

ST GEORGE'S CHURCH  
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STAMFORD  
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Dear

Thank you for offering to be a volunteer serving the Church.

We greatly value the contribution of all our volunteer team and look forward to working with you and helping you develop your skills. If at any time you would like support or assistance with any issue you are handling, or would like to talk about an issue affecting you, we are available to support you. This applies also if you want any further help or support completing any of the paperwork involved.

**Please contact to discuss further:**

- **Clare Arthey (Operations Manager)** [clare.athey@stgeorgeschurch.net](mailto:clare.athey@stgeorgeschurch.net) For Children's and Youth Ministry matters.
- **Richard Knowles (Assistant Pastor)** [richard.knowles@stgeorgeschurch.net](mailto:richard.knowles@stgeorgeschurch.net) For Pastoral Ministry matters.

Our primary focus with all pastoral care at St George's is to replicate devoted, dependent, disciples. Whether you have been involved in St George's before and are moving into a new role, or are taking on your first volunteer role, it is great to have you on the team.

In accordance with the House of Bishops' policy for recruitment of volunteers ('Practice Guidance: Safer Recruiting', July 2016) we will be required to obtain a DBS check for you and I will be in contact with you to arrange this once your application form and references have been completed.

**The following documents are attached:**

- Role description and information relating to this position.
- Application Form and Confidential Disclosure document.
- Statement of Faith\*.
- St George's Safeguarding Policies x 2.

***We ask that before you start your volunteering you read the St George's Church Safeguarding statement and policies – to be found in the Safeguarding page in MyChurchsuite.***

**We also recommend that you read the following documents:**

- 'Promoting a Safe Church' and 'Protecting all God's Children', which can be found online at: <https://www.churchofengland.org/more/safeguarding>
- Diocese of Lincoln's Statement of Safeguarding principles: <http://www.lincoln.anglican.org/resources-for-parishes-ministry/safeguarding/>

***Please complete the attached Application Form, Confidential Declaration Form, Role Description and Statement of Faith, and return them to the Church Office marked for the attention of Ministry Assistant.***

Thank you – and please do let me know if you have any queries or require further help or support. I look forward to hearing from you.

**Joseph Caseley**

**Ministry Assistant**

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\*The PCC is a member of the Evangelical Alliance and subscribes to its statement of faith. All volunteers within the Church are requested to sign a copy indicating their agreement. If you have any questions about the statement please contact the Rector or member of the staff team.