

## **From Vision to Reality: Developing your project and making it happen**

A workshop for St Albans Diocese parishes

**9.40 to 16.00 on Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at St Lawrence Church, High Street, Abbots Langley WD5 0AS.**

Whether it's repairs, new facilities or other changes to your church building this day workshop will take you from having the right vision and project to finding the resources to deliver it. There will be presentations, local case studies and the chance to ask questions.

### **PROGRAMME**

<b>9.40</b>	<b>Registration and refreshments</b>
<b>10.05</b>	<b>Welcome and introduction</b> – Kate Peacock
<b>10.15</b>	<b>Developing a vision with strong and healthy roots</b> – Becky Payne
<b>11.00</b>	<b>Developing the right, achievable project</b> – Wendy Coombey
<b>11.45</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>12.00</b>	<b>St Nicholas, Stevenage</b> – Anthony Taylor <b>St Mary, Luton</b> – Revd Mike Jones
<b>12.30</b>	<b>Questions</b> and brief introduction to the St Lawrence extension by Carol Higgs
<b>12.45</b>	<b>Lunch - <i>please bring your own</i></b>
<b>13.25</b>	<b>Introduction to afternoon</b> – Emma Critchley
<b>13.30</b>	<b>Fundraising: Different sources of funding, campaigns and making your case</b> – Helen Simpkins
<b>14.20</b>	<b>St Michael, Shefford</b> – Pat Goulding and Revd Roni Goodman <b>St Leonard, Flamstead</b> – Revd Thomas Sander
<b>14.50</b>	<b>Questions</b>
<b>15.00</b>	<b>Break – <i>opportunity to leave for Archdeacon Jonathan's Choral Evensong</i></b>
<b>15.15</b>	<b>Help available from the Diocese</b> – Kate Peacock, Emma Critchley, David Bevan
<b>15.45</b>	<b>Questions and key points</b>
<b>16.00</b>	<b>End of workshop</b>

## **SPEAKERS AND OTHER CONTRIBUTORS**

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