

The Charges of St Cuthbert's Cambuslang & St Mark's East Kilbride

United Diocese of Glasgow and Galloway in the Scottish Episcopal Church
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The Priest's Profile

The Scottish Episcopal churches of St Mark's, East Kilbride and St Cuthbert's, Cambuslang are looking for a person of God who can lead the congregations forward into a deeper understanding of their Christian faith and living. A priest who will look after their own personal life of faith to enable others to develop theirs.

Both churches are looking for a priest who would encourage the congregations in their spiritual discipleship and growth in their lives of prayer both corporately and individually.

The new priest should be a naturally collaborative leader who is able to draw on local strengths and encourage the develop in areas of weakness. The new priest should be a leader who works with others at all levels of the Charges' lives.

The priest should be a team player who thrives working with Vestries to bring about any new developments in all dimensions of the Churches' lives. As such the new priest needs to be committed to bringing into reality decisions made corporately, and exemplifying partnership leadership across both Charges and in the wider community.

The new priest should be well versed in the scriptures and understand how they are used and taught in an Anglican faith setting along with Church Tradition, and contemporary Reasoning, to help both Charges discern the call of God in the current generation. The new priest should be familiar – or be willing to learn about – the Canonical structures of the Scottish Episcopal Church as the framework for living the Anglican faith here in Scotland.

The priest will work across the two Charges and maintain a good balance in their workload and in their ministry in both Charges. We are aware that the share of time will vary with the seasons and demands of ministry at any particular time.

The new priest needs to have a broad experience of church style and also poses an actively involved ecumenical approach to developing relationships with other denominations and faiths.

The new priest needs a skill set and gifting that is committed to pastoral care and nurture, both individually and in developing wider pastoral care in the Charges in all age groups.

We would welcome a priest who is able to help in the further development of the usage of both church sites and amenities and help us see through, around and beyond any current constraints in developing and growing the Charges lives.

Good clear communication skills are needed both verbally and in written form, as well as in terms of IT and the internet and social media.

Not a lot! – Is that you?