



Children's and Schools' Pastor

Telford Minster is a church plant started in the centre of Telford under a Bishops' Mission Order. We are passionate about making Jesus known in our everyday lives and together as a church in Telford. We have a unique opportunity to reimagine what the church of the future might look like without the restrictions of traditional buildings and boundaries

Purpose of Role

To grow a sustainable children's and schools ministry through Telford Minster. Helping children and young people to come to Christ and develop a discipleship relationship with him.

We are looking for a Children's and Schools' Pastor who is:

- Passionate about children and them becoming followers of Jesus for themselves.
- Faithful in prayer and studying of the bible.
- Able to engage with adults and children in school and church environments.
- Able to bridge the gap between good schools' work and church engagement.
- Believes strongly that the local church has an active role to play in schools across Telford.
- Willing to take risks to enable children in schools and church to encounter Christ for themselves.
- Comfortable in a school environment, with large groups, or on a one to one basis.
- Passionate about raising up others to build a team to join them in delivering the work to schools and church.
- Point children, parents and school leaders to events and services in the local area and church.
- Could pioneer new ways of reaching out to children in an age appropriate way. As well as developing fresh expression of church.
- Willing to discern where God is leading and direct children's and schools' work in that direction.
- Works well in a team.

What we can offer

- Employ full time with a non-contributory pension.
- A supportive leadership and staff team.
- A scope to develop new and exciting ways of reaching children and schools.
- Regular supervision.
- Opportunity to take risks to follow God's call.

Essential requirements

- That this post holder is a committed Christian.
- An enhanced DBS check
- Some experience of working at the boundary of school and church-based work.

Closing date for applications midday 12 February 2020. Please send covering letter and CV to matt.beer@telfordminster.org.uk

Details of interview to follow post-shortlisting.