

Bishop's Reviewers Resources

The following is a list of links to various resources Bishop's Reviewers may use in their conversations with clergy as part of the MDR process.

Flourishing in Ministry

Flourishing in Ministry is a resource from the Diocese of Oxford which adds to the wealth of materials already available that can support each of us in our formation and personal resilience. More information and a copy of the booklet can be found at the following link: <https://www.oxford.anglican.org/mission-ministry/flourishing-in-ministry/>

Flourishing Together in Church Leadership

Flourishing Together in Church Leadership is for everyone who exercises a leadership role in the local church, whatever it may be. It is our prayer that this resource will encourage and support you with examples of good practice in shared leadership, so that you can flourish within your role, and we can together work in a vibrant, Christ-like church for the sake of God's world. More information and a copy of the booklet can be found at the following link: <https://www.oxford.anglican.org/mission-ministry/flourishing-together/>

Continuing Ministerial Development

Oxford Diocese is committed to encouraging a culture of life-long learning among its clergy and licensed lay ministers (LLMs). On these diocesan CMD pages we offer a guide to ministerial development and some resources to help you flourish in your ministry. They are intended for all in licensed lay ministry and for all ordained ministers who have completed their curacy, although you may find that some of the material is specifically intended for those in stipendiary ordained ministry. The link to the CMD pages is: <https://www.oxford.anglican.org/mission-ministry/ministry/cmd/>

Setting God's People Free

In the MDR Handbook the reasons for having MDR are set out and one of them is: MDR aims to foster a greater sense of collaboration between clergy and those they serve alongside, particularly following the "Setting God's People Free" vision, by enabling clergy to be more focused in their ministry and encouraging them to share that focus with others within their context.

The link to the "Setting God's people free" vision is:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/about/renewal-reform/setting-gods-people-free>