

New Wine Discipleship Year

**CSK Church Hampton,
Peterborough**

**(Closest Hub:
Leicester)**

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WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?



This fantastic role will enable you to explore your faith, grow and mature as a Christian and learn new disciple-making skills in a modern, engaging, supportive, mission-minded Anglican church. We're full of fun and also up for a challenge!

Over the 12-month placement (starting September 2023) there will be a range of opportunities depending on your areas of interest, skills and gifts to give you a balance of experiences and responsibilities. As this is the first year, we will draw up a clear plan and programme with you to maximise your growth and development. Opportunities could include:

- children's & youth work (including Sunday groups and links with local schools)
- participating in our range of services
- community engagement and outreach including in CSK's coffee shop Chimes (facebook.com/chimescoffeeshop) and pioneering in a new area
- community events and celebrations
- work with the elderly
- worship leading/tech & PA management

PRACTICAL BITS



The role includes a mentor and a church supervisor to support your growth during the year. You will be joining a young and growing staff team at an exciting time to be at CSK.

Help will be available, if needed, to find suitable & affordable accommodation for the year in our community.

There will be regular contact with the local Discipleship Year Hub (Leicester) for theological teaching (one day per week) and pastoral care. Through the local Hub you will also join a cohort of fellow students providing connections and support outside CSK Hampton.

The placement will include attending national Discipleship Year weekends away, the Leadership Conference in February 2024 and United in summer 2024.

We would love to have a conversation with you if you are interested in this Kingdom-building opportunity - email: vicar@cskhampton.church with any questions.

CSK (CHRIST THE SERVANT KING) PROFILE



HENRY-JAMES, WHO WORKS IN OUR COFFEE SHOP

PROFILE

CSK is a modern and lively charismatic Anglican church, based in Hampton, Peterborough. Our congregation is large and comprises people of all ages and many different Christian backgrounds. Most are young families with children. We aim to connect people with Jesus and make Him known.

Our worship and praise express the joy and richness of our wonderful diversity. Our Sunday morning service uses mainly contemporary songs (New Wine, Bethel, Hillsong style). We benefit from a range of preaching styles and like to innovate in creative ways. It's a must in this season!

God is leading new people to CSK. There is a sense of awe and excitement at what He is doing, as we press into deeper things in the Holy Spirit. Our building is often full for Sunday worship. We are planning to add a second morning service from September, to make sure there is room for all.

On Sunday evenings, we have two services each month. One is our Worship BREAKTHROUGH

service, which starts with a short Bible reflection, followed by a time of waiting on the Holy Spirit, through worship. The other service is in a Taizé style, which is an opportunity to be still, to listen to music and to reflect and pray.

We are led by a young Vicar and are soon to be joined by a recently appointed Associate Vicar. We employ a part-time Children & Families Leader and a part-time Youth Leader (the latter position is currently vacant), who are supported by many amazing volunteers. Brand new part-time posts are also being advertised at the same time as this opportunity (and could be held jointly).

Children and youth are a much-valued part of CSK. We encourage them all to explore their faith, develop a relationship with Jesus and share their beliefs with those around them. Discipleship is at the heart of all we do. We have small groups, which meet to study the Bible and explore faith. We have just completed an Alpha course.

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PROFILE

Our church building is buzzing throughout the week. It's designed in a way that encourages local people to come in. The ground floor includes the main worship space, a secondary hall, the coffee shop foyer, a lounge, a church office and a crèche.

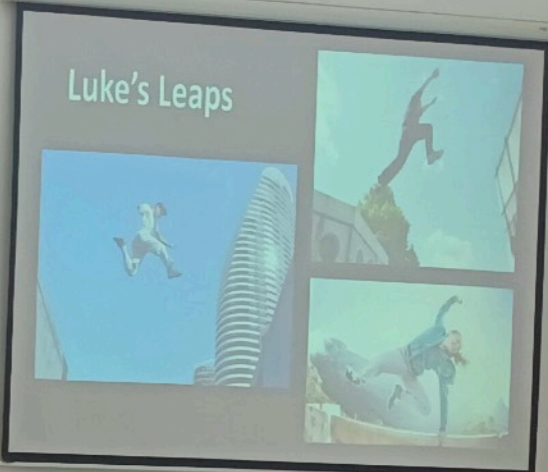
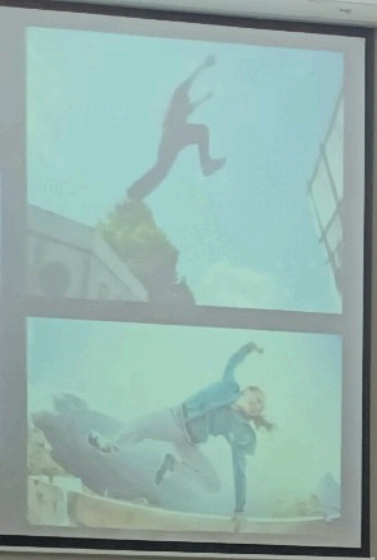
Upstairs is a community room, used mainly by youth, and a second office, used by a local Christian charity, Romsey Mill. This office operates as a base for community youth work throughout the Hampton area. We have recently acquired some land at the back of the church for future expansion and we are developing longer term plans for how best to use this land.

Our coffee shop (Chimes) is in the entrance area of the main church and is very popular. Chimes is open weekly from 9:30- 3:30, Wed-Sat, and is resourced with paid staff and volunteers. It is a great meeting place and a wonderful way to build relationships with the local community. People have come to faith through its ministry.

We have many other ways of engaging with our church and wider community. For example, our Women's Ministry has regular breakfasts and evening meals, talks, theatre nights and craft activities; our Men's Ministry has games evenings, guest speakers, pub quizzes, walks and badminton evenings.

We host film nights, pub theology, activities to celebrate events such as Pancake Day, picnics, a Light Party (as an alternative to Halloween), Easter and Christmas crafts and pub carols. Also, we support the local community through our Foodbank and pantry - as well as weekly community meals and our recent Warm Hub.

Hampton is truly an all-age parish as well, as we have a wide range of accommodation for our seniors and those with additional needs, from residential homes to independent living complexes - and we provide services in several of them.



HOLIDAY CLUB!

AREA

Hampton is a new community, on the edge of Peterborough. It is entirely modern housing, with plentiful green, open spaces, and many attractive lakes. People of all ages live in Hampton, but it is mainly an area with young families. Within Hampton, there is a large indoor shopping centre, and several restaurants, leisure and sports facilities, including Peterborough Wake Park.

Peterborough city centre is three miles from CSK and can be reached in under ten minutes by car. There are frequent buses through Hampton to the city centre. Peterborough sits on the East Coast Main Line, with connections to London in 45 minutes, York, Norwich, Ely and Cambridge. Leicester is 75 minutes by train, or 60 minutes by car. The A1 road is less than five minutes away.

Hampton is a wonderful place in which to spend a year.



Easter 2023

SO WHY COME?

- ~ Grow your faith and explore your calling in a creative, fast-changing environment
- ~ Go deeper with the Holy Spirit in a church that is growing in size and depth
- ~ Grow your leadership skills
- ~ A chance to contribute to building the Kingdom of God in a place that is crying out for more of His presence