Building teams so that all might flourish and grow.

‘God has***called*** you by name’

***Called*** so all may flourish and grow



‘For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ……

Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it.’ 1 Corinthians 12.v12 and v27

There are many ways in which we are living and growing together as the body of Christ in this place. This booklet seeks to encourage us to consider how we can sustain and develop our mission and ministry here, seeking to make Jesus known, that all might flourish and grow.

*(Insert Name of Church)* wants to continue to grow and serve the wider community in new ways. We are taking stock of where we are and considering ways of encouraging others to become more involved.

Please look at the list opposite and tick anything that you feel drawn to or would like to know more about.

Someone will be in touch you to talk further.

And remember - every little helps. Things can be broken down into small parts to fit what you can offer in terms of time and commitment.

Ticking a box at this stage is just an expression of interest and doesn’t mean you are making a firm commitment.

## Transforming your life

**Pray** regularly

**Read** and reflect on the scriptures

**Participate** in the life of the local church

**Enjoy** God’s gifts with gratitude

## Transforming God’s world

**Give** generously to others

**Serve** and use your gifts

**Share** the good news of Jesus

**Challenge** injustice and care for God’s creation

**Name:**

**Tel:**

**Email:**

## **Pray**

## *(Adapt list as appropriate for your context)*

## I commit to partnering in prayer for (insert appropriate text for your context) [ ]

## I commit to joining in gathered prayer meetings [ ]

## I would like to be part of the team to lead intercessions [ ]

## I would like to be part of the prayer ministry team [ ]

## **Participating in the life and worship of the local church:**

## I am already in/would like to join a serving team for our worship gatherings at *(insert name of church/benefice)*

## *(Adapt list as appropriate for your*

## *context)*

## Welcome Team [ ]

## Hospitality/Refreshment [ ]

## Sound/Vison desk [ ]

## Children’s/Youth ministry [ ]

## Music [ ]

## Bible reading [ ]

## **Serving and using your gifts:**

## I would like to be involved in the wider mission and ministry at *(insert name of church/benefice)*

## *(Adapt list as appropriate for your*

## *context)*

## Collective worship in school[ ]

## School Foundation Governor [ ]

## Gardening & maintenance of the church and hall buildings [ ]

## Social and fundraising events, planning regular or one-off events’ [ ]

## Pastoral Team [ ]

## Publicity and communication including posters, website, social media…. [ ]

## Parent and Toddler Group [ ]

## Home groups [ ]

## Outreach ministry in our parish and beyond[ ]

## Other *(please describe here)* [ ]

**Challenging injustice and care for God’s creation:**

*(Adapt list as appropriate for your context)*

* I would like to be part of the Eco Church Team [ ]
* I would like to help with the food bank collections/deliveries [ ]
* I would like to be part of the Christian Aid week team [ ]
* Other *(please describe here)* [ ]

*\*Remember to tell people what to do with the form once completed.*