MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ALL HALLOWS PCC HELD IN CHURCH

On Monday 12th February 2024 at 7.00pm

Present: Revd J Lamb, Ms D Ritchie, Mr J Rigby, Mrs E Wilson, Miss L Freeman, Miss J Smith, Mr G Thompson, Mrs P Thompson. Mrs P Yarnall.

The meeting was opened by Chair John Rigby opening prayers were said.

Item

Apologies were received from Revd K Williams, Mrs M Hicking, , Mr S Hicking, Mr G Francis,

1. Minutes of 8th January the minutes were accepted as an accurate record the meeting.

Agenda	Minute	Action	Date
2 Matters Arising	5.2 A reminder to those who still need to do reports for APCM booklet 8.3.3 Mansfield MVC and AH School choir event cancelled due to complications	EW Send reminders for Reports to be written	Deadline 6 th March
3 Correspondence	In Steve H absence a message read out regarding work required for repairing the organ plus a copy of the quotation from Greaves. Fundraising events discussed. Hope to attract a wide audience with a hymnathon	To raise £15000 max. SH Research available grants. EW apply for faulty list B JR create publicity	ASAP May 11th
4 Rector's Business	Closing date for Rector applications Jane Williams led a well received afternoon prayer service at Holy Trinity	JR to inform PCC with any news	18.02.24
5 Churchwardens' business	Cricket memorial. JR liaising with Jonathan Picket DAC advisor but waiting for more details from Neil Kendrick	Faculty can be applied for once details in place. EW / JR	ASAP
	2. School visits – try to arrange them for Easter to look at The Way of The Cross project/display	DR liaising with schools	Holy Week
	3. DR suggested having quality mugs printed to raise money for the organ.	DR to explore further	
	4. Proposal to PCC - charging for refreshments on Wednesdays. Questions were answered. Proposal DR, seconded EW all in favour. Sundays refreshments donations.	Advertising banner being produced & in pewleaflet & announce after Sunday service	Start 21.02.24
	5. There has been evidence of mice on the high altar and various other places	EW contact UPS for advice	ASAP
	6. EW asked PCC for permission to have a stall at Gedling Gala	All in agreement, insurance covered	06.07.24
6 Sexton's Report	Interments ongoing mostly for New Garden of Rest.		Ongoing

7. Wider	1. DR organised series of three Talks: Feb, March, April on Wednesdays pm with refreshments	First DR on Nottm Theatre Royal	21st Feb
7.1 Social Committee	2. Meeting to be arranged to organise Easter Bank Holiday coffee morning	DR call meeting Hall booked	BH 01.04.24
	3. Hymnathon as discussed item 3	SH, JR and choir	11.05.24
7.2 Memorial Hall	100 th Anniversary plans underway. Asking for any photos or memories for a display	EW, RW, DR & Jenny Hollingsworth	meeting 06.03.24
7.3 Deanery	Next meeting in All Hallows. JL leading the worship	Refreshments required AGM	25.04.24
7.4 The Ark	Joel has asked to use Church for a Service of Worship in celebration of their Anniversary	DR liaising with Joel	20.07.24
7.5.1 AHMF	The committee are organising events for the men: Dog Racing; Drax power station	Dog Racing	15.04.24
	Events for everyone: Summer Trip	River Trip	10.08.24
7.5.2 Ladies 'What Lunch'	Open to all ladies in the community. Regularly 12-14 attendees. Lunch and social chat	Linda Rigby contact	15.03.24
8 Younger 8.1 Safeguarding	In MH absence the current Safeguarding policy was received and with all in agreement the policy was signed by DR churchwarden	Policy to be publically displayed	
8.2 Messy Church	January meeting was well attended for 'Jonah & the Whale'. February theme 'Joseph's coat of many colours'. DR invites baptism families to MC	Team meet to put materials together on Wednesdays	17.02.24
8.3 All Hallows school	1. JL has encouraged 2 members of AH school to attend confirmation classes with their mothers	In church Wednesday afternoons	
	2. Steve Lincoln applied to be Foundation Gov and Graham Thompson as Freelance Gov.	DBS being carried out	19.03.24 next meet
9 Deeper 9.1 Ministers	1. PCC asked GT for more detail about his proposed 'Football & Faith' course. Discussion took place with concern that GT may be taking on too many ventures as he is also leading a Lent course.	After Lent advertise at school for 8-12 years Input from John Allister	
	2. JL preparing a young lady from Colwick St John's parish for confirmation The younger people from All Hallows will take longer to be ready for confirmation	Preparation for the next confirmation	28.04.24
9.2 Pastoral	1. Care homes are becoming more open for visitors. Communion is being taken to people at home.		
9.3 Homegroups	LF reported that two new members have now got jobs and cannot attend the sessions but they are blessed with another new member.	Organising the Lent soup & roll& a craft stall with knitted goods etc. for Christian Aid	02.03.24

10 Business	1. Budget discussed. Figures best guestimate	Pay full £44690 leaves	
10.1 Finance	based on 2023 and increase drive to look at	excess expenditure	
Papers circulated	increased giving	(£10690)	
	To balance the budget = £34000 to Diocese	(======,	
	2. Children Society = Christingle and some collection boxes	Sent £300	
	3. Electriticy contract up from 22p to 28p per unit. Now paying £211 per month	Additional £500 p.a.	
	3. Gas contract up from 2.39p per unit to 7p per unit plus 35p per day standing charge	Additional £2080 p.a.	
	4. Fee for LLM training & DBS check	£238	
	5. Mercury Alarm annual fee (part one)	£170	
	6. RSCM annual subs	£133	
	7. Restricted funds to organ appeal	£100.50 (online & R&S	
		return)	
10.2 Building Papers circulated	Academy roofing have checked and cleared all gutters.	Cost £300	Ongoing
	2. Churchyard lights turned off to save energy	Street lights sufficient	
10.3 Electoral Role	No applications at present. New roll in 2025		
12 AOB	Portia – Deanery Administrator advertising people who would like to help with maintenance work in the Spring/Summer	Help for Clearing paths and layby etc of weeds	Contact later
	Outreach Finance meeting arranged to discuss JL ideas with attracting regular funds	DR, JR, EW, Steve Lincoln and Bill Cox	15.02.24
	3. Donation made in memory of the late Raymond Topley to thank JL for her attention. Funds restricted for artwork/media.	Funds directed to costs associated with 'The Way of the Cross' Exhibition	Holy Week

The meeting ended with sharing of the Grace.

Meeting closed at 9.00 pm

Next meeting on Monday 11th March at 7.00pm in church office.