**Growing our Churches with Leading *Your* Church into Growth (LyCiG):**

**Why are we here?** - Today we explore how we can see:

* **People**: growth in numbers of followers of Jesus
* **Depth**: growth as disciples of Jesus
* **Mission**: growth in loving service to our local communities.

We’re introducing LyCiG - a Church of England supported programme (developed over 25+ years) that has helped hundreds of churches across England move from plateau or decline into new life.

**What is LyCiG?**

A practical, team-based approach closely aligned to the diocesan vision of **“Changed Lives, Changing Lives”**

* ***Encourages*** whole-church participation,
* ***Develops*** a simple, local growth plan,
* ***Builds*** a culture of prayerful expectation.

**What impact has LyCiG had?**

* A rural benefice grew by 30% after focusing on invitation & lay discipleship.
* A village church doubled Messy Church attendance by investing in young families.
* A mid-sized town church reshaped its PCC to be mission-focused and saw new people coming to faith.

**What about us?**

· The next LyCiG course is being planned for **summer 2026**

· What would it take to **get a team together** to attend the next LyCiG course?

· To register your interest for **early bird booking** use the QR Code



*Diocesan Mission & Ministry Team*