

# Wonderfully made

Clergy conference

7 – 9 June 2022



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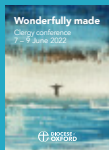
**Together**, we are the Church, called and sent by God as disciples of Jesus Christ and filled with the Holy Spirit. We are a living, growing network of more than a thousand congregations, chaplaincies and schools.

**Together**, we are called to be more Christ-like, to be the Church of the Beatitudes: contemplative, compassionate and courageous for the sake of God's world.

**Together**, we work with God and with others for the common good in every place in one of the great crossroads of the world.

**Together**, we are called to proclaim the Christian faith afresh in this generation with joy and hope and love.

**Together**, we are called to dream dreams and see visions of what could be, and see those visions come to birth.



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# Introduction

This booklet contains everything you need to know about our time together. A PDF and plain text version of the programme and worship materials can be found online.

If you're posting on social media from the conference please @ mention **oxforddiocese** and use the hashtag **#WonderfullyMade**

Keynotes and some other sessions will be livestreamed and available at **[youtube.com/oxforddiocese](https://www.youtube.com/oxforddiocese)**

## Checking in and finding your way around

Once you've registered, take a moment to familiarise yourself with the layout of the site. There's a site map in your conference folder. You can access your room from 2pm onwards using the key card given to you at registration. Check out is by 9.30am on Thursday.

## Sign up!

Once you're settled in, be sure to sign up for the events and workshops you'd like to attend during the next three days. Sign-up sheets can be found outside the Derbyshire Hall.

Please note some workshops and reflection spaces have limited space available. Sign up promptly to avoid disappointment.

## Opening Eucharist followed by lunch

Our opening Eucharist takes place at 11am in the Derbyshire Hall. Lunch is provided in the dining rooms from 12:30pm.

## Bookstall

We're pleased to welcome St Andrew's Bookshop to the conference. Be sure to visit them in the Lounge from 12:30pm on Tuesday through to 10:45am on Thursday.

## Staying offsite?

Some people have rooms at the nearby Travelodge (SatNav DE55 1HJ). See the joining instructions sent to you by email.

## Help and support

Chaplains are available throughout the conference. In the event of a non-medical emergency, call 0787 655 3882 or speak to a member of the conference planning team (red lanyards).

Father of mercies,  
you set the treasure of the gospel  
in jars of clay.

Guide and strengthen us through  
trials and affliction.

Restore our hope in the ministry  
to which you call us,

grant us a fresh vision of your  
new creation and

fill us with the grace of  
your Holy Spirit;

through Jesus Christ,  
your Son, our Lord,

who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. Amen.



# Welcome

## **Dear friends,**

The devastating consequences of the war in Ukraine, the lasting effects of the pandemic, and now the fastest rise in the cost of living for a generation have made for a tumultuous 28 months. I am in awe and deep appreciation for what you have achieved through these last two years. Thank you. You have done magnificently.

During my recent deanery visits I have seen signs of hope and energy returning, but challenges remain. This is a season of lament and healing, for seeking spiritual and vocational renewal through fresh encounters with the living God. A time to resist a return to frenetic activity and to pause and refocus on God's heart for the world and seek the empowering work of the Spirit.

Our guiding passage for this conference has been Ps139, which invites us all to consider what it means to be human in these times: we are fearfully and wonderfully made, known and loved by a God who is faithful and for whom 'even the dark is not dark to you'.

There are clergy present from every deanery of the diocese - it is good to have you here. I pray that this conference provides a time of spiritual nourishment for all, a return to the centre of your calling, and the opportunity to reconnect with colleagues and with God. Nothing is compulsory for our time together, so navigate the conference programme in the way that best nourishes you.

I am deeply grateful to the conference planning group, our conference contributors and keynote speakers. We offer this gift of time and space to God as we seek his blessing and refreshment, his grace and healing.

