

Parish of Saffron Walden

Minutes of a Meeting of the Parishioners held at St Mary's Church, Saffron Walden at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday 7th April 2019

Chairman: Rev'd Canon David Tomlinson, Clerk to the meeting: Lisa Brook

Present: Martin Hugall, Mo Pullen, Mary Knight, Hilary Parry-Jones, Lesley Green, Kathleen Huey, Juliette Welch, Judith Hasler, Steve Hasler, Charis Withers, Tessa Pilsbury, John Mumford, Marisa Baltrock, Luciane Baltrock-Nitzsche, Shawn Martin, Chris Hall, Gill Lovegrove, Gillian Ram, Ronald Ram, Paddy Carver, Heather Finch, Alun Thomas, Noel Starr, Bron Ferland, Jim Butler, Pamela Mugliston, Mary Downing, Oli King, Jan Siewertsen, Farida Read, John Read, Mary Gardner, Gerald Gardner, Ruby Parsons, Rev'd Rachel Prior, Matt Williamson, Gill Caswell, Pamela Jenner, Clifford Want, Denis Tindley, Jenny Kirkaldy, Robin O'Neill, Lawrence Gooderham, Rufus Barnes, Margaret Barnes, Helen O'Neill, John Pickthorn, Sarah Pickthorn, Jenny Cottam, Graham Cottam, David Birchall, Hannah Razzell, Sue Birchall, Mike Felgate, Judith Felgate, Carolyn London, Christine Cowling, Lesley Lancaster, Kevin Halsall, Christine Ratcliffe, Diana Tyler, Gill Gibson, Roger Mance, Rev'd Paula Griffiths, Hazel Colebrooke, Rev'd Andy Colebrooke, Rev'd Angela Want

Apologies: Rev'd Canon Jenny Tomlinson, Rev'd John Saxon, Anna Martin, Richard Freeman, Jack and Diana Golding, Pam Russell, Bill Rose, Brenda Sheath

P19/1. Confirmation of the Notice convening the meeting.

The clerk to the meeting confirmed that notice of the meeting had been properly prepared for all three churches of the Parish.

P19/2. Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Parishioners held on 22nd April 2018

The minutes of the Meeting of the Parishioners held on 22nd April 2018 distributed prior to and at the meeting were taken as read. A resolution to approve the minutes as a true record of that meeting was passed by general acclamation.

P19/3. Election of two Churchwardens.

The Rector thanked Gill at the end of the learning curve of her first year as a churchwarden and paid tribute to her pastoral commitment and skill. He also thanked Denis, who has now completed two years, especially for his wisdom, clarity of thought and hard work without fuss.

Nominations had been received before the commencement of the meeting for:

- i. Gill Caswell nominated by William Rose and seconded by Pamela Jenner
- ii. Denis Tindley nominated by William Rose and seconded by Pamela Jenner.

There being no other nominations, Denis and Gill were pronounced duly elected with applause.

P19/4. Appointment of two Assistant Churchwardens

The Rector highlighted the superb job being carried out by the assistant church wardens who are reliable and conscientious and bring huge energy to this important role.

The following nominations had been received:

- i. William Rose nominated by Gill Caswell and seconded by Denis Tindley
- ii. Pamela Jenner nominated by Denis Tindley and seconded by William Rose

There being no other nominations, the aforesaid were duly elected with applause.

P19/5. Other business.

There being no other business the meeting was closed.