



Mission Action Plan (2023 - 2026)

What is our vision?

Bringing faith to life in the centre of Kingston

What is our overall strategy for doing this in the next 3 years?

To lift our voices, raise our profile and extend our outreach

How do we currently achieve this?

- Through our historic Grade 1 listed church building, kept open seven days a week, providing a daily round of worship and a peaceful place of prayer.
- Through our strong musical tradition with one of the best church choirs in the country, a regional hub for bellringing and a weekly programme of concerts.
- Through our well-established relationships with our local community and our friendly and welcoming café that plays host to many individuals and groups every day of the week.

What do we see as the strategic missional priorities for the next 3 years?

1. Pioneer new ways to engage with children and young people

- Launch a new Youth Cafe
- Develop a programme of group singing lessons with local primary schools
- Begin a Junior Choir
- Expand our school workshop programme to include faith as well as heritage content

2. Raise our profile and extend our outreach through better communications

- Re-imagine our digital presence through a new website, e-bulletin and social media
- Relaunch All Saints as a platform for public faith discourse through a programme of talks, seminars and discussions.
- Renew internal & external signage
- Consider options for making our external grounds more attractive and welcoming

3. Invest in our partnerships so that we better understand the needs of our community

- Begin a weekly Bereavement Cafe
- Identify up to 6 primary partners as a focus for learning and collaboration
- Explore further opportunities to work in partnership with our sister churches in the Kingston Team ministry, with our town centre ecumenical partners and with Kingston Inter Faith Forum.

4. Work to become an Eco Church

- To be accredited by the end of 2026 as a Silver Eco Church and to have a clear understanding and road map of what we would need to achieve in order to become accredited to a Gold Standard by 2030.

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