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| **APPLICATION FORM** |
| Application for the post of |  |
| **SECTION 1** |
| Surname |  |
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| Christian names |  |
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| Address |  |
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| Home telephone number |  |
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| Mobile number |  |
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| Ordained deacon in the Diocese of |  | In (year) |  |
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| Ordained priest in the Diocese of |  | In (year) |  |

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| **SECTION 2 – PRESENT APPOINTMENT** |
| What is your present appointment? Please give the date you started and a brief outline of the work. |
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| **SECTION 3 – PRE-ORDINATION** |
| Please give details, with dates, **most recent first** |
| **a) Further or higher education (including theological college or course).** Please give qualification obtained with class if degree. |
| From | To | College, course etc |
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| **b) Other professional/practical qualifications obtained** (eg teaching, social work, further study). |
| From | To  | Qualification/ experience |
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| **c) Career before ordination** – please give a brief indication, with dates, of the nature of the work and responsibilities. |
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| **SECTION 4 – MINISTRY SINCE ORDINATION** |
| **a) Posts held since ordination** (full and part-timenot including present appointment).  |
| Please list these, with separate entries for posts held concurrently (eg chaplaincies etc). Please indicate major features of charge/parish (eg type of area, team ministry, ecumenical). |
| From | To | Post and description |
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| **b) Responsibilities in the wider Church** |
| Please indicate tasks undertaken for the wider Church, eg synodical responsibilities at any level, diocesan committees and working parties served on, ecumenical involvement, or work for a Church voluntary organisation, and how you contributed to progressing their agendas.  |
| From | To | Description |
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| **c) Continuing ministerial education and development** |
| Please list training courses attended and development activities undertaken in the last 5 years. Include courses and activities both inside and outside the Church. |
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| **d) Any publications** |
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| **e) Theological and ecclesiological** |
| What theological traditions have shaped your ministry and with which do you feel most at ease today? |
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| **SECTION 5 – COMMUNITY AND OTHER INTERESTS** |
| **a) Responsibilities in the community** |
| Please indicate your responsibilities in the community, eg school governor, political or community service. What did you accomplish? |
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| **b) Other areas of interest** |
| Please indicate your involvement in special areas of concern, eg particular issues in contemporary life, international matters, academic or artistic interests. How have these contributed to your ministry? |
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| **c) Other interests** |
| Please indicate other recreational interests.  |
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| **SECTION 6 – PERSONAL STATEMENT**Please state your reasons for applying for this post. What you write and how you write it will help those making the appointment build up a picture of you. Drawing on gifts, skills, knowledge and experience from your previous career, both before and after ordination, responsibilities held and relevant interests, describe yourself and your spiritual journey and how you might approach this post. You will want to give an indication of your experience in enabling the spiritual development of others; in the ministry of teaching and theological education; in pastoral ministry; in mission and the outreach ministry of the Church; in the institutional life of the Church; in management and an indication of your style of leadership. You will also want to set out your thoughts about how you will take forward some of the themes and aspirations set out in the Church Profile and about how this post might fit with your own journey of progression in, and development of, ministry. |
| **PERSONAL STATEMENT** |
| **PERSONAL STATEMENT – CONTINUED** |
| **SECTION 7 – OTHER INFORMATION**Is there any other information which you consider we should be aware of in connection with your application? |

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| **SECTION 8**  |
| **References:**Please give names, occupations and addresses (including e-mail if possible) of two persons to whom reference can be made. At least one should be clerical (not the bishop as his/her reference is sought as a matter of course) and one from a senior lay person – for example a current churchwarden or head teacher of the local school. Referees should have a detailed up-to-date knowledge of your work. Please obtain their permission. If you are a team vicar, priest-in-charge of a daughter church or assistant curate, you should give your team rector's or incumbent's name as a reference. |
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| **Health:** |
| Please specify any special access requirements you may have in order to attend interview eg wheelchair access. |
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| Do you have any health-related condition that would affect your ability to carry out functions that are intrinsic to the post?  |
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| Signature |  |
| Closing date for applications | 20th September 2024 |
| Please return to: | mail@stdevenicks.org St Devenick’s Church OfficeBaillieswells RoadBieldsideAberdeenAB15 9AP Scottish Charity No. SC000386 |

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