



Vocation Prayer

Almighty God, Lord of the Harvest,
inspire those you are calling to ordained ministry
to hear your call and to act upon it,
to be part of leading your Church
and plant seeds of your Kingdom in the world.
For the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

“Pray the Lord of the Harvest to send out workers into his harvest.”
(Matthew 9. 38)

Over the next decade the Church of England is looking to find about 450 new clergy each year. It's about a 50% increase.

It seems a lot, but it means about an extra 7 people from Coventry Diocese responding to God's call each year to enter ordained ministry. So if you think in terms of your church, just one extra person every few years could make all the difference.

But it's still a real challenge. Will you commit to joining us in praying regularly and persistently for the extra people to hear God's call and offer to be part of the ordained ministry of the Church of England?

We're looking for women and men of all ages and backgrounds, but especially for those in their 20s and 30s, who will be able to minister to their own generation.

If you can join us – thank you for your prayers.

For more information and to request a 7-day prayer card, go to www.dioceseofcoventry.org/dtp/vocationprayer

