

Pathfinders Young Leaders Development Programme 2019



We would like to invite young adults from your mission unit or parish to join us in 2019 for a year of intentional faith, character, and leadership development. Young leaders selected for this opportunity should have already demonstrated leadership skills, a deep commitment to Jesus, and have a sense of long-term commitment to the Anglican movement.



The year will begin February 22-24 at Ngatiawa River Monastery for a weekend of connecting and training together. Our aims are:

To build a family of young adult diocesan leaders who can journey together for years to come

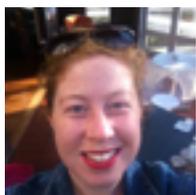
To form within these leaders a passion for the unique kaupapa, whakapapa, tradition and expression of the Anglican movement.

To foster pioneering imagination that can help to re-articulate faith to a new generation

To assist young leaders to develop their own disciplines of prayer, scripture, mission, and compassion

To develop practical leadership skills that can help young leaders to create thriving parishes and mission units in the years to come.

Reflections from 2018 Participants



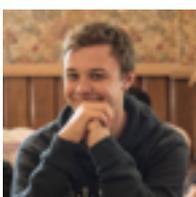
“Being involved in pathfinders has given me a really practical vocabulary for leadership that addressed struggles I hadn’t been able to articulate, a pretty compelling vision for what leadership could be in an Anglican context, and a community to do all of that learning in”

Cassandra Burton-Wood - Victoria University Anglican Chaplaincy



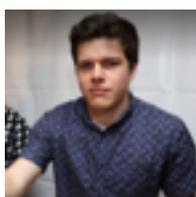
“Pathfinders named the things in our culture (either society wide or in church) which gave some language to what I had experienced but hadn't really seen framed up before. It was great to be able to discuss with others from their contexts and see where we could learn from each other.”

Rose Morris - Blueprint Pioneer Mission Unit



“Pathfinders has helped me understand more about church leadership, as well as an opportunity to spend time with people who are passionate about the same things. I've really valued the conversations and discussions that have challenged my beliefs, as it has made me start to think about the reasons behind why I take some ideas as given.”

Reuben Lauridsen - Anglican Youth Movement / All Saints, HAITAITAI



“It's been great connecting with other young leaders with a similar focus and who share similar aspirations. Pathfinders has been very useful for teaching practical leadership skills, clarifying my thoughts and keeping me inspired for the work.”

Max Robinson - Blueprint Pioneer Mission Unit

The calendar for the year includes a monthly workshop (Sundays 2.30-4pm) and being present at key diocesan calendar moments. All workshops and events are compulsory.

Feb 22-24	Pathfinders Retreat
Mar 10	Leading in Aotearoa
Apr 14	Building the Team
May 5	The interior life/character
Jun 16	Building High Trust Teams
Jul 14	Telling the Jesus Story

Aug 18	Nourishing Holy Discontent
Sep 15	Ordination and Communication Streams
Oct 13	Growing Healthy Communities
Nov 17	The Kaupapa of our Anglican Movement
Dec 8	End of year break-up

Other key dates include The Abbey Young Leaders Camp (tbc), Diocesan Ministry Conference (9-12 October) and Training Days (11 May and 7 Sept).

Please don't hesitate to get in touch and discuss any candidates you think would be suitable for this opportunity.

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