



"Within the ministry entrusted by Christ to his Church, those in Lay Ministries work in collaboration with and under the direction of other ministers, particularly LLM (Reader)s and Clergy."

Lay Ministry 2020

Hello to you all from Anthony and Justin the new Bishop's Officers for Lay Ministry, we hope you are all well and safe.

This is the first opportunity we have had to be in contact with you and so firstly 'thank you' for all you do across the Diocese, your work is highly appreciated. We are committed to raising the profile of Lay Ministry, supporting you individually and collectively and encouraging many more people to seek their personal vocation and calling to God's work in the world.

Anthony is charged to look after the ministries such as Lay Worship Leader, Eucharistic Assistant and Pastoral Visitor while Justin looks after the Readers and Evangelists'. It's our intention to work together for your benefit and those who will follow your footsteps in the future.

To start with we would be really grateful if you complete this survey and also the data privacy form so that all of the Diocesan records are held properly. The survey will help us to find out who you are and what you do.

If you could aim to return by the 28th August that would be fantastic.

Getting to meet you at the moment is obviously problematic. At the moment we are going to see how the change to a new normal takes place and then consider the best way to meet, be it by electronic or direct contact. We will of course follow the best advice available from the Welsh Government.

In the meantime if you need to contact us here are our details :



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Personal Details:

Title:

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Contact Number:

Email:

DOB (optional):

Lay Ministry Role:

Renewal date:

Parish:

Ministry Area:

Incumbent:

Ministry Area Leader:

Data Privacy:

Please note that the personal data we collect is not shared outside of the Church in Wales. Contact details are kept for the purpose of a diocesan database of Lay Ministries and a mailing list for correspondence. These are removed when the role ceases.

By signing this form you are confirming that you are consenting to the diocese of Swansea & Brecon holding and processing your personal data for the following purposes:

- I consent to the diocese contacting me by post, phone or email (where an email address is provided, this will be the preferred method of communication)
- To keep me informed about news, events, activities and services relevant to my role.
- To including my details in the diocesan database of Lay Ministry.
- To share my contact details with the licensed lay ministry training and development facility at St Padarn's so they can keep me informed about news, events, activities and services that will be occurring which are directly relevant to me.

Signed:

Dated:

You can grant consent to all the purposes or none of the purposes. Where you do not grant consent we will not be able to use your personal data; (so for example we may not be able to let you know about forthcoming services and events); except in certain limited situations, such as where required to do so by law or to protect members of the public from serious harm. You can find out more about how we use your data from our "Privacy Notice" which is available from the diocesan office. You can withdraw or change your consent at any time by contacting the diocesan office at diocese.swanbrec@churchinwales.org.uk. Please note that all processing of your personal data will cease once you have withdrawn consent, other than where this is required by law, but this will not affect any personal data that has already been processed prior to this point.

A. Ministry in parish/Ministry Area

Please describe in your words, the role you undertake. Is this role in the Parish and/or Ministry Area? Are you encouraged to develop your lay ministry? What support you receive? What support you may need? Are there any training needs you can identify?

B. Other church and community engagement you are involved in:

(please mark as appropriate)

Services		Church groups	
Sunday School	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prayer group	<input type="checkbox"/>
School collective worship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bible study group	<input type="checkbox"/>
Services in residential care homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	Alpha/Emmaus	<input type="checkbox"/>
Messy Church	<input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmation class	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other		Other	

Church Administration		Chaplaincies	
PCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	(e.g. Police, hospital)	
Churchwarden	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Deanery Conference Rep	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Diocesan Conference Rep	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other			
Visiting		Wider community	
The sick	<input type="checkbox"/>	(e.g. School governor, Samaritans)	
The elderly at home	<input type="checkbox"/>		
The elderly in residential care	<input type="checkbox"/>		
The bereaved	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other			

Please add any comments about your experience of Lay Ministry.

Please use an additional sheet for any other comments you may wish to include

C. Would you be interested in developing a local/Deanery/Diocesan Lay Ministry Network?
If so please describe what you may like offered, the medium of communication/meetings?

Signature

Date

Signature of Incumbent or Ministry Area Leader

Date