

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING AT ST MARY'S CHURCH KEYSOE, 7th April 2019

The Reverend Christine Clark, Assistant Rural Dean, had asked at the previous meeting if attendees were happy for her to Chair the meeting and all were in favour. Reverend Christine Clark took the Chair.

PRESENT:

Rev Christine Clark - Chair
Mrs J Carter. Churchwarden
9 parishioners

APOLOGIES:

Mrs Carol Ryan, Mr Bob Bryans, Mr Jeff Kearns, Mrs Pam Kearns, Mrs Edna Burton.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING 2018

These were distributed prior to the meeting were accepted and duly signed as a true record.

ELECTION OF PAROCHIAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LAITY TO THE PCC

Nomination	Proposer	Second
Robert Bryans	Mary Clay	Peggy Robins
Mary Clay	Jenny Carter	Robert Bryans
Peggy Robins	Caroline Griffin	Graham Dowrick
Ruth Gill	Doug Gill	Jenny Carter
Christine Cinnamon	Jenny Carter	Ruth Gill
John Maddison	Jeff Kearns	Pam Kearns

In addition Mrs Caroline Griffin agreed to be co-opted to the PCC for 1 year and to take over as safeguarding officer from Mr Jeff Kearns.

The above were duly elected.

ELECTION OF DEANERY SYNOD REPRESENTATIVE

Mrs Jenny Carter will serve for the final year before re-elections and Mrs Ruth Gill agreed to join her as Deanery Synod representative. She was proposed by Mrs Jenny Carter and seconded by Mrs Christine Cinnamon.

ELECTION OF SIDESMEN 2019

Mrs Laura Smith
Mr Bob Bryans
Mrs Peggy Robins
Mrs Caroline Griffin
Mr Graham Dowrick
Mr Jeff Kearns

APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

Mr Nick Robinson is willing to continue.

ELECTORAL ROLL

Following the full revision the Electoral Roll now stands at 29.

Mrs Penny Heming asked if this reduction would result in a reduced Parish Share.

The Chairman said that it would not immediately, as this was calculated over a three year period.

ANNUAL REPORTS

These had been circulated prior to the meeting.

A vote of thanks to Rev Jane Bass for all her hard work and dedication was proposed by Mrs Christine Cinnamond and seconded by Mrs Jenny Carter.

Mrs Carter thanked all for their support during her term as churchwarden. She was then presented with a gift in recognition of all her hard work.

Mr Jeff Kearns wished to stand down as safeguarding officer and Mrs Caroline Griffin agreed to take on this role.

All agreed acceptance of the Annual Reports.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

This was circulated prior to the meeting.

Mrs Heming asked why the Bellringers' fee appeared to have increased and was told that this would have been a decision made locally.

All were in favour of accepting the financial statement.

Reverend Christine Clarke was thanked for chairing the meeting before closing with prayers.

Date of next PCC meeting, 30th April 2019