

## Governance

### **Guiding Principles**

# Proposal for a **New Larger Parish**

**Toxteth & Wavertree** 





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Our new Larger Parish will have one PCC, serving as the governing body, and focusing on finance, buildings, employment, safeguarding and other legal aspects. Meanwhile, Local Leadership Teams will concentrate on worship, mission, ministry and justice initiatives.

#### 1. We align all our initiatives with our Shared Mission

The PCC (Trustees) will **align** all plans, initiatives, finances and human resources to fulfil our shared mission.

#### 2. We protect and promote Unity in our Diversity

The PCC will **protect and promote** differences in theology and how we express these as the Body of Christ in worship and in our missional practice.

## 3. <u>We **respect and encourage** Local Leadership</u> <u>Teams</u>

The PCC will support the mission plans developed by the Local Leadership Teams which reflect their unique ministry context in their worship, mission, ministry and justice initiatives.

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#### 4. We **commit** to clear and transparent decisionmaking

The PCC **commits** to clear and transparent decisionmaking through consultation, collaboration and communication with all clergy, lay leaders, Local Leadership Teams, wardens and parishioners.

## 5. We **pledge** to fulfill our legal responsibilities as Trustees

The PCC **pledges** compliance with all legal and regulatory requirements through good governance, best practices and risk management.

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