

A partnership consisting of
the Central Baptist Association, the Anglican Diocese of St. Albans,
the Methodist Beds, Essex and Herts District and the North Thames Synod of the United
Reformed Church (and in association with the Roman Catholic Diocese of Northampton)

is seeking to appoint an

ECUMENICAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENT MINISTER

for

Wixams, Bedfordshire

Wixams is a growing new community just south of Bedford, comprising (when complete) around 5000 homes/12,500 people. There are now more than 200 houses occupied. The aim is to appoint a person to plant an ecumenical church.

He or she will:

- be an ordained minister of a member church of Churches Together in England
- have a commitment to and skills in the proclamation of the Christian gospel
- be a self-starter with a strong personal vision
- be a strategic thinker
- be able to work with people of all ages and backgrounds
- have a proven track record in community development.

A suitable house is due for completion in the late autumn in the new community. A starting date for the post is envisaged to be 1st January 2011. This post is subject to an enhanced CRB disclosure.

For a job description, profile of Wixams and an application form, please contact:

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The closing date for applications is 21st September 2010, and interviews will be held in Bedford on 5th October 2010.