



Role description for the Messy Church Co-ordinator

“Messy Church is a form of church for children and adults that involves creativity, celebration and hospitality”

Role: To provide oversight for the Messy Church team; and with that team to provide an opportunity for friendship, fellowship, worship, a first encounter with God, spiritual nurture and growth, for those who are outside and inside the church; and with a particular focus on children and families.

Role Requirements:

To be: To be a person of prayer and worship, called by God and approved by All Saints church, who leads in a gracious, Christ-like manner; and who treats each member of the Messy Church community with respect and dignity, as a unique individual created in the image of God.

To supervise all of the following (by agreement with the incumbent):

- The leading of services which have been agreed by the Messy Church planning team, and approved by the Incumbent
- The support of worship via teaching, prayer, music and action
- The leading of activities/games related to the theme for the event
- The offering of hospitality via a meal
- The preparation for and clearing away after the event
- Appropriate training for team members and self (Core 1 Safeguarding for team members, Core 2 Safeguarding for self; and the Diocesan Worship Leaders course where appropriate)

To do:

- To organise and lead Messy Church planning meetings
- To pray for team members and Messy Church families on a regular basis
- To be a member of the Worship Vision Group; and to receive appropriate support and supervision from the incumbent via attendance at these meetings, at least 3 times per year
- To read, adhere to and promote all aspects of the All Saints Safeguarding Policy (www.cofeguildford.org.uk/safeguardingpolicy), including recruitment and training requirements; and all other Policies of All Saints Church

Reports to: The Incumbent

Agreement:

I agree to being the Messy Church Co-ordinator at All Saints Church, under the governance structures of the incumbent and the PCC.

Name (print and sign): _____

Incumbent: _____

Date: _____