



Mission and Pastoral Measure 2011

The benefice of Stainton with Hilton and the benefice of Brookfield

in the diocese of York

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## PASTORAL SCHEME

This Scheme is made by the Church Commissioners this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 2021 in pursuance of the Mission and Pastoral Measure 2011 (“the 2011 Measure”), the Right Reverend Paul, Bishop of Whitby, duly appointed in that behalf pursuant to section 13 of the Dioceses, Pastoral and Mission Measure 2007, having consented thereto.

### **Dissolution of plurality**

1. The plurality which was established by an Order made by the Right Reverend and Right Honourable Sentamu, lately Archbishop of York, in pursuance of the 2011 Measure on 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2013 for the benefice of Stainton with Hilton and the benefice of Brookfield in the diocese of York shall be terminated.

### **Union of benefices and parishes**

2. (1) The benefice of Hemlington and the benefice of Stainton with Hilton in the diocese of York shall be united to create a new benefice which shall be named "The Benefice of Stainton with Hemlington and Hilton".

(2) The parish of Hemlington and the parish of Stainton shall also be united to create a new parish which shall be named "The Parish of Stainton with Hemlington".

(3) The area of the new benefice shall comprise the new parish of Stainton with Hemlington and the parish of Hilton, which parishes shall continue distinct.

### **Parish church**

3. The church of Saint Peter and Saint Paul, being the parish church of the parish of Stainton, shall be the parish church of the new parish.

### **Archdeaconry and deanery**

4. The new benefice and its constituent parishes shall belong to the archdeaconry of Cleveland and the deanery of Stokesley.

### **Designation of first incumbent**

5. If immediately before this Scheme comes into operation the Reverend Claire Dianne Todd holds an ecclesiastical office in either of the benefices referred to in clause 2(1) hereof she shall be the first incumbent of the new benefice.

### **Assistant curates: consequential provision**

6. If immediately before this Scheme comes into operation any person holds an office of assistant curate (however described) in either of the benefices and/or parishes referred to in clause 2 hereof he, she or they shall as consequence of the union of benefices and parishes effected by the Scheme hold such office or offices subject to the same terms of service in the new benefice of Stainton with Hemlington and Hilton.

### **Transfer of parsonage house**

7. The parsonage house of the benefice of Hemlington (known as Saint Timothy's Vicarage, 31, Coatham Close, Hemlington, Middlesbrough, TS8 9JW), together with the site and appurtenances thereof and the grounds usually occupied and enjoyed therewith, shall without any conveyance or other assurance be transferred to the York Diocesan Board of Finance Ltd for diocesan purposes.

**Patronage**

8. The patronage of the new benefice shall be vested in the Archbishop of York in his corporate capacity.

**Holding of benefices in plurality**

9. (1) The new benefice of Stainton with Hemlington and Hilton created pursuant to clause 2(1) hereof and the benefice Brookfield shall be held in plurality by one incumbent.

(2) If pursuant to clause 5 hereof the Reverend Claire Dianne Todd becomes the first incumbent of the new benefice of Stainton with Hemlington and Hilton she shall be the first incumbent of the benefices so held in plurality.

(3) The incumbent of the benefices so held in plurality shall reside in the parsonage house of the benefice of Brookfield (known as 89, Low Lane, Middlesbrough, TS5 8EF).

(4) Subject to clause 9(2) hereof, the right of presentation to the benefices so held in plurality (and for the duration only of the plurality) shall be exercised by the Archbishop of York in his corporate capacity.

**Coming into operation of this Scheme**

10. This Scheme shall come into operation upon the first day of the month following the date of it being made by the Church Commissioners

In witness of which this Scheme has been duly executed as a deed by the Church Commissioners.

SIGNED by the Right Reverend Paul,  
Bishop of Whitby.

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Executed as a Deed by the Church Commissioners for England  
acting by two authorised signatories:



Signature of Authorised Signatory



Signature of Authorised Signatory












# Pastoral Scheme - Stainton etc

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