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## Rector of St Paul's Hasland, Vicar of St James' Temple Normanton & Priest-in-Charge of St Peter's Calow

Full-time stipendiary post

This benefice of three Anglo-Catholic parishes, under the extended episcopal care of the Bishop of Oswestry, on the southeastern edge of the Peak District offers a rich and rewarding ministry across village, suburban, and semi-rural contexts. The churches share a commitment to sacramental worship, pastoral care, and community engagement, and are praying for a priest who will lead them into a renewed season of growth, collaboration, and mission.

We are seeking a missional, collaborative priest who:

- Is rooted in the Anglo-Catholic tradition, with the Eucharist at the heart of ministry and worship.
- Will nurture and grow relationships with schools, especially Calow Church School, and develop outreach to children, families, and young people.
- Is pastorally present and visible in the community, including care homes, new housing areas, and civic life.
- Can inspire and equip lay leaders, enabling the gifts of the whole church to flourish.
- Will work creatively across the benefice to shape a shared vision while honouring each parish's identity.
- Is resilient and hopeful in the face of financial and structural challenges and committed to building sustainable ministry.
- Embodies the diocesan values of generous faith, courageous hope, and life-giving love.

The Rectory is a spacious 1970s 4-bedroom house in Hasland, adjacent to the church, with a large garden and garage.

Please download the application form, profile and additional information here: Vacancies - Diocese of Derby

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Closing date for applications: Noon on Thursday 11th December 2025

Interview date: Monday 12th January 2026

