



Holy Trinity
Combe Down



St Andrew's
Community Church



St James the Great
South Stoke



St Michael's
Monkton Combe

Senior Associate Minister for Growth: Holy Trinity Combe Down

Job Description

Background

This exciting role represents a unique opportunity to exercise a significant ministry in a collaborative and mutually supportive team.

This is a senior ministry role for an ordained Anglican with relevant experience who is willing to spend several years in post. You will also be able to lead other staff effectively.

Main duties & responsibilities:

Mission to reach the community outside the church.

- Enabling the church to reach out.
- Look to reach people that are currently unchurched, or de-churched.
- Bridge building with people outside the church.
- Enable mission work to flourish by drawing alongside those new in the area.

Developing partnerships with the congregations

- Educating congregations and informing the PCC about mission and evangelism.
- Encouraging local congregations to support missional initiatives. This role will take a lead on evangelism - encouraging and equipping the community of Holy Trinity to be reaching out.

Enabling the benefice churches

- You will work collegially with the Vicar in the mission and ministry of the benefice.
- The Associate Minister will assist in the priestly ministry in the life of the parish, including preaching, leadership of services and occasional offices and pastoral care, as part of the team of clergy and lay ministers.

Enabling the wider church

- Look to stir the churches in Bath and beyond toward evangelism with the goal of enabling other churches and individuals.
- Make a significant difference in a faith filled, 'can do' environment where creativity and risk taking are encouraged.
- You will grow, develop and lead suitable teams in developing discipleship in the church.
- The role will be working across all ages and will include the training and formation of those exploring ordination and ordinands on placement with us.

- You will attend weekly staff meetings as part of our supportive staff team

Aims of the post:

1. To equip and encourage for mission the current groups of people who are involved in our church families.
2. Look to establish new worshipping communities to grow the church.
3. Act as an experienced missional advocate and connector across the parishes communicating what is happening to the worshipping community.

Housing and Stipend

This is a full-time Diocesan stipendiary post. A four-bedroom house will be provided in a lovely spot on the Mulberry Park development.