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# Engaging with God's word

*9:15am each day, Derbyshire Hall*

2 Corinthians is Paul's most personal letter to the Church. Paul wrestles with the challenges of ministry and sets the pattern for the Church in every generation, rooted in the pattern and in the person of Christ.

In the opening Eucharist and in two sessions of Engaging with God's word we will explore three key passages from this beautiful letter. Our hope is that Paul's words will resource each of us as we re-imagine and re-centre our ministries in the present moment.

The passages and themes will be:

**2 Corinthians 1.1-14: The God of all Comfort**


**2 Corinthians 4.1-18: Treasure in clay jars**

**2 Corinthians 5.13-6.12: A new creation**

The second and third readings will be followed by a time of reflection in small groups, and questions are offered to guide your conversation.

Space for your own notes, along with questions for your small group to discuss, can be found on pages 27 to 31.



The background of the image is a close-up photograph of a tree trunk. The bark is heavily textured, showing vertical ridges and grooves. The color palette is dominated by various shades of blue, from light sky blue to deep, dark navy blue, interspersed with patches of brown and tan. The lighting appears to come from the side, creating highlights and shadows that emphasize the rough, uneven surface of the wood.

# **Tuesday** Lament and healing

# Tuesday – Lament and healing

10:00	Registration	Reception area
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Opening Eucharist</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
12:30	Lunch	Dining rooms
13:15	Bookstall opens	
<b>14:30</b>	<b>Keynote: Lord Boateng</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
15:30	Tea and coffee	Main house
16:15	Workshops and spaces for exploration	<i>see pages 10 to 14</i>
18:00	Evening prayer in small groups	<i>see your conference folder</i>
18:30	Free wine reception. Pay bar open.	Bar area, main house
<b>19:00</b>	<b>Evening meal</b>	<b>Dining rooms</b>
20:00	Sound portraits with Epiphany Music Bookstall open	Chapel (booking required) <i>See page 14</i> Lounge
21:30	Night prayer	Chapel

Activities in **bold** indicate times when we are all together.

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Communion is in both kinds by intinction. Gluten-free wafers are available and will be consecrated on a separate paten.

## Chaplaincy

The chaplains at our conference are +David Jennings and Sr Elizabeth Jane. They are available for prayer, counsel and accompaniment or to hear confessions (if asked). They are available either by approaching one of them wherever they happen to be, or meeting by arrangement in one of the designated chaplain's rooms (Quiet Room 1, which is between rooms 334-336, and Quiet Room 2, which is between rooms 356-357). The Chapel is also available for most of our conference as a quiet prayer space, as is our reflective Prayer Space in Butterley 2.



## OPENING EUCCHARIST

*Derbyshire Hall, 1100hrs*

Just as God shares in our sufferings, so he also shares in our consolation. This service invites us all to come together and engage with the reality of our ministry – to share in our lament and healing as we walk this journey together.

President: Bishop Olivia  
Preacher: Bishop Steven



Photo: Roger Harris



## KEYNOTE

### **Peace, justice, and the integrity of creation**

*Derbyshire Hall, 1430hrs*

The Rt Hon Paul Boateng became the UK's first Black Cabinet Minister in 2002, and now sits in the House of Lords. He is an active lay preacher in the Methodist Church and served as vice-moderator of the WCC's programme to combat racism. Paul will reflect on contemporary issues and the challenges we face in pursuit of kingdom goals.

# Workshops and exploration

## Spaces for exploration

Happening on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, be sure to sign up for one of the spaces for exploration. These include workshops, guided conversations, creative arts and prayer and spirituality reflection spaces. They offer a range of ways to engage creatively, deepen engagement or provide space for active reflection. Sign-up sheets can be found in the foyer area of the Derbyshire Hall, our main meeting space. Please note that some workshops and reflection spaces have limited space available. Sign up promptly to avoid disappointment.

