

Clergy Appointments

Jane Bass, presently Priest-in-Charge (SSM) in the benefice of Bolnhurst with Keysoe, will be stepping down from this role, but will retain PtO.

Richard Brown, presently Assistant Curate in the benefice of St Hilda of Whitby, Grangetown, Middlesborough in the diocese of York, is to become Priest-in-Charge of the benefice of Holy Cross, Marsh Farm.

Dr Quentin Chandler presently Priest-in-Charge of the benefice of Marston Morteyne with Lidlington, is to become Rector of the same.

Alan Comfort, presently Rector of the benefice of Standon and the Mundens with Sacombe, is to become Vicar of St John the Evangelist Church, Upper Holloway in London Diocese.

Andrew Croft, is to be formally licensed as Pioneer Minister (Senior Pastor) at Soul Survivor, Watford.

Amanda Ferris, presently Associate Minister (SSM) at St Paul with Willian, Letchworth, has been appointed Hospital Chaplain/Spiritual Care Co-ordinator for Garden House Hospice, Letchworth Garden City.

Mike Jones, presently Vicar of St Mary's Luton, has also been appointed as Priest-in-Charge of St Paul's Church, Luton.

Kate Lomax, has been appointed as Associate Vicar (part time) of St Paul's Church, Luton.

Angela Lynas, previously Assistant Curate in Training (SSM) in Cheshunt Team Ministry, has become Associate Minister (SSM) in the Beane Valley benefice (Aston, Bramfield, Stapleford, Waterford and Watton-at-Stone).

Dr Rob Marshall, presently Priest-in-Charge (time limited, 0.5 stipend) of Digswell Team Ministry, has now become Priest-in-Charge (with common tenure, 0.8 stipend) of the same.

Mike Pilavachi, is to be formally licensed as Pioneer Minister (Senior Pastor) at Soul Survivor, Watford.

Catherine Staziker, has resigned her post as Team Vicar with special responsibility for Christ the King, Haldens.

Jill Suttie, presently Assistant Curate in Training (SSM) at St Mark's Church, Colney Heath, has become Associate Minister (SSM) to be known as Associate Vicar (SSM).

Gill Webb, has been appointed Assistant Priest (SSM) in the benefice of Marston Morteyne with Lidlington.

Rural/Area Deans

The Bishop of St Albans has appointed the following Rural Deans:

Guy Scott, as Rural Dean of Biggleswade, remaining as Vicar of the benefice of Biggleswade.

Timothy Seago as Area Dean of Barnet, remaining as Vicar of the benefice of Totteridge.

Canon Michael Leverton as Rural Deab of Buntingford, remaining as Rector in the benefice of Ardeley, Benington, Cotteder with Throcking and Walkern.

Diocesan Appointments

Mr Mark Dunwoody has been appointed as Senior Fresh Expressions Development Officer, (based in Bedford Archdeaconry). He was previously Diocesan Missioner for the Diocese of Montreal, Canada.



Regional Evensong & Instrumental Workshop

The next **regional evensong** is on Sunday 22nd April 2018, 2:30 pm – 6:30 pm approx at Holy Trinity, Leverstock Green, Hertfordshire.

An **Instrumental Workshop** with Miles Quick will take place on Wednesday 2nd May 2018 7.30pm-9.30pm at Holy Child and St Joseph Church, Midland Road, Bedford

The fee payable for each of these events is £6 per participant. Register before April 1st and you will only pay £4.

Further details and online application forms maybe found using the following link: www.rscm-stalbans.co.uk/?cat=4

Please note that if you are bringing under-18s with you to either event you must accept responsibility for them on the application form. A parental consent form must be filled in for each under 18 year old as well. See <https://bit.ly/2E4drqO>

On a chilly Palm Sunday, Dandy the Donkey joined adults and children on a procession to St Michael's, St Albans

