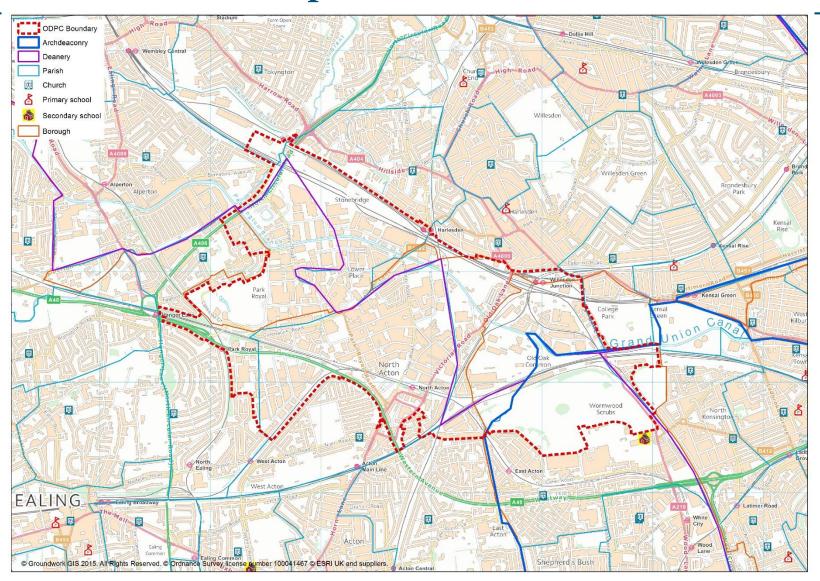


## **Old Oak and Park Royal**

## Strategy and Action Plan

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# A development corporation, 3 boroughs, 3 archdeaconries, 16 parishes – 6 most affected



## New churches for an expanding city



St Mark, Kensal Rise 1914



St Gabriel, North Acton 1929-31



St Katherine, East Acton rebuilt 1958-9

## Old Oak and Park Royal: Strategy and Action Plan 2016 - 2026



650 ha 25,500 homes; 56,000 new residents; 65,000 jobs 250,000 passengers a day at Old Oak interchange

### Long term strategy

To develop more than one sustainable, conspicuous church presence at the heart of the new Old Oak and Park Royal community within the next 20-30 years

- to agree an approach that will generate surplus development value from existing assets to invest in the Old Oak development and
- to prepare financial, planning and development plans for selected sites

### **Interim Strategy**

To influence the regeneration programme and build up a meanwhile/interim presence through:

- supporting local parishes in promoting and extending their work to the new community
- identifying site(s) for and delivering a 'floating church' and interim canal-side presence and
- construction and/or preparation for use of interim sites
- Supporting the local community through a period of major change.

## An interim solution – a floating church



#### Phase 1: 2017 - 2019

#### Key Actions include:

- Responding constructively to Old Oak projects & plans
- Making the case for interim and permanent church presence
- Option appraisal for St Katherine's Westway (full or redevelopment, partial redevelopment or relocation)

- Investigating the case for an industrial chaplain for Park Royal
- Possible mooring sites for 'floating church'
- Education strategy
- Community development workers/pioneer ministers
- Social enterprise partner

#### Phase 2 - 3 2019 - 2021

#### Key actions include:

- Identify site and finance for conspicuous interim/permanent presence
- Communication strategy for residents, businesses and visitors
- Initiatives to support construction workforce

## Old Oak Park 6,500 homes 8,000 new jobs



## New churches for the 21st century



St Mary at Eton, Hackney Wick

Holy Trinity CoE primary school, Dalston





St Peter OneStonegrove, Edgware

St Francis at the Engine Room, Tottenham Hale



## St Francis at the Engine Room



#### Finance & Governance

- Up to £215,000 LDBF funds
- Local Steering Group
- Local Parishes, other Christian organisations
- Programme Management Officer