

St Anne with Holy Trinity Brondesbury
Mission Action Plan December 2019 – 2023
Review Annually – First Review Date November 2020

Our Mission Statement:

Confidently sharing the love of Christ (through worship, conversation/ discipleship and service/ engagement/ action)

Values and Vision Statement:

We are an inclusive Church of England parish within the liberal catholic tradition that seeks to serve God and share Christ's love in our community. We seek to be a welcoming, diverse and friendly community, regardless of age, gender or race, who compassionately provide a community resource:

- spiritually, through worship, faith and crisis support;
- socially through fellowship, community events and activities;
- faithfully through engagement with our neighbours of other faiths;
- physically through the availability of rooms and other spaces for hire and
- practically with links, activities and information on local support networks and on our website.

Aims and Objectives:

St Anne's is a parish within the Diocese of London and we have committed to continue to being

- 1. CONFIDENT IN SPEAKING AND LIVING THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST**
- 2. COMPASSIONATE IN SERVING COMMUNITIES WITH THE LOVE OF GOD THE FATHER**
- 3. CREATIVE IN REACHING NEW PEOPLE AND PLACES WITH THE GOOD NEWS IN THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT**

Our 3 Mission priorities reflect our desire to be part of the wider church through:

- A. Worship:** *Worship and Discipleship*
- B. Outreach:** *Engagement and Mission*
- C. Community:** *Social Life and Local Engagement*

Mission Priority Area	Aims	Actions and Activities
1. Worship (Communication)	To improve our communication within the congregation Use the skills we have and increase awareness of what we are doing	a) Invite members to share what they are doing and events that are available (These shared in next week's notices) b) Look at forming a 'What's Ap' Group c) Improve how we share information d) Identify 'go to person' on topics and skills of interest
2. Worship (Welcome)	Improve the sense of welcome and community within the congregation	a) To move Sunday morning coffee into the middle of the rotunda b) To be intentional about forming conversations c) Improve how we share news with and about each other. (once one congregation – photo's in church with messages)
3. Worship (Experience)	Offer a wider range of worship experiences To nurture prayer life of our community	a) Explore different kinds of music b) Build on strength of high days and buy in additional music if needed c) Explore some different types of worship on one Sunday a month d) Experiment with the chairs in church on smaller Sundays e) Use screens from time to time f) Continue to offer daily prayer g) Have prayer bench in front garden (in memory of Viola and Tricia)
4. Worship (Inclusion)	To offer opportunities for children and young people to engage in worship To be open and inclusive	a) To develop other opportunities for children and young people; and other key groups to worship, b) Be realistic about our size and what we can achieve c) Be flexible and welcoming d) To ensure we intentional and provide education on being inclusive
5. Worship (Being Disciples)	To grow and nurture our faith in Christ To bring new members to faith	a) To offer an Advent and Lent Study b) To sign posts other opportunities for prayer and learning in London c) To actively advertise opportunities within the Diocese and beyond which nurture our faith.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> d) To hold a church 'open house' to invite residents to the church e) To provide information about church life during Queens Park Day
6. Community (local presence and resource)	To improve our physical visibility in the local community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Help all user groups know we are a church b) Improve signage c) Replace wall banners d) Have list of weekly activities in all notice boards
7. Community (Safe place to be)	<p>To increase number of social events</p> <p>To provide safe place for local community to meet</p> <p>To be open to respond to local requests</p> <p>To intentionally work with older members of the congregation and community.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) To hold a social event each term to which local members of the community might be invited b) To have monthly extended 'community time' after Sunday morning service – maybe lunch? c) To actively support My Move Drop In d) To continue to offer Tea and Chat, and invite these people to monthly Sunday lunch e) Providing training and opportunities for members of St Anne's to visit those who are sick or housebound f) Build a link with Scout and cub group in Salusbury school. g) Keep building available for local groups h) Ensure we are represented and vocal in local groups.
8. Community (fostering identity)	<p>To develop relationships with other communities in Queens Park</p> <p>To grow public awareness of faith</p> <p>Be visible part of open house and gardens</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Build links with local businesses and other community groups. b) Potentially host events of interest to local business c) To build on All Souls and Remembrance to invite all members of the community to share in remembering d) To find other opportunities in the year to do this as well. e) Host an installation during open gardens month f) To be an active part of the open gardens weekend

9. Outreach (resourcing our vision)	Increase contribution to common fund and mission Be a long-term viable congregation	a) plan increase for common fund to meet real costs b) contribute financially to mission initiatives of the parish c) Ensure we have a sustainability plan for the building and the congregation d) Look at hosting a congregation of another language group
10. Outreach (Inter Faith)	Maintain commitment to Inter Faith Relations	a) Build on links with our Islamia Schools, Al Sadiq School, Al Zahra School and Al-Khoei Foundation. b) Continue to offer Inter Faith Week Story Telling Workshop for Primary Schools c) Continue to provide space for Inter Faith dialogue and engagement
11. Outreach (Charitable Giving)	To support local families in need	a) To be a collection point for Laurence's Larder b) To initially build on our relationship with Salusbury world and invite their input in a service c) Food Voucher charity scheme
12. Outreach (Engagement and practice)	To support local charities To assist in support the most vulnerable in our community	a) To strengthen our link with Salusbury World b) Encouraging volunteers and provide training when able c) Continue work with Laurence's Larder d) To invite members of congregation to share the stories of other projects they are involved in. e) To help ensure the voice of most vulnerable in our community are heard. f) To signpost those who are isolated to services available