## **Our Values**



Our office values were created by all our staff over a number of months of brainstorming and activities in 2022.

They reflect our commitment to each other and to the people that we serve in the Diocese.

We expect our employees to be supportive of and live out our values at work.

### **Christ-like**



Our first value is Christ-like: Which means to show humility and love for one another, to be welcoming and to have grace and patience

In Ephesians chapter 4:, verse 32, it says:

"Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ, God forgave you"

### **Community**



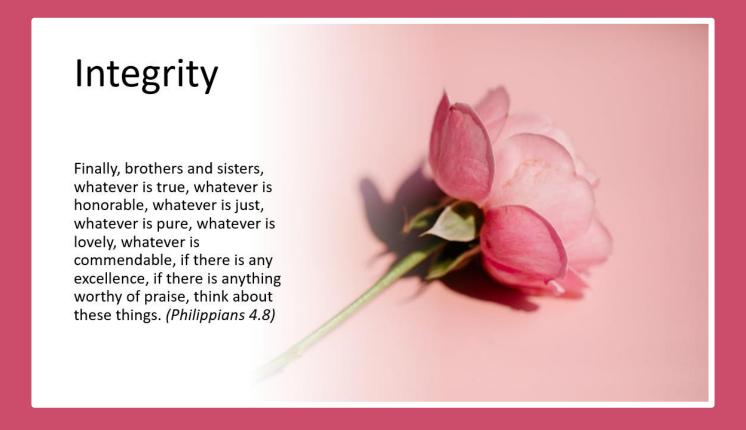
# Community

For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them. (Matthew 18.20)

**Our second value is Community:** Which means to have a sense of togetherness and common purpose, with room for differences.

In Matthew Chapter 18, verse 20, it says "For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them"

### **Integrity**

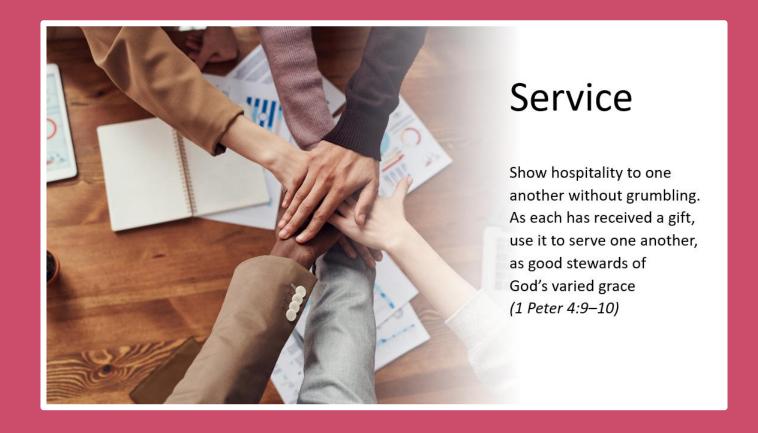


Our 3<sup>rd</sup> value is Integrity: Which means to be genuine, authentic and honest, and value each other

In Philippians, Chapter 4, verse 8, the Apostle Paul writes:

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

#### **Service**



Our 4<sup>th</sup> and final value is Service: Which means to recognise people's needs, give without expectation and use our gifts for each other.

As the Apostle Peter wrote in 1 Peter, Chapter 4, verses 9 to 10:

Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace.