

Shaping our future together

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Dear Friends and Neighbours,

We always knew the time would come when we will benefit from having a Project Manager on board, and so I am pleased to introduce David and Gareth from Habitat for Humanity.

They are helping us in the slow-moving stages of negotiations with Haringey planners. The official response from the Planning Department to our Pre-Application meetings (held in December 2017 and January 2018) was very positive. We are currently working towards something called a QRP (Quality Review Panel), which is an assessment by industry professionals appointed by Haringey, not only of our design hopes, but of how the development needs to look and feel so we can be polite to our neighbours, which is a priority for us.

When we get beyond this stage, and before a planning application is made, we look forward to hosting an architect-led exhibition of our intentions. We can't be sure when this will be, but realistically it is likely to be late 2018 or early 2019. Please be assured that we will keep you informed when this is about to happen so that you can come to Hornsey Parish Church and see some of the exciting plans we are developing for the future of our site.

With my best wishes,

Fr. Bruce Batstone.



Gareth Hepworth, CEO

David Clare, Business Development Manager

Habitat for Humanity - Project Managers

Habitat for Humanity is an international non-denominational Christian charity. In London we have three main streams of work: refurbishment of buildings used as housing by charitable partners; conversion of underused buildings and land into affordable accommodation; and advising charitable partners on the development of their land and buildings. It is in the last context that we are pleased to be engaged by Hornsey Parish Church as Project Managers.

Our role is focussed on the interface between the church and the numerous other partners and consultants who will need to be engaged in order for the project to succeed. We are able to speak both the language of the church as well as the technical language that will need to be spoken as the project develops. We also hope that in our role we will free up church staff and volunteers to carry on running a vibrant church with the redevelopment taking place around them.



Working Sketch

