

## Matthew Lockwood

Matt and his wife, Hannah, lead Beacon Church in Blackpool. They have Ezra (2) and another little one due this August. Originally from Suffolk, Matt became a Christian aged 13. Soon after Matt sensed a call to youth ministry, studying at Ridley Hall and spending a decade as a Youth Worker in Reigate and Blackheath. In Summer 2021, Matt and Hannah moved to Blackpool to be Eden Team Leaders at Beacon. There Matt felt a call to ordained ministry, specifically in underserved neighbourhoods. Matt's heart is for those on the margins to hear and know the hope of Jesus.