



**My name is Anesia Nascimento de Jesus Cook.**

**I was born and raised in Sao Paulo, Brazil. In my youth I worked in dental care and, after graduating in journalism, as a radio and newspaper reporter in a Christian media centre.**

**I was ordained priest in 1993 in the Episcopal Anglican Church of Brazil, after which I became priest of a large parish in the outskirts of Porto Alegre. Later I attended an Ecumenical Studies course in Geneva, and took Theology and Religion MA at St John's, York (having moved to England in 1995).**

**I have been the Vicar of St Peter & Oswald's Church in the Diocese of Sheffield since 2015, my fourth parish post in Sheffield.**

**My experience includes a former mining community, a rural town, council housing estates, Rotherham Minster, and now a more middle class and ethnically diverse area.**

**I'm married and have friends from all walks of life, of different religions and none.**

**Some of my other interests include justice, peace and environmental issues, liturgy in urban settings, Celtic and other spiritualities, multi-cultural ministry, and multi-faith dialogue.**

**Although I describe myself as a Liberal Inclusive Catholic, I value and respect the gifts that other traditions offer to the Church. I have a strong faith and contemplative spirituality. I'm very positive and enjoy dialogue, and seeing people discover for themselves the love of God in the world.**

**As Diocesan Vocations Advisor over several years, I love the privilege of being with people discerning their vocation. I try to provide a supportive, non-judgemental, reflective and challenging approach. I have accompanied people of many different religious backgrounds, ages, genders, social class, white, BAME and dual heritage people.**

**I am available for mentoring (in English or Portuguese), face-to-face, via video-link or over the phone, monthly or as necessary.**

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