

# 1:1 Bible Reading Volunteer Profile

### Purpose of the ministry

Within Holy Trinity, we seek to know Christ better and make Him known by discipling and studying the Bible together. We seek to grow mature Christians and equip people with the ability to read and study God's Word.

This is an informal and relational way to both evangelise to and equip those seeking Jesus, build up young Christians in maturity, and to grow in fellowship together.

#### What the role involves

- 1. Time and day of team activity or meeting: Whenever suits you!
- 2. How often do we meet? Other could be weekly, every other week, or as suits your schedules
- 3. How much time commitment is required per meeting? 1-2 hours
- 4. What is the role of a volunteer? To read the Bible and lead a 1:1 Bible study, to pray and get alongside people
- 5. Is preparation required for meetings? Some preparation is wise before Bible studies!
- 6. What training is provided? No formal training is provided, but there are plenty of available resources we can share on 1:1 Bible Reading
- 7. Is a DBS safeguarding check required? No

## Typical "SHAPE" Profile

Sometimes a certain kind of person is better suited to one role than to another. What might a typical volunteer look like in this area of serving?

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Spiritual Gifts (see eg Romans 12:3-8)	Teaching, pastoring
Heart for (zeal for a need or cause)	Seeing new or young Christians grow and develop in their ability to read the Bible and in their faith; a love of Scripture
Abilities/skills (from education, work or life)	An ability to meet someone where they are at in their understanding; flexibility and 'going with the flow' of a study; some skill in understanding and teaching Scripture
<b>P</b> ersonality	Friendly, Caring, Encouraging
(extrovert/introvert, task or team, detail or big picture)	
Experiences (good ones or painful ones if relevant here)	Experience of having read the Bible 1:1 (from either position!) may be useful; experience of leading Bible Studies may also be helpful.

#### Who to contact next:

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