

THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST MARY'S ALLITHWAITE

Minutes of PCC Meeting held on Sunday April 21st 2024 at 12.05pm in Church

Present: Fiona Dowle; Rev Mark Houston; Michael Jackson MJ; John Lanham JL; Julie Lanham; Elaine Baldry; Alan Hill AH; Steve Bell SB; Les Spring; John Tindale JT; Janice Tindale; Jim Bloomer; Andrea Mason; Amanda Fogg; Georgina Sherwood

- 1. Opening Prayer:** led by Rev Mark
- 2. Apologies** June Donnelly; Helen Whitely; Michael Fieldhouse
3. Rev Mark Houston was elected PCC Chair.
4. Steve Bell was elected Vice Chair.
5. John Tindale was elected Treasurer. John said "he would do another year".
6. Georgina Sherwood was elected Parish Safeguarding Officer. Amanda Fogg was thanked most warmly for her lengthy service as our first Safeguarding Officer.
7. Jim Bloomer was elected Secretary.
8. The following dates were scheduled for PCC meetings. 20 May; 08 July; 16 Sep; 18 Nov; 20 Jan; 17 Mar. It was suggested that Standing Committee aim to meet 14 days earlier.
9. **AOB** In addition to the Treasurer expressing a desire to step down in 12 months' time, Michael Jackson advised that he would have completed a 6-year stint as Warden by 2025. Mark reminded us that turnover of roles was very healthy for organisations.

Jim Bloomer 23/04/24

Next Meeting on Mon 20 May 2024