## Psalms for Plaint, Protesting, Processing

### *Derbyshire 2*

Explore the Psalms as tools for articulating grief and struggle, public and private, to God and to one another. Fresh translations provide a way to engage and study texts, acknowledging the feelings and thoughts of those who composed them and those who read, recite or pray them today. Megan Daffern teaches the Hebrew Bible in Cambridge.

## Leadership: My grace is sufficient

### *Tissington Room, Lakeside*

The only thing which can truly help us in an increasingly challenging landscape is a fresh hearing of the words of Jesus. In the first of two sessions, Ian Parkinson invites you to engage anew with the heart of our calling and how we understand our role as leaders. Ian works with the Diocese of Sheffield helping clergy develop the ministry of all God's people and spent 30 years in parish ministry.




Twitter: @Ian\_Parkinson\_

## Building healthy relationships

### *Derbyshire 3 – maximum 30 participants*

3D Coaching's Su Blanch provides a space for clergy to consider approaches to building healthy relationships with key leaders in their own context, minimising possibilities for relationship breakdown. Su works with clergy across the Church of England, coaching on relationships and issues in parish contexts.

 [3dcoaching.com](https://3dcoaching.com)

## Lament, laughter and healing?

### *Buxton Room, Lakeside – maximum 20 participants*

There's a time for laughter and a time for tears - and sometimes both at once. Explore the role of laughter in darker times and delve into laughter as a participation in God and a lens to encounter anew sections of scripture. Led by Ian Macdonald, diocesan Discipleship Enabler, and the Revd Dr Andrea Russell, Director of Formation for Ministry.

 [about.me/ian\\_macdonald](https://about.me/ian_macdonald)

## Creative repair

### *Derbyshire 5 – maximum 20 participants*

How do you replenish the energy used up in everyday ministerial life? Psychotherapist and Anglican priest Anne Holmes looks at how we can resource ourselves through the creative arts and other outlets. Featuring a short example of creative repair through music and a variety of art works.

## Are we nearly there yet?

### *Derbyshire 7 – maximum 20 participants*

A chance to reflect on life and ministry after two years of pandemic, considering what to grieve, what to renew and what to nurture. Joanna Collicutt has a background in clinical psychology and was a theological educator in psychology of religion and spirituality. Paul Cowan is chaplain to Bishop Steven and chaired the Diocesan Emergency Planning Group throughout the pandemic.

 [oxford.anglican.org/emerging-from-coronavirus](https://oxford.anglican.org/emerging-from-coronavirus)

## Healing – Perspectives from our link dioceses


### *Derbyshire Hall*

An online conversation with Bishop Olivia and bishops from our link dioceses, followed by small group discussions with visiting clergy from our link dioceses. The Bishop of Växjö, Sweden, is Fredrik Modéus. Bishop Brian Marajh was enthroned as Bishop of Kimberley & Kuruman, South Africa, in 2021. The Diocese of Nandyal, south India, is led by Bishop Pushpalalitha Eggoni.

## Take heart

### *Butterley 1 - maximum 20 participants*

An art and prayer workshop combining practical artwork, images, music, word and silence. No artistic experience needed! It's not about learning to draw but discovering how to use art as a tool to listen and pray. Carol Marples is an artist, teacher, creative liturgist and development worker for the Soul Marks Trust. All materials provided.

 [soulmarks.co.uk](https://soulmarks.co.uk)

## Lectio East

### *Derwent Room, Lakeside*

Express hope and lament through Lectio Visceralis: a combination of Ignatian imaginative prayer and Theatre of the Oppressed methods of improvised movement and critical reflection. John Falcone is artistic director of Lectio East.

## Gospel music and conscious lyrics

### *Writing Room, main house – maximum 25 participants*

The Revd Polly Falconer leads an opportunity to explore gospel music and its origins, delving into “conscious lyrics” and how both can be effectively used in worship, as blessings and for healing and lament. Polly is a second-year curate in the diocese and the diocesan UKME Development Enabler. She is also a Calypsonian singer-songwriter.

