



Associate Minister (Worship and Discipleship)

Thank you for your interest in this role and for requesting this information pack.

In addition to this introductory note the pack includes five documents:

- The role profile
- Our church profile
- The application form in two versions. If you would like to apply electronically then please complete the Word document version of the form and return that. Alternatively, if you wish to write your application by hand then please print and complete the pdf version of the form.
- A copy of the advert that we are placing in the press

A little background to the new role... In September last year our Senior Minister moved on leaving two other ministers: Astrid Vaswani our Community Minister and myself, Paul Vaswani our Youth, Children and Families minister (we're a married couple, in case the surname didn't give that away). As a church we embarked on a process of re-evaluating our staff team in the light of our vision statement and seeking God for the right shape of team for the future. The outcome of this process was the decision that we would not look for a new Senior Minister in the traditional sense, but that we would build a team of three ministers with complementary strengths and responsibilities. I have been asked to be the team leader but will retain my youth and children's responsibilities, Astrid will continue as Community Minister as well as taking on some pastoral responsibilities and the third minister we wish to add to the team will take the lead in worship and discipleship as well as a share of preaching and pastoral care. The role profile will tell you far more.

We will be praying for you as you consider whether this might be where God is calling you to. If you would like to discuss informally any aspect of the role or anything about the church then please don't hesitate to email or call me.

May you know God's blessing and clear guidance as you decide whether to apply.

God bless,

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