

ST MARY'S, LINTON

A MEETING OF THE NEW PCC **Sunday 11th May 2025** *following the APCM*

Minutes

Present: Revd Paul Seaton Burn (Team Rector), Revd Michael Wilcockson, Jacqui Burge, Sue Ellis, Sarah King, James Suranga Perera, Ann Macer, Sue Mudge, David Watts and Ann Slaymaker as Secretary.

1. Apologies for Absence

Received from Andrew Cornell-Webb, David Parry-Smith and Cathy Watts.

2. Appointment of Secretary

Andrew Cornell-Webb is willing to stand again as Secretary: agreed unanimously.

3. Appointment of Treasurer

Sue Ellis is willing to continue as Treasurer: agreed unanimously.

4. Appointment of Welcomers

It was agreed that 'Welcomers' is a preferable term to 'Sidesmen'. Nanette Blackmore has discovered badge casings; the Rector will design new badges to incorporate first name and our logo.

8am proposed Welcomers: Margaret Cox, Michael Holden, Judy and Keith Nightingale, Rosemary Read, Judith and Richard Tonry.

10 am proposed Welcomers: Sue Filby, Andrew Gore, Sally Mitchell, Rosemary Read and Barry Roberts.

It was agreed to adopt these people as Welcomers.

5. Appointment of Committees

Standing Committee - Agreed: The Rector, Andrew Cornell-Webb (PCC Secretary), Jacqui Burge (Churchwarden), David Watts (Churchwarden), David Parry-Smith (Lay Chair), Sue Ellis (PCC representative), Michael Wilcockson (Associate Priest) and James Suranga Perera (PCC rep).

Finance Committee - Agreed: Chair: Sue Ellis, David Watts, Sarah Nickolls, Sue Mudge, John Organ (Stewardship Officer) and the Rector. Others may be co-opted.

Sue Ellis requested that mandates be amended to change the authorised signatories for the church bank account and CCLA investments, removing Helene Evans and adding Jacqui Burge. This was agreed unanimously.

Fabric Committee - Agreed: Chair: Barry Roberts, David Watts, Andrew Gore, Jackie Hall, Richard Tonry, Keith and Judy Nightingale, the Rector. John Thorne temporarily listed until confirmed or otherwise.

Events Committee - Agreed: Chair: Charlotte Dodd, Sue Ellis, Sue Mudge, Patricia Schofield, Anne Parry-Smith, Nanette Blackmore, Andrew Cornell-Webb, Cathy and David Watts, Jacqui Burge and Ann Macer. Hilary Angetter has been co-opted.

Pastoral Group - Agreed: Chair: Sue Filby, Hannah Foote, Jo George, Revd Lesley Gore, Cathy Watts, Revd Michael Wilcockson, Glynis Younger and the Rector. Sarah Thorne was also appointed, subject to her confirmation on return from her sabbatical.

Two PCC Representatives to the Friends - Agreed: Revd Michael Wilcockson, Ann Macer (and David Watts as Churchwarden).

Children and Young People Group - Agreed: Luci Neville, Moire Jarrit, Katherine Croxall, Revd Michael Wilcockson, Judy Day and the Rector. Gill Powell was also appointed, subject to her confirmation.

PCC Representatives to the Parish Council Churchyard Working Group Agreed: Andrew Gore and David Watts.

Beacon Youth Trust - Agreed: Revd Michael Wilcockson, Hannah Foote and David Watts.

The Anderson Trust - Agreed: Revd Michael Wilcockson, Jacqui Burge and David Watts (two Churchwardens and one PCC rep).

Foundation Governors at Linton Infant School - Agreed: Revd Michael Wilcockson (Chair of Governors), Cathy Watts, James Lake, Jacqui Burge, Luci Neville, Moire Jarritt, Katherine Croxall and one vacancy.

Date of future meetings:

To be held 7.30pm-9pm, Church Pavilion, Linton:

Monday 14th July
Monday 8th September
Monday 10th November
Monday 12th January 2026
Monday 9th March 2026

The meeting closed with silent prayer and the Grace at 1.09pm.