### **Hope Community Church Admaston**

## **BRIEF PROFILE FOR RECRUITMENT**

## Pastoral Leader with a view to becoming an Elder

### **Overview of Hope**

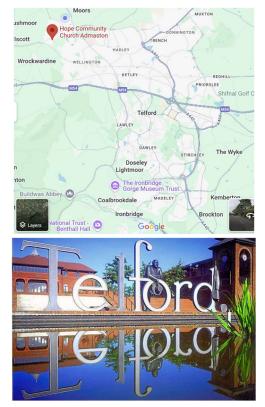
- We planted Hope in 2012, and God has grown us to about 40 present on a Sunday with a total congregation of about 70.
- There is a growing range of ministries and we are strongly missional with good reputation in the neighbourhood and involvement in the local primary school.
- A significant part of our missional activity is in conjunction with other Christian churches and organisations.
- We meet in a well-appointed local community centre in North West Telford.
- The church includes people from across Telford, but its main evangelism targets the local area.





# Overview of the immediate Area

- Hope is based in an area of large housing estates, the first being built in 1970s.
- 700 homes have been built in the locality in the last 5 years and a further 2000 are planned for the next 10.
- Telford is an amalgamation of various "old towns", the local centre for our area is Wellington.
- The Wrekin is a popular local hill with beautiful views.



## **Overview of Telford**

- Telford is a young town, with a younger than average age profile, but lacks the 18-30 age group.
- Total population 185,000 and growing.
- It was billed in 2000 as one of the most godless places in the UK: there is plenty of opportunity for evangelism.

### Key elements for the new role

- Part of the senior leadership team with a view to eldership.
- Care for the church, shared with other leaders.
- Focus on young families whether inside, on the fringe or outside the church.
- Focus on outreach into the new housing estates on our doorstep.
- Fulltime, though requests for part-time would be considered.

# We are looking for someone who:

- Is passionate for God, the gospel, the Spirit, the Word, the church, and winning the lost.
- Is able to teach, pray, lead and provide a Christ-like example.
- Is a team player and is approachable and interested in people.

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