## Poetry as meaning/less

### *Reading Room, main house*

Poetry is speech at the limits of meaning, dancing the borders of talking and silence. Gary Collins invites you to explore what theology and faith could gain from recognising their poetic instincts, with time to form your own poetic response to lament and hope. Formerly an artist, Gary became ordained to explore suffering and hope in the context of community.

## Reflective prayer space

### *Butterley 2*

Reflective activities and time to contemplate and pray into themes, issues and challenges raised during the conference. BeSpace supports local churches to run prayer and reflection spaces in schools and other areas of the community. Their space will be available to all throughout the conference.

 [bespace.be](https://bespace.be)

## Godly Play – The Exile and Return

### *Derbyshire 8 – maximum 20 participants*

Encounter the people of God as they journey through the desert wondering if God will be in the new place, and if they’ll ever return to what they knew before. A full Godly Play session led by diocesan Discipleship Enabler Yvonne Morris.


 [godlyplay.uk](https://godlyplay.uk)



## Epiphany: The Space

*Chapel – maximum 50 participants*

Reflective music in an anxious world. A unique production, performed 'in the round' with musicians and audience scattered throughout the space. With a mixture of improvised, classical and Celtic music, this is a relaxing opportunity for personal reflection and rest. Epiphany is an innovative group of professional musicians who love improvisation and creativity. Includes Tamara Jackson as artist providing visual impressions of the session.

 [epiphanymusic.org.uk](http://epiphanymusic.org.uk)

## Pilgrim journey

*Meet at main reception – maximum 20 participants*

'Time out' for clergy, offering prayer and reflections on the themes of the conference through a short walk in the local area. There will also be an opportunity to discuss the Pilgrim Paths project and some of its benefits and practicalities. Sally Welch is the diocesan Spirituality Adviser and the author of a number of books on pilgrimage.

 [christian-pilgrimage.org.uk](http://christian-pilgrimage.org.uk)

## Bookstall

*Lounge, main house*

St Andrew's Bookshop provides a range of publications written or suggested by our keynote speakers and workshop leaders. Get your hands on some books to help you go deeper with the week's themes.

## Epiphany sound portraits

At other times through our conference Epiphany and Tamara will be offering individual or small group improvised 'Sound Portraits' which last 15 minutes. Many were deeply moved by these experiences in 2018, so these are not to be missed! **Time slots must be booked in advance.**



**Wednesday**  
Returning to  
the centre of  
our calling

# Wednesday – Returning to the centre of our calling

08:00	Morning prayer	Derbyshire Hall
08:30	Breakfast	Dining rooms
<b>09:15</b>	<b>Engaging with God’s word</b> <i>leading into small group discussions</i>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b> <i>See your conference pack for small group locations</i>
10:30	Morning break Bookstall Flourishing Fair open	Main house
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Keynote: the Rt Revd Dr Graham Tomlin</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
13:00	Lunch	Dining rooms
Free time	Epiphany sound portraits - 5 x 15mins sessions	Chapel <i>See page 14</i>
	Walks available	Reception
	Bookstall and Flourishing space	Main house
15:00	Afternoon break	Main house
<b>15:30</b>	<b>Keynote: Dr Isabelle Hamley</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
16:30	<i>Seminars and workshops</i>	<i>See pages 19-22</i>
18:00	Evening prayer	Various
18:30	Bar opens	
<b>19:00</b>	<b>Evening meal</b>	<b>Dining rooms</b>
20:00	Evening entertainment	Old Conference Hall
	Bookstall open	Lounge
22:00	Night prayer	Chapel

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## KEYNOTE

### **The heart of our calling**

*Derbyshire Hall, 1100hrs*

What is the purpose of the Church and what God has called us to? The Rt Revd Dr Graham Tomlin invites us to re-orient ourselves to the heart of our calling and re-focus on our purpose in ordained ministry. Graham is Bishop of Kensington and President of St Mellitus College, previously working as Vice Principal of Wycliffe Hall, Oxford.

