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The Rt Reverend Andrew Proud, the Bishop of Reading, visits All Saints Wokingham.

## Bishop's All Saints visit

THE newly appointed Bishop of Reading made his first visit to Wokingham this month to confirm four people and welcome a new member into the Church of England.

The Rt Reverend Andrew Proud was welcomed by the congregation at All Saints Church in Wiltshire Road for the service on Wednesday, July 13.

Reverend Canon David Hodgson, rector of All Saints Wokingham, said: "It was really good.

"It was the first time that the

bishop of Reading has come to All Saints.

"I have met him myself before but a lot of people in Wokingham had not so that was good and we had a nice buffet supper afterwards."

During the service three parishioners from All Saints Church were confirmed alongside one from St James' Church in Finchampstead.

A former Roman Catholic was also welcomed into the Church of England after deciding to convert.