofepathways.org/>

If you wish for an informal chat with Associate Archdeacon Rev Wil North before applying, please email the EA to the Archdeacon : [sal.hamlyn@rochester.anglican.org](mailto:sal.hamlyn@rochester.anglican.org).

**Closing date for applications: 3 July 2025**

**Provisional date for Parish visits: 21 July 2025**

**Interviews will be held on 22 July 2025**