

Role description for Children's Church and Young People's Church Helpers, ages up to 16, at All Saints

Role: To encourage the faith of children and young people within Children's Church and Young People's Church

Role Requirements:

To support the Children's and Young People's Church Leaders

To be:

To be called to work with children or young people. To be a person of prayer, compassion and understanding and a person who leads in a gracious, Christ-like manner; and who treats each member of the congregation with respect and dignity, as a unique individual created in the image of God.

To do:

- To attend services at All Saints regularly (at least twice a month), and have a good understanding of the worshipping life of the church
- To welcome the children and young people, and to encourage them to grow in their faith in God
- To let the children, or young people, know how important they are as individuals and as part of the church
- To be a role model for the children and young people as to what it means to live a Christian life
- To use the agreed teaching materials, as appropriate, to encourage their understanding of God
- To arrive early to help set up and to tidy away afterwards
- To attend Children's Church and Young People's Church meetings
- To be willing to share your own contact details with the Children's Church and Young People's Church team.

- I agree to comply with all aspects of the Church of England's Safeguarding Policy:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/sites/default/files/2019-05/PromotingSaferChurchWeb.pdf>), including recruitment and training requirements; and all other church policies.

- To refer to and adhere to the Church of England's Parish Safeguarding e-manual:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/safeguarding/safeguarding-e-manual>

Reports to: The Children's Church and Young People's Church Co-ordinator

Agreement:

I agree to being a Children's Church leader and/or Young People's Church Helper, up to age 16, at All Saints Church, under the governance structures of the Incumbent and the PCC.

Name (print and sign): _____

Incumbent _____

Date: _____