



St. Mary's Church: serving Barton, Barton Park and Sandhills.

Growing with God - Going with God.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WORKER

- 21 hours a week (flexibility with occasional evening meetings will be required).
- Salary: £10.02 to £16.02 per hour depending on qualifications and experience.
- 17 days annual leave pro-rata plus Bank Holidays.
- To promote and coordinate community partnerships between St. Mary's Church and St. Mary's Parish – the communities of Barton, Sandhills and Barton Park.

St. Mary's Church is situated in Barton, Oxford and serves a Parish which includes Barton, Sandhills and the new Barton Park development. Over the past 3 years St. Mary's Church has grown and we are now looking for a self-motivated individual with experience of working with church and community groups to join the staff team. The overall purpose of the role is to strengthen and support those activities and projects that have already been established by St. Mary's Church and to initiate new community groups and partnerships.

- Communication and people skills are essential.
- The Community Development Worker will work closely with St. Mary's Staff Team and PCC.
- The Community Development Worker post is subject to an enhanced disclosure from the DBS.
- The Community Development Worker post is initially for a 2 year period with the hope that further funding can be obtained to extend the appointment.
- **The Equality Act 2010: Genuine Occupational Requirement and General Exceptions for organisations relating to Religion or Belief and Sexual Orientation.**

For the purpose of the above legislation, it is considered to be a Genuine Occupational Requirement that the Community Development Worker share and endorse the understanding that St. Mary's Church has of Christian faith, commitment and lifestyle. Further clarification of this can be provided upon request.

For further information and an application pack, please contact: The Revd. Eric Bossward on 01865 604263 or email info@stmarysbarton.com.

Closing date for applications: Friday 10th January 2020.

Interview date: Monday 20th January 2020.