The Venerable Alan Jeans

Alan trained and practiced as a Building Surveyor, prior to training for the Ordained Ministry in the Church of England. Having served in parishes in Dorset and Wiltshire, Alan was appointed the Archdeacon of Sarum in 2003. He is a member of the Cathedral Chapter of Salisbury Cathedral.

Alan has also served as an Army Cadet Force Chaplain since 2002, and is the Honorary Chaplain to the Rifles Association.

Alan lives in Salisbury, with his wife Anita, a Legal Clerk. They have two grown-up daughters; one teaching in Cardiff, and one working for English Heritage in Swindon.

In his spare time, Alan enjoys long-distance walking, maintaining a 1962 Land Rover, and racing a 1996 MGF.