



*ANNOUNCEMENT – SUNDAY 14 APRIL 2024*

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THE BENEFICE OF NASEBY (CLIPSTON, NASEBY, HASELBECH, KELMARSH,  
WELFORD, SIBBERTOFT, MARSTON TRUSSELL) ON SUNDAY 14 APRIL 2024*

### **APPOINTMENT OF RECTOR**

I am delighted to announce that following interview and with the agreement of Bishop Debbie and the Parish Representatives, The Revd Thomas Grant currently Team Curate in the Harborough Anglican Team, Leicester Diocese, has been offered and has accepted the invitation to become Rector in the Naseby Benefice.

The appointment of Tom is subject to the normal Church of England legal and administrative procedures. Tom will be Instituted by Bishop Debbie and Inducted by Archdeacon Richard on 29 July 2024 at 7pm at St Mary the Virgin, Welford.

Bishop Debbie and I are very grateful to all who helped with the preparation of the profile, all the arrangements for the interview and for the continuing and encouraging ministry of the parishes in the service of Christ during the vacancy.

Please pray for Tom as he completes his ministry in the Leicester Diocese and as he and the family prepare to move, live and work with the parishes in the Naseby Benefice.

**The Venerable Richard Ormston  
Archdeacon of Northampton**