



City of Doncaster Council

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Dear Father Stephen,

It was great to meet with you and Father Adam to discuss the work that you are doing in the diocese and as part of the Love Doncaster project. Doncaster has made a great deal of progress in recent years in terms of partnership working to tackle community issues, and the team at the Minster has been an integral part of that, so I'm excited to hear about your plans for the city centre mission, and the additional offer that you will provide, particularly to some of our most vulnerable residents.

Doncaster Council is more than happy to express our support for the recruitment of a new Vicar of Doncaster, as well as an Oversight Minister of Doncaster Centre, to include St James and St Vincent's Mission in Priory Walk. Please let me know if we can help support this process in any way.

Working together across all organisations, business and community, secular and faith based, is one of Doncaster's key strengths, and we welcome every opportunity to do so. The Love Doncaster project, and the work that you are doing in the diocese in general, benefits our city greatly, and we both appreciate your commitment to Doncaster and look forward to continuing to work with you for the benefit of all our residents.

Many thanks,

Jonny

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