

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of Parishioners (Vestry Meeting) held in St. Anne's Church Turton on 25th October 2020 commencing at 12.15 p.m.

Chair: Revd. Canon Peter Reiss (Team Rector).

Secretary: Mr. R.M. Heron.

The format chosen for the meeting was implemented to comply with the central government Covid19 restrictions in place at the time, i.e. social distancing, use of hand sanitisers, wearing of face masks and recording contact details for all who entered the church.

The meeting was held in October as a result of restrictions prohibiting the scheduled April 2020 meeting taking place during a national lock down put in place to control the spread of the virus.

Annual Reports for the meeting were made available to parishioners on the parish website. The Team Rector thanked Mrs. Nikki Barlow for setting up this active website which had become invaluable for communication during the Covid19 restrictions.

Opening prayer.

1. **Apologies for absence.** Mr. S. Maguire, Mrs. J. Allsop, Mrs. S. Dickinson, Mrs. M. Webb, Mrs. S. Wilson, Mrs. D. Gent, Mr. D. Gent.
2. **Approval of the minutes of the Annual Vestry Meeting held on Sunday 7th April 2019.**
The minutes were approved as true record of the meeting held on that date.
3. **Matters arising from these minutes.**
There were no matters arising.
4. **Election of Churchwardens.**

Two nominations had been received, both persons having been formally proposed and seconded. Details available.

Mrs. Nikki Barlow.

Mr. H. Campbell.

Both were elected to serve as Churchwardens for a one year term.

The Team Rector led a vote of thanks to Mr. Simon Maguire who was stepping down as Churchwarden after serving 4 terms in the post.

Signed.....

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