

Archdeacon of Leeds Appointment

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The Bishop of Ripon & Leeds seeks a gifted colleague to join the senior staff team of the Diocese.

Leeds is a major city enjoying considerable prosperity not least in the development of the business services sector, but with significant areas of deprivation. The Archdeaconry includes city-centre, inner-city, and suburban parishes.

We are looking for a person with experience of urban ministry, a commitment to mission and the development of ministry, lay and ordained, with pastoral sensitivity and the ability to manage change. Dependent upon the progress of proposals from the Dioceses' Commission, there may well be a particular task to weld together an enlarged Archdeaconry as an instrument of God's mission in the City.

Application forms can be obtained from Mrs. Janet Slater, Hollin House, Weetwood Avenue, Leeds, LS16 5NG (0113-224-2789). Applications should be returned to the Office of the Bishop of Ripon and Leeds by Friday, 16th December, 2011. Interviews will take place on Monday, 16th January 2012.