**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 | 7/1/17 |

**THIS MAP**

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| **MAP adopted by PCC** |  | MAP presented to APCM | April 18 |
| MAP Summary sent to Bishop |  | MAP Review planned for | Jan 19 |

**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. The church building is a missional space |
| 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  To be a more Christ-like church: contemplative, compassionate and courageous |
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| **Our Priorities are** |
| *Our three key priorities for the next five years.* |
| 1. Contemplative: to promote prayer and explore life’s big questions |
| 1. Compassionate: to develop the potential of the church space in order to share its heritage and be a welcoming community |
| 1. Courageous: outreach to families and young people and to review our charitable giving |
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***It might be helpful for each priority to reflects the themes of the diocesan initiative to be a more Christ-like church: contemplative, compassionate and courageous***

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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 gather everyone, regardless of faith, through its heritage and sanctity. Forthcoming opportunities include: the Celebration of the bells, Centenary of the End of WW1, talks in the Chancel ie Saints and Sinners Series and Lent Talks: At the Foot of the Cross. |
| 1. To identify outreach services for families ie Pet Service and Songs of Praise. 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. |
| 1. To ensure that the worship event is welcoming and enables prayer ie introducing times of silence before and during the service. |
| 1. To explore grant opportunities with SODC for a new servery. |
| 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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