Shrivenham and Ashbury Benefice Consultation

Our Vicar, Rev'd Norma Fergusson, is retiring in May 2024 and we are now beginning to look towards the future and her successor. As part of this process, we are inviting everyone in the Benefice, whether they are a churchgoer or not, to share their thoughts and observations on what we currently do well, what is less successful, what they would like to see happening over the next few years, and what gifts and skills we should be seeking in our next Vicar.

1. Which parish do you live in?

Ashbury
Compton Beauchamp
Longcot with Fernham
Shrivenham with Watchfield and Bourton
None of the above

2. If you are a churchgoer, which church do you usually attend?

Ashbury, St Mary
Bourton, St James
Compton Beauchamp, St Swithun
Fernham, St John
Longcot, St Mary
Shrivenham, St Andrew
Watchfield, St Thomas
None of the above

3. What do we do well as a church family and community?

4. What do we do less well?

5. What would you like to see us doing more of?

6. How could we reach out more to our local communities?

7. What qualities and skills would you like our new Vicar to have?

8. Is there anything else about the appointment of a new Vicar you would like to share?

9. Is there anything else about our churches you would like to share?

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey. Please leave it in church or post it to Lucy Laird (Benefice Administrator) 32 Colton Road Shrivenham SN6 8AZ