## EUCHARIST

*Derbyshire Hall, 1200hrs*

The Revd Canon Felicity Scroggie preaches for our second Eucharist together, with Bishop Alan presiding. Felicity is the Bishop's Advisor in Women's Ministry and team rector for Kidlington with Hampton Poyle.

President: Bishop Alan  
Preacher: The Revd Canon Felicity Scroggie







## KEYNOTE

### **Mission and ministry in a post-Covid world**

*Derbyshire Hall, 1530hrs*

Dr Isabelle Hamley, secretary for Theology and Ecumenical Relations and Theological Adviser to the House of Bishops, kickstarts the second theme of the day with her keynote speech. How can we find our place in society as we explore mission and ministry in a post-Covid world?

### **Refreshments**

The bar offers a wide range of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks as well as snacks. Card payment only. Fairtrade tea, coffee and other hot drinks are available free of charge from the Lounge throughout the conference.

### **Rest and play**

You have free use of an indoor gym equipped with running, cycling, and rowing machines and weights. The sports hall is also available for football, badminton, and basketball. Croquet equipment is by the main house lawn.

*Your conference folder includes a map of all the facilities available*



# Workshops and exploration

## Daily workshops

<b>Ian Parkinson: Leadership</b> <i>See page 10</i>	<b>Spaces for exploration</b> <i>See page 10</i>	<b>Take heart art workshop</b> <i>See page 12</i>
<b>BeSpace prayer stations</b> <i>See page 13</i>	<b>Epiphany: Hope for the future</b> <i>See page 14</i>	<b>Lectio East</b> <i>See page 12</i>

## Flourishing in ministry

### *Writing and Reading rooms, main house*

Wellbeing workshops to help you flourish in ministry. Reflect on the healing potential of faith with the Revd Dr Gillian Straine, CEO of the Guild of Health and St Raphael, or chat to Health Assured and find out how they can provide you with both proactive and preventative support.

## Divinum aedificim: Divine building

### *Derbyshire 3 – maximum 20 participants*

A playful session using the LEGO® SERIOUS PLAY® method. Whether you've been serving for years or were recently ordained, contemplate and build what you've learned and what might be next for you. Ben Mizen works alongside leaders and organisations using creative methods to enrich and explore team dynamics, strategy development and leadership.

 [ideasalchemy.net](https://ideasalchemy.net)

## Vocation and ministry through the lens of disability

### *Derbyshire 1*

Come on a brief journey of disability through history. How do we exercise ministry and vocation through disability (not despite disability)? If accommodations make Church better for disabled people, does that make it better for everyone? Katie Tupling is an Anglican priest, diocesan Disability Advisor and author.

 [oxford.anglican.org/disability-and-church](https://oxford.anglican.org/disability-and-church)

## People of promise

### *Derbyshire 2*

Bringing our own experiences and contexts into conversation, discover how the covenants made in the ordination service might challenge us as we live out our priestly ministry. Andrea Russell is Director of Formation for Ministry and Quentin Chandler is Head of Vocations and Diocesan Director of Ordinands.

## National trauma past and present

### *Amber Lounge, Lakeside*

Explore the Church of England's response to major crises, from World War I and the Flu Pandemic to coronavirus. There will be space to reflect on ministry in the pandemic and the Church's role in reconstruction. Mark Chapman is Professor of the History of Modern Theology at the University of Oxford and an associate priest.

 [rcc.ac.uk/about-us/our-staff/canon-prof-mark-chapman](https://rcc.ac.uk/about-us/our-staff/canon-prof-mark-chapman)

## Playful ministry

### *Buxton Room, Lakeside – maximum 25 participants*

Several newspapers ran articles during 2021 on the collective experienced of "languishing". The importance of play might provide us with a starting point for rebuilding. Explore how play can lead us into the deeper self, and how play can be equipping and empowering for ministry. Led by Ian Macdonald.

