



The**King's**Church
Arnold

Assistant Pastor

**Leading Youth & Young Adults
& Growing in Church Leadership**

Help shape the future of a growing church
in Nottingham



Welcome

Thank you for your interest in joining our church family.

The King's Church Arnold has been part of this community since 1987. Over the years we have seen God do amazing things - lives transformed, faith deepened and many people finding hope in Jesus.

Today we are a diverse church family made up of people of different ages, backgrounds and nationalities. More than 100 gather on a Sunday with many serving through volunteer teams and a wide range of ministries.

Our wider community, Arnold, is a northern suburb of Nottingham, a place with good schools, growing housing and well connected to both the city and the countryside.

Today we sense God calling us to invest more in the next generation and to grow our leadership for the future. That's why we are excited about this appointment.

This is more than a job; it's an opportunity to be part of what God is doing now and help shape what He will do next.

We're looking for someone with a heart for young people, a passion for making disciples and a hunger to grow as a leader.

If you share our vision, we would love to explore this opportunity with you

With best wishes

Mark

Mark Hopkins
Pastor



A Church of Word, Spirit & Partnership

Three words have shaped our identity from the very beginning and continue to define who we are today:



WORD: We are rooted in the evangelical tradition, believing that the Bible is God's authoritative Word and the foundation for our faith and life.



SPIRIT: We long to see lives transformed through His presence and power, enabling us to continue the ministry of Jesus in word, works, and wonders. Prayer and dependence upon the Holy Spirit are central to all we do.



PARTNERSHIP: We believe the Church is strongest when churches work together. We are part of the Ground Level Network and value the relationships, encouragement, and accountability that come from belonging.

Partnership also shapes our local mission. We actively work alongside other churches and Christian organisations across Arnold and Nottingham, and are part of the Evangelical Alliance.

Our Vision

We long to see a community transformed by Jesus and lives released into all He has for them



LEARN & GROW

Seeing people find faith in Jesus and grow as wholehearted disciples.



OPEN HEARTS

Loving God, loving people and loving our community



VIBRANT LIVES

Filled with the Holy Spirit and living out our faith with boldness and joy.



EVANGELISM

Sharing Jesus, across our community and beyond - playing our part in God's mission

Assistant Pastor

Leading Youth & Young Adults & Growing in Church Leadership

We are looking for an Assistant Pastor to join our leadership team. This is an exciting opportunity for someone with a heart for the next generation, a passion for developing disciples, and a desire to grow in church leadership. They will become part of a church family that loves Jesus and is expectant that God still transforms lives today. Will you help us write the next chapter of The King's Church Arnold?

A Role with Room to Grow



The core focus of this role is leading our Youth ministry and pioneering a ministry among Young Adults, while also serving in church leadership. This would be three days per week (22.5 hrs), including some evenings and Sunday morning.



However, for candidates with the gifting, experience, and a desire to take on wider leadership responsibilities, this could be four or five days from the outset.



The role may commence on either a part-time or full-time basis, depending on the successful candidate's experience. There is opportunity for the role to grow in both responsibility and working hours over time.

*"We are not simply looking to fill a vacancy
we are looking to invest in a person"*



What will you be doing?

You will play a key role in both our ministry with young people and the wider life and leadership of the church

Youth & Young Adults

- Providing visionary leadership for our ministry among young people aged 11–18.
- Leading, encouraging, and developing our committed team of volunteers working with young people.
- Creating and partaking in an intentional culture of discipleship among young people.
- Pioneering and establishing a Young Adults ministry.
- Helping young people discover, develop, and use their spiritual gifts.
- Encouraging young people to participate fully in the life and mission of the church.
- Creating opportunities for outreach, mission and community engagement among the next generation.

Leadership & Pastoral Ministry

- Serving as an active member of the Church Leadership Team, contributing to the spiritual leadership and strategic direction of the church.
- Helping shape the culture, vision and future direction of The King's Church Arnold.
- Growing in leadership through mentoring, shared responsibility and opportunities to develop your gifts.
- Participating in wider areas of church life according to your gifting, experience and the needs of the church (such as preaching, discipleship, pastoral care, evangelism, worship, media or communications).
- Building meaningful relationships across the church through pastoral care, encouragement and discipleship.
- Encouraging, supporting and developing ministry volunteers.
- Helping plan and deliver church events, courses and special services.
- Building positive relationships with other churches, ministries and organisations within the local community.



Who we are looking for?

We're looking for someone whose character, calling, and leadership potential align with the vision and values of The King's Church Arnold.

Character

- A follower of Jesus who sees ministry as a calling rather than simply a job.
- A passion to share your own faith and see young people growing in theirs.
- A mature Christian whose lifestyle reflects biblical values.
- Humble, teachable and committed to ongoing personal and spiritual growth.
- Prayerful, servant-hearted and emotionally healthy.
- In agreement with the values, vision and doctrinal statement of The King's Church Arnold

Leadership

- Experience of leading and working with young people.
- Experience of leading ministry, volunteers or teams within a church setting.
- Able to communicate vision, motivate others, and build healthy teams.
- Excited by the opportunity to grow as a church leader.

Ministry

- A heart for discipleship and developing others in their faith.
- Missional in outlook, with a desire to reach people with the good news of Jesus.
- Flexible and willing to serve wherever needed.

Skills

- Time management - the ability to successfully organise available time between the many aspects of the role
- Good organisational skills for self and others
- Good interpersonal skills, including speaking on a one-to-one basis and to larger groups, including church services.



Why you should join us?

What we offer:

- An opportunity to play a significant role in the life and leadership of a growing church.
- The opportunity to help shape the future of a growing church while being intentionally encouraged and developed in your own leadership and ministry through mentoring, coaching, and opportunities to grow.
- Freedom to pioneer and shape ministry among Youth and Young Adults.
- The opportunity for the role to grow in responsibility and hours over time.
- A healthy church culture where teamwork, prayer and discipleship are valued.
- Membership of the Ground Level Network, providing wider relationships, support and training opportunities.
- Depending on experience and specific roles, a salary between £28,000 and £31,000 (full-time equivalent)
- A generous holiday allowance of 28 days plus bank holidays (pro-rata)
- The possibility of a relocation package.

Genuine Occupational Requirement

It is a Genuine Occupational Requirement that the holder of this post is a practising Christian (Equality Act 2010, Part 1, Schedule 9) whose beliefs and lifestyle are consistent with the values and doctrine of The King's Church Arnold. The successful applicant will also be expected to become (or already be) a worshipping member of The King's Church Arnold, reflecting our vision and charitable objective of advancing the Christian faith.

We can only accept applications from people who already have the right to work in the UK. The King's Church Arnold is unable to support anyone looking to gain a work visa.



Join our Team

We would love to hear from you if you believe God may be calling you to serve at The King's Church Arnold.

Although there is a closing date, applications will be considered as they are received; we therefore encourage anyone interested in the role to express their interest and apply as soon as possible.

Closing date: 30th September 2026

Application forms can be found on our website:
thekingschurcharnold.org.uk

To apply or to talk further about the opportunity, please contact:
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