

## Personal qualities

The Pastor needs to be someone who, in word and deed, loves the Lord Jesus and who is:

- Servant hearted
- Self controlled
- Humble
- Sacrificial
- Reliable
- Gentle
- Hospitable
- Faithful
- Prayerful

In addition, the Pastor will:

- Have a positive, “can do”, willing attitude and approach
- Have a heart for others, fostering a family atmosphere in church and being able to empathise and relate well personally to all within the church community and surrounding neighbourhood, whatever their background, perspective or stage of life, meeting them where they are at.
- Inspire confidence and trust
- Be able to organise their own workload
- Be available (managing this to maintain their own health and wellbeing)
- Be a good communicator, organiser and administrator
- Work with others as part of a team (especially the leadership/trustee team)
- Be comfortable networking with other agencies, authorities and service providers in the area, partnering with them best to meet local needs.
- Be good humoured

We expect commitment, resilience, determination, integrity and honesty. But we do not expect you to do it all on your own! We want you to have a proper work/life balance and you can expect to be supported by church members and in particular the team of leaders and trustees.