## Celebrating local ministry

### *Old Conference Hall*

Celebrate local mission and explore the amazing impact of our parishes in their communities. A taster workshop from Citizens UK on offer to all Deanery Synods to energise leaders in social action. Citizens UK are strategic partners with the diocese and aim to make change through strengthening local organisations.

 [citizensuk.org/chapters/thames-valley](https://citizensuk.org/chapters/thames-valley)

## We are here now!

### *Derbyshire 7 – maximum 20 participants*


As we emerge from the disruption of the pandemic, how are we called to be 'more Christ-like for the sake of God's world?' How has our missional context changed, and how might we discern that? Director of Mission & Ministry Andrew Anderson-Gear explores key tools to help you in the discernment process.

 [oxford.anglican.org/parish-planning-tool](https://oxford.anglican.org/parish-planning-tool)

## Experience a Greenhouse

### *Derbyshire 5 – maximum 25 participants*

In a garden, a greenhouse incubates new shoots - providing a place of nurturing until the seedlings are strong enough to go out into the garden. New Congregations Greenhouses act in the same way. Join an interactive mini Greenhouse, led by Sarah Flashman and Will Donaldson from the New Congregations team.

 [oxford.anglican.org/greenhouses](https://oxford.anglican.org/greenhouses)

## Godly Play - Deep Talk

### *Derbyshire 8*

Yvonne Morris invites you to dwell deeply in the Godly Play Creation Story as we consider the gift of each day and wonder about our recovery and reconnecting with children, young people and families, as we emerge from the pandemic.

 [oxford.anglican.org/children](https://oxford.anglican.org/children)

## Continuing the conversation

### *Derbyshire Hall*

Bishop Graham and Dr Isabelle Hamley invite you to join them to further discuss each of their keynote addresses. Chaired by Bishop Steven.

## Ministry Accompaniers taster

### *Reception Lounge – sign up in advance for your 20-minute slot*

Most high-achieving people rely on others to support their thinking. Ministry Accompaniers are committed to encouraging your professional development. Talk through an issue currently on your mind in a taster session with Mike Smith, Gill Lovell or Charles Chadwick. Mike has over 25 years' ordained ministry experience, and Gill and Charles are Parish Development Advisors for the diocese.

 [oxford.anglican.org/ministry-accompaniment](https://oxford.anglican.org/ministry-accompaniment)

IAN MACDONALD ENTERTAINMENT PROUDLY PRESENTS



## Folk On

*Old Conference Hall, 2000hrs*

Like a brand new pair of slippers, there's something exciting yet entirely familiar about Folk On's music and stories. Their sound is honest and pure, with tight rural harmonies and melodies as sweet as village fete jam. Get ready to laugh, cry (perhaps?) and join in with a good old-fashioned village sing-along.

## Interval

*Bar area, 2100hrs*

Our friends at Swanwick have laid on extra bar staff for the interval, so recharge your glasses and get your laughing chops ready for round two!

## Barbara Nice

*Old Conference Hall, 2130hrs*

BGT semi-finalist Barbara Nice gave up the domestic bliss of Tupperware and Poundstretcher shops to perform playful, life-affirming shows for all. With the affectionate attitude of a playgroup leader at an Iggy Pop concert, Barbara Nice is guaranteed to get you laughing.







**Thursday**  
Looking to  
the future

# Thursday – Looking to the future

08:00	Morning prayer	Derbyshire Hall
08:30	Breakfast	Dining rooms
<b>09:15</b>	<b>Engaging with God’s word</b> <i>leading into small group discussions</i>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b> <i>See your conference pack for small group locations</i>
10:15	Morning break	Main house
	Bookstall open	Lounge
<b>10:45</b>	<b>Individual reflection space</b> <i>(see page 30)</i>	
11:15	Sharing the journey – Deanery group reflections	<i>See conference pack</i>
12:30	Lunch	Dining rooms
<b>13:30</b>	<b>Closing Eucharist</b>	<b>Derbyshire Hall</b>
15:00	Depart	

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## EUCCHARIST

We lift to God all that we have learned and relearned over the past few days. We go out empowered by his Spirit and emboldened by the knowledge we are all wonderfully made.

