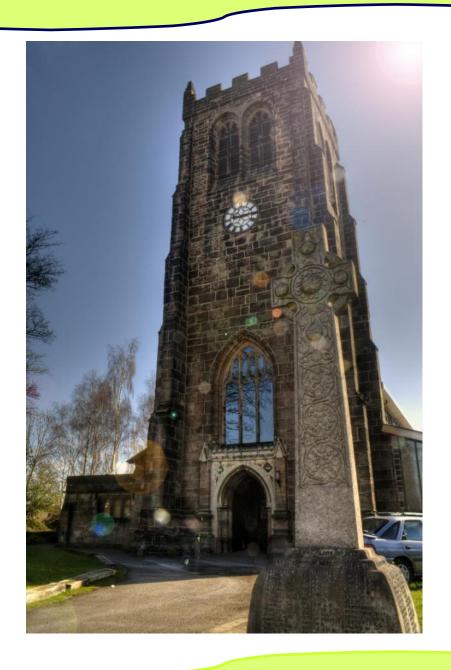
St Lawrence, Heanor



APCM Reports

Covering the year 2021 for the 2022 APCM

2021 Vestry Meeting Minutes

The Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Parishioners of St Lawrence Church, Heanor held on Sunday 25th April, 2021 on Zoom

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1	Opening Prayer The Vestry Meeting was opened in corporate prayer, led by the Chair: Rev Lisa Shemilt.
2.	Apologies Apologies were received from Leonie George
3.	Present on Zoom: Rev Lisa Schemilt, Anne Musson, Lisa Neal, Gary Morley, Kate Morley, Terry Smith, Maureen Walker, Christine Woodcock, Ralph Woodcock, Pearl Stirland, Dawn Lonsdale, Steven Lonsdale, Anne Turner, Joan Williamson Shane Guy, Sharon Smith. Also in attendance but without voting rights, Roy Moult, Marie Fowler and Sue Fowler
4.	Zoom Recording and Voting rights It is proposed that for minute taking purposes the Vestry Meeting will be recorded, All those living in the Parish and/ or on the electoral role have full voting rights in this meeting Proposed: Lisa Neal Seconded: Ann Turner All In favour
5.	Minutes of the Vestry Meeting of Sunday 6th September 2020 The Minutes of the Vestry Meeting of Sunday 6th September 2020, were Proposed: Kate Morley Seconded: terry Smith to be a correct record with recorded correction included of persons present in church. All in agreement.
6	Election of Churchwardens The nominations for Churchwardens are: Dawn Lonsdale proposed by Anne Musson, seconded by Sharon Smith Anne Musson proposed by Garry Morley, seconded by Sharon Smith The nominees were elected to serve for one year. Anne Musson and Dawn Lonsdale were duly elected to serve as Churchwardens at St Lawrence Parish Church, Heanor for one year 2021/22 Thanks were extended to the Church Wardens Dawn Lonsdale and Anne Musson for their work over the last year to ensure the Church is being kept in good order ad all their efforts to continue to enrich the community lives and worship of the Congregation.
	The Vestry Meeting was brought to a close

2021 APCM Minutes

THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING OF ST LAWRENCE PARISH CHURCH, HEANOR HELD ON SUNDAY 25th April 2021

1 Zoom Recording and Voting rights

It is proposed that the APCM is recorded for Minute taking purposes Whilst we welcome observers only those who are on the electoral role have voting rights in this meeting

This was taken as read as permission had already been granted

2 Minutes of the Meeting of Sunday 6th September 2020

The minutes of the Annual Parochial Church Meeting of Sunday the 6th September 2020

Proposed: Ann Turner

Seconded: Dawn Lonsdale

to be a correct record with recorded correction included of persons present in church.

All in agreement.

3. Receipt of the Electoral Roll

Electoral Roll Officer Sharon Smith presented the 2020 Electoral Roll number to be 23

This was proposed as a true record by Sharon Smith

Seconded: Pearl Stirland

All in agreement.

There will be a revised Electoral Roll in 2022

Thanks were extended to all those involved in the preparation and presentation of the Electoral Roll.

4. Deanery Synod Representatives

Thanks are extended to Anne Musson for serving as Deanery Synod Representative in 2020. Due to our electoral role having been registered as 20 in 2018 we are entitled to one (1) Deanery Synod Representative.

