

A PROCESS FOR

Evaluating Mission Plans

IN RELATION TO PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT

STEP 1



Mission plan developed

Refer to
'Attributes of
a sound
mission plan'

STEP 2



Property development opportunity or need identified

Parish identified
Diocesan identified

STEP 3



Mission plan evaluation panel formed

Comprising
Regional Bishop,
PMC ED &
FDSC rep.

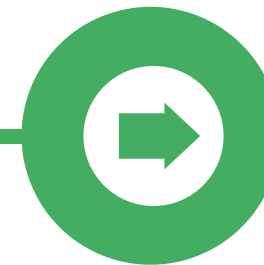
STEP 4



Mission plan evaluated by panel

Refer to
'Criteria for
evaluating a
mission plan'

STEP 5



Outcome communicated

Endorsed
Further refinement needed
FDSC property development approval process commences

Mission Plan

FAITHFUL

Missionally clear

Clear and connects with the 'Marks of Mission' or another schema for defining Christian mission.

Ecclesiologicaly sound

Reflects church practice: worship, ministry, fellowship, evangelism and discipleship.

Anglican

Grounded in the Anglican tradition.

EFFECTIVE

Clear and measurable goals.

Outcome focused

Resources are identified, adequate and available.

Sufficiently resourced

Compatible with broader strategic / mission goals (deanery, regional and diocesan).

Strategic

Considers the needs and activities of the wider community.

Responsive

Realistic, taking account of time, people and resources.

Achievable

Developed through wide consultation and strongly supported.

Consultative

Creative, inspiring and exciting.

Motivating

DETAILED CRITERIA FOR

Evaluating a Mission Plan

FAITHFUL

MISSION

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Is the mission plan clear?

Is the mission plan grounded in the 'Five Marks of Mission?'

ECCLESIOLOGY

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Is the parish fulfilling its call to:

- Wider community involvement (ministry)
- Reaching the unchurched (evangelism)
- Spiritual nurture (discipleship)
- Worship
- Social life/caring relationships (fellowship)

TRADITION

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Is the mission faithful to the spirit of the Anglican tradition? (biblical, liturgical, sacramental, incarnational, communal, pastoral)

EFFECTIVE

STRATEGY

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Are the mission goals clear and achievable?

Is the identified property initiative directly linked to the mission goals?

Can goals be measured and reviewed against progress?

Are existing resources adequate and effectively utilised?

Has additional resourcing been considered?

Does the plan fit with deanery, regional and diocesan plans?

OPERATION

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Are there adequate people, structures and resources in the parish to implement the mission plan?

Are there significant factors that might prevent the mission plan from being fulfilled?

COMMUNICATION

YES NO POTENTIALLY

Has there been adequate consultation with the parish and wider community?

Is there broad support from the parish leadership and church community?

Is the mission plan creative, exciting or inspiring?

OVERARCHING CRITERIA FOR

Evaluating a Mission Plan

Is the mission plan faithful to our call to be the Anglican Church?

Is the mission plan realistic and achievable?

Is the mission plan one that you would want to contribute money to or be part of?

Is there a compelling strategic reason for supporting this mission plan? (e.g. sparsity of church presence, socio-economic)