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Parish
Questionnaire
Supplement
for
Sections 8 & 9



DIOCESE OF **Hexham & Newcastle**

8 Facilities

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- 8.1 Please provide information about the buildings associated with each church site within the parish. (*Note: Section 8 of the data pack will assist with some questions*)

Parish Name		Church Name		Capacity	
In your opinion		Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor
8.2	What is the overall state of repair of the Church?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.3	What is the overall state of repair of the Presbytery?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.4	What is the overall state of repair of the Church Hall?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
				Yes	No
8.5	Is there a car park?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.6	If Yes, how many parking spaces are there?				
8.7	Is there a parish office?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.8	Are there secure on-site storage facilities for confidential documentation?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.9	Is there an appointed Welfare Officer?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.10	Are the following regular check-ups up to date:				
	• Portable electrical appliances?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	• Gas safety			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.11	Are the following facilities available for people with disabilities?				
	• Accessible toilets			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	• Level access			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	• Ramped access			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	• Loop system			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.12	If any of the above provision is lacking are there plans in place to improve the facilities?			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.13	If Yes, please elaborate:				

8.14 Does the church have a cemetery?

- Yes No

8.15 If Yes, who has responsibility for its care?

8.16 Please identify any other land / property for which the parish is responsible. (e.g. Residential lettings etc.)

Property / Land	Description

8.17 Please describe the meeting spaces that the church has and how many people they can accommodate.

Meeting Space	No. of people

8.18 Is there a place for smaller weekday masses?

- Yes No

If Yes, please provide details

8.19 Does the community have property that is in excess of its requirements?

- Yes No

8.20 If Yes, please give details and any suggestions of ways to realise its potential.

Property / Land	Details / Suggestions

8.21 Are your premises used by external groups / organisations?

- Yes No

8.22 If Yes, please provide details of the nature and frequency of the activity and whether the organisation pays a hire charge.

Group	Activity	Frequency	Hire charge (Y / N)	
<i>Example: Scouts</i>	<i>Pack Meeting</i>	<i>Weekly during term time</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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8.23 Does the parish collaborate with other denominations locally regarding use of buildings?

- Yes No

8.24 If Yes, please elaborate.

8.25 Do you anticipate any instances of expenditure on property (£5k or more on a single item / project) in the next 5 years?

- Yes No

8.26 If Yes, please provide details.

Expenditure	Anticipated Cost

8.27 Please indicate the distances from the nearest primary and secondary schools to the church.

Name of school	Distance

9 Geographic Distance

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9.1 How many miles is it by road to the nearest 3 Catholic churches from this church?
(See data pack)

Church Name	Distance

9.2 From which parish church was your parish originally founded?

9.3 With which local parish / church communities does your parish have the strongest relationship(s)

9.4 Please describe any significant geographical obstacles between this church and other Catholic church(es) in your locality.

9.5 Based on the experience of your parishioners, how accessible is this church using public transport?

Easily Moderately With difficulty Not at all

Please elaborate.

9.6 Does the parish provide any regular transport to church services?

Yes No

9.7 If Yes, please explain.