

Diocese of Manchester

'a worshipping, growing and transformative Christian presence at the heart of every community'

Role description signed off by: The Archdeacon of Manchester

Date: 27 February 2025

To be reviewed 6 months after commencement of the appointment, and after three years

1. Details of Post

Role Title: Incumbent
Name of benefice(s): St Matthew with St Mary and St John

Deanery: Manchester North and East
Archdeaconry: Manchester

Initial point of contact on terms of service: The Archdeacon of Manchester

2. Role Purpose

General

- i. To exercise the cure of souls shared with the bishop in this parish in collaboration with your colleagues
- ii. To have regard to the calling and responsibilities of the clergy as described in the Canons, the Ordinal, the Code of Professional Conduct for the Clergy, and other relevant legislation.
- iii. To work to advance the Kingdom of God through servant leadership, collaboration and example, and with particular regard to the current diocesan mission vision and mission goals
 - a) **Growing** - growing new disciples in missionary church communities which are younger, more diverse, active and spiritually engaged
 - b) **Nurturing** - increasing vocations, nurturing new and existing disciples, increasing financial giving
 - c) **Serving** - present for all, speaking and acting prophetically for justice, supporting pastorally especially the vulnerable, deprived and excluded

- iv. To share in the wider work of the deanery and diocese as appropriate, for the building up of the whole Body of Christ

3. Key contacts

Generic

The Church Wardens
Area Dean
The Deanery Chapter, Synod and Mission and Pastoral Committee
The Staff at Church House

Supportive

The Area Dean and Lay Chair
The Archdeacon
The Suffragan Bishop