

# THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST MARY'S ALLITHWAITE

## Minutes of an extra PCC Meeting held on Sunday August 22<sup>nd</sup> in church at 10.30am

The meeting was called to discuss three specific matters that required a response before the next scheduled PCC meeting.

Present: S Bell (Chair), J Bell, Janice Tindale, John Tindale, Elisabeth Arthurs, Alan Hill, Elaine Baldry, Michael Jackson, Leslie Spring

Apologies: received from: S Wymer, M Fieldhouse, J Arthurs, J & J Lanham

### 1. Music / Singing / Serving drinks at services:

Opinions had been sought prior to the meeting. Following a discussion the following guidelines were agreed for future services. We would have “live” music and singing, people would be encouraged by service leaders to wear a mask whilst singing.

Drinks would be served after services, it being individual choice whether to partake.

This policy would be reviewed at the PCC meeting in September.

### 2. Digital Records:

The Diocese have engaged a company to create digital records of graveyards and parish registers. We are asked to confirm our inclusion in this project: this was duly approved.

**Action: JA to confirm with Diocese**

### 3. Interview for Interim Minister:

We have been asked to nominate 2 people to attend an interview for the preferred candidate for an interim post at Allithwaite and Flookburgh. The interview to take place on Tuesday August 31<sup>st</sup>. The meeting nominated Steve Bell and Alan Hill to be our representatives.

**Action: JA to inform the Bishop's PA**

If PCC have specific questions they would like asked at the interview, they should contact SB.

It was noted that MJ had raised a query with the Diocese regarding words relating to “Mission Team Leader” in the job description. He has not yet received a reply.

**Date of next meeting:** Tuesday September 14<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm