Person Specification St Matthew with St Mary Crumpsall and St John Moston Incumbent

	Essential requirements	Desirable requirements
Spirituality and Tradition	 Deeply prayerful, loving, inclusive and collaborative. Nourished by creative, all-inclusive worship. Understanding of a spirituality that supports older and younger expressions of faith. Committed to the diocesan vision for the church to be a transforming presence at the heart of every community. 	 Attention to the spiritual needs of the wider community, including residential homes and food banks ministry.
Experience and Understanding	 Experience and understanding of the distinctiveness of each parish. To support collaborative ministry across the benefice. Able to demonstrate experience in the areas of growing, nurturing and serving, as set out in our Transformation Programme. 	 Passion for working creatively within our schools and reaching out to families is key for us in the next chapter of our mission and ministry.
Skills and Competencies	 Able to discern, encourage, and enable space for the gifts of everyone, across ethnicity, age, disability and especially our younger people. A passionate and engaging preacher and leader of worship. A priest who is loving and pastoral of everyone. Able to build on the existing pastoral ministry. 	
General Attributes	 Living a life which is an open advertisement for the love of God. Playing a full part in the life of the Deanery and in developing the wider Mission Community A priest who can support us into the long-term future in financial, spiritual and numerical growth; and our vision for the next generation. Someone who will be with us for the exciting journey ahead in living out the Gospel of Jesus Christ. 	 A team player willing to work with the strengths and distinctiveness of the two parishes.