President: Bishop Steven  
Preacher: Bishop Gavin



# Thank you



It has been my privilege to lead the planning of this clergy conference, as I did in 2018. Not surprisingly, this has been a very different and far more difficult journey to navigate. Each month of planning, the mood and needs of clergy have changed as we've all experienced the emotional, physical and spiritual roller coaster which has been Covid.

The shape of this conference emerged from dwelling in Psalm 139. Despite a constantly changing environment, a varied group of parish clergy and Church House staff prayerfully and carefully framed the conference's flow and focus, which has served the planning process and, we trust, the conference well.

We sought to build on all that clergy said was good about the 2018 conference – part festival, part retreat with space for playfulness, creativity and refreshment. Our aim was for a varied but unpressured programme with the space to reconnect and acknowledge the reality of ministry over the past two and half years. Do let us know how we did when the post-conference survey arrives.

We hope and pray that this conference has been a time of blessing, a fresh realisation that you are 'wonderfully made' and that you've experienced a sense of renewal of your calling from God. Whatever your calling and context, we thank God for you and the precious gifts, skills and passions you have been given.

## **Andrew Anderson-Gear**

Director of Mission & Ministry

On behalf of the 2022 Clergy Conference Planning Group









## What do I need to take away?

What are the key things I have heard?

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What have I noticed that I need to pay attention to?

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What actions do I need to take or explore going forward, for myself and my ministry, and for the parish or context in which I minister?

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What support would be helpful to take these actions forward?

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## In your archdeaconry group at 11:15

What are the themes emerging that some of us share?

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How might we support each other in these areas?

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What's the one thing I would like someone else to pray for as a result of this conference?

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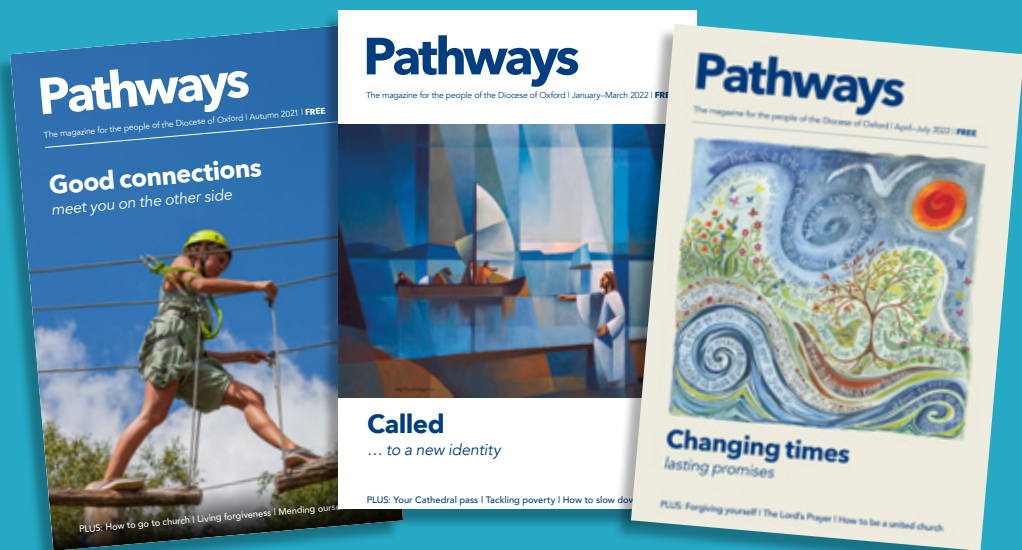
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*You will be given a prayer card to exchange with someone else in your group*

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