



## Assistant to the Rector at Holy Trinity Anglican Church

### Position Description

The parish of Holy Trinity Anglican Church (Strathcona) in Edmonton is looking for a half-time Assistant to the Rector. The Assistant to the Rector will work alongside of the Rector in continuing to grow and develop many areas of ministry including but not limited to stewardship, youth and young adult's ministry, and working in various areas of social justice.

In stepping into our specific parish, the Assistant to the Rector should honour and engage well with various aspects of our culture and priorities. These include:

- Affirming the full sacramental participation of LGBTQ2SIA+ people in the Church and community.
- Willing and able to engage in reconciling work with Indigenous peoples and other racialized groups.

In sum, we are looking for an Assistant to the Rector to work collaboratively and maintain our momentum, with the ability to support, encourage, and celebrate the very active lay involvement in all areas of the parish.

### Position Assets

The Assistant to the Rector will have the opportunity to leverage and build upon the following strengths at Holy Trinity:

- An inclusive, warm, and welcoming environment
- A child-friendly and child-valuing community
- High volunteer engagement
- Strong financial systems and responsibility
- A value for spiritual formation that takes place beyond Sundays
- Strong ecumenical relationships with other local congregations
- Practical outreach in many forms

### Ministry Challenges

The Assistant to the Rector will require the skills to take on the following key challenges:

- Building stewardship
- Creating and implementing youth/young adults' opportunities for fellowship and engagement



- Continuing to strengthen and develop our LGBTQ2SIA+ engagement
- Supporting opportunities for expanded racial diversity and other social justice initiatives

### **Desired Leadership Qualities**

Holy Trinity Anglican Church is seeking an Assistant to the Rector with the following leadership qualities which we feel are essential to the role:

- We desire an applicant with a strong theological foundation with familiarity of Anglican Tradition. This position is open to lay and ordained applicants.
- We desire an Assistant to the Rector who has a profound sense of the realities of this world. This individual would eagerly engage with community partners and other city initiatives.
- We desire an Assistant to the Rector who is capable of working collaboratively and overseeing effective organizational structures.
- We desire an Assistant to the Rector who appreciates the crucial need for leadership both within the congregation and toward the community.

Applicants are asked to send their resumes and a brief cover letter describing their interest in the position and strengths they would bring to the position to [danielle@holytrinity.ab.ca](mailto:danielle@holytrinity.ab.ca)