

DIOCESE OF OXFORD



Priest-in-charge (vicar designate) Parish of Bampton with Clanfield

We are a group of five churches who have been working in partnership for many years to serve our communities in the vibrant Cotswold villages of Bampton, Aston with Cote and Shifford, Clanfield and Lew in West Oxfordshire.

We are looking for an inspirational teacher, theologian and spiritual leader, who will lead, support and encourage us as we work towards our mission:

- ✚ Nurturing our spiritual growth through a variety of church services and Bible groups and through praying together
- ✚ Building and facilitating a team of volunteers, lay ministers and clergy within each church and across the parish
- ✚ Enabling the churches – both buildings and people – to be the spiritual heart of each village
- ✚ Teaching the next generation about our faith, what having a faith entails and how to enter into a life of faith, and helping us to deepen our relationship with our church schools
- ✚ Working together with the wider church family

We can offer a spacious four bedroom vicarage and garden in the centre of Bampton; a choice of excellent primary and secondary schools; the support of a SS curate, a team of 4 further clergy and well-established lay-led services.

Closing date: **16th March 2018** Interviews: **26th April 2018**

Full details including parish profile and application form available from **www.oxford.anglican.org**. DBS Enhanced Disclosure is required.

For further information please contact the Venerable Judy French, Archdeacon of Dorchester, on 01865 208245 or archdeacon.dorchester@oxford.anglican.org