



## Job Description



# Diocesan Children's Mission Enabler

**Responsible to:** Director, Children & Youth

**Team Membership:** Gen2 Team

**Key Relationships:** Diocesan Mission & Development Team, Education Dept, vocations Team, Archdeacons, Rural/Area Deans, Cathedral,

**Purpose of Post:** to work as part of the Gen2 Team to promote, develop and enable intergenerational mission and ministry in the parishes of Peterborough Diocese, working collaboratively with churches, schools and households. To provide a lead on the development of mission and ministry with children.

**Area of work:** This role is one of two posts that support and enable parishes to work effectively with children and young people across the diocese. The role will include a lead responsibility for advising on children's ministry (0-11yrs) across the diocese and some shared responsibility for youth ministry. The postholder will have a lead responsibility in the Gen2 team for communication.

**Based at:** The team works from Bouverie Court, Northampton but due to the Covid-19 pandemic we are working from home where possible. The postholder will be required to travel around the diocese and so being in the office is not always appropriate.

### Principal Responsibilities

1. To equip and enable parishes and deaneries to establish effective mission with children and families and, where needed, with young people,
2. To work for and within the aims of the Gen2 Project (SDF).
3. To encourage churches to adopt the ethos and values of the Growing Faith Adventure, bringing together work in church, school and household
4. To facilitate training opportunities, including the Children's Ministry Certificate course.
5. To encourage and equip deanery children & youth mission enablers, champions, paid and volunteer workers
6. To curate resources
7. To model innovative ministry through direct work with children and/or young people & families
8. To work as part of the Gen2 team and other diocese teams to provide consistent and effective support to parishes
9. To support & advise parishes on the employment of workers
10. To attend regular supervision, annual review and team meetings as agreed
11. To commit to continuing professional development
12. Undertake other duties as required and commensurate with the post.

## **Terms and Conditions**

This is a maximum 4-Year appointment to run alongside the Gen2 Project SDF funding. The project ends in August 2024.

Salary: £30,000 p.a.

Pension contribution: 10% non-contributory pension

Annual Leave: 22 days in first year, then 25 days; an additional 3 days between Christmas and New Year.