**Mission Action Plan SUMMARY**

*This form is designed to help smaller parishes to summarise their Mission Action Plan*. *It can be used in conjunction with the more detailed* ***Mission Action Plan RECORD*** *form.*

**Our Details**

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| Name of Parish | All Saints’, Cuddesdon |
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| Deanery | Aston and Cuddesdon |
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| If appropriate, the date that the previous MAP was adopted by the PCC | 17/4/16 |

**THIS MAP**

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| **MAP adopted by PCC** | 7/1/17 | MAP presented to APCM |  |
| MAP Summary sent to Bishop |  | MAP Review planned for |  |

**Our Looking**

*Identify three key things about your parish (and the wider context)   
and three key things about your church.*

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| **Three things we have seen about our parish and our wider context** |
| 1. Beautiful place in heart of Oxfordshire countryside |
| 1. Stable village population with transient college population which includes varying number of families |
| 1. Strong sense of village community and support for the church, its history and events |
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| **Three things we have seen about our church** |
| 1. Fabric in poor repair |
| 1. Numerous visitors with a comparatively wide variety of sustainable services and events |
| 1. Predominantly used by the college |
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**Our Discerning**

*Please summarise your Vision, Priorities and Goals.*

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| **Our Vision is** |
| *How we want to be described in five years’ time.* |
| To be an energetic and attractive Christian witness in our communities and encourage lay ministry  To serve our semi-rural communities  To have inspired worship and present the Gospel to all  To engage with faith in a relevant and intellectually stimulating way  To reach out to age-groups under-represented in our current congregations especially to the young  To be a welcoming church to the staff and students of Ripon College Cuddesdon |
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| **Our Priorities are** |
| *Our three key priorities for the next five years.* |
| 1. To promote prayer and explore life’s big questions |
| 1. Through addressing the poor state of fabric to develop the potential of the church space in order to share its heritage and be a welcoming community |
| 1. Outreach to families and young people and to review our charitable giving |
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***It might be helpful for each priority to reflect one of the themes of Living Faith: sustaining the sacred centre, making disciples, making a difference in the world, creating vibrant Christian communities and shaping confident collaborative leadership***

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| **Our 5 Goals [***Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Resourced, Timed***]** |
| 1. To continue providing special events and services within the church building which gathered everyone, regardless of faith, through its heritage and sanctity. Forthcoming opportunities include: the Celebration of the Restoration of All Saints’, future talks on the restoration aspects, charitable fundraising events and future opportunities. |
| 1. To find opportunities to advertise and invite people to regular Sunday services eg Easter card. 2. To connect the regular congregation with those who come to All Saints’ for occasional offices ie following up baptisms and weddings with cards, presence at funerals and the Service of Light. 3. To revisit the expectations of engagement and needs of the college students. |
| 1. To ensure that the worship event is welcoming and enables prayer ie the announcing of page numbers and does not feel rushed. |
| 1. To explore grant opportunities with SODC for a new server and to restore the bells. |
| 1. To specify charitable opportunities and events through the year at March PCC and publicize a calendar in parish newsletter and in the church. |
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