Anne Musson has been proposed by Sharon Smith

Seconded by Kate Morley

and is duly appointed uncontested to serve as Deanery Synod representative for St Lawrence

5. Election of PCC members

In order to re-establish our pattern of two members of the PCC standing for election each year Kate Morley elected last year has agreed to stand again for three year as of this year

There are therefore two vacancies for PCC members:

There are two nominations for PCC members in 2021 which were made prior to the Meeting. Nominees

Sharon Smith

Kate Morley

Sharon Smith proposed by Anne Musson, seconded by Kate Morley

Sharon Smith elected to serve for three years up to 2024 on the St Lawrence Parish Church Council.

Kate Morley proposed by Sharon Smith, seconded by Garry Morley

Kate Morley elected to serve for three years up to 2024 on the St Lawrence Parish Church Council.

Becky Moore has agreed to continue to serve as PCC Treasurer without voting rights in 2021

Our PCC for 2021 is

Church Wardens

Dawn Lonsdale

Anne Musson

Clergy:

Karen Padley (Vicar)

Lisa Shemilt (Associate Minister)

Reader:

Ann Turner

Deanery Synod Reps

Anne Musson (2023)

Elected Lay Members

Leonie George (2023) Kate Morley (2024)
Garry Morley (2023) Sharon Smith (2024)
Terry Smith (2022) Pearl Stirland (2022)

Appointment of Sides people

At the January 2019 meeting of the PCC following a discussion regarding a formally agreed Sides people who would serve as a pool of individuals who could be approached by the Church Warden Team to stand in for Church Wardens as needed for specific services.

The following people have been appointed to serve in this capacity in 2021

Garry Morley

Kate Morley

Leonie George

Steven Lonsdale

Sharon Smith

Pearl Stirland

Lisa Neale

Michelle Nixon

The above were proposed by Dawn Lonsdale

Seconded by Lisa Neal

And so duly appointed to carry out Duty Warden duties as requested.

7 Presentation of Accounts and Treasurers Report

The Independently Examined Accounts for 2020 were circulated prior to the meeting and discussed.

The 2020 Examined Accounts were

Proposed: Anne Musson Seconded: Ann Turner

All in agreement to be accepted.

Thanks were extended to the Treasurer Becky Moore for her time given to produce an accurate record of the PCC Accounts.

8 Appointment of Independent Examiner

Thanks were extended to Mr Brian Parker for acting as our Independent Examiner

The Appointment of Mr Brian Parker (Lay Chair of Deanery Synod) to serve as our Independ-

ent Financial examiner was Proposed: Rev Lisa Shemilt Seconded: Kate Morley

All in agreemen

9 Reports

The following Reports were circulated by email prior to the APCM.

"Vicar's" Report

Churchwardens

Mundy Junior School

Corfield Infant School

PCC

PCC Treasurer's & independent examiner's reports

Safeguarding

Lettings

Deanery Synod

Worship Committee

(copies of the report attached to the 2021 APCM minutes)

Thanks were given to Dawn Lonsdale for collating all the reports and to Anne Musson for circulating them.

10	Matters taken from the floor to be addressed by the PCC
	Leonie George had previously raised a question regarding Hall etc Lettings going forward.
	Rev Lisa Shemilt expanded on this topic regarding the current situation and what may be possible in the future depending on the current Covid pandemic.
11	Date of the next APCM The date of the next APCM will be decided at the next PCC Meeting.
12	Date of the next PCC Meting The next PCC Meeting: Tuesday 25th May 2021 by Zoom
13	The 2021 APCM was closed with the blessing

Attendance at 2021 APCM was the same as at Vestry Meeting

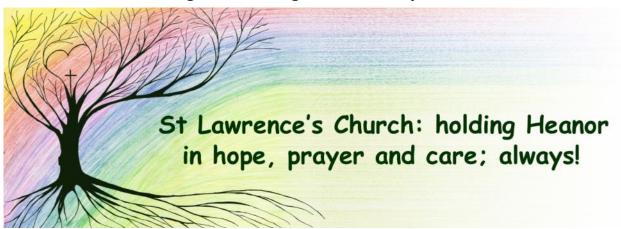
Churchwardens 2021

For another year Covid has brought its challenges for the Churchwarden team; changing guidance has meant that it has been a year of constantly reviewing and changing and many risk assessments!

We have operated for most of the year with the table format — which has made it easier for people to keep a level of social distancing that they feel comfortable with. Unfortunately this has meant that it has been impossible to host funerals at St Lawrence due to the need for the moving of so much furniture. As Easter approaches we have returned to a (more distanced), version of our traditional layout, but are maintaining the concept of signs that individuals can use to indicate they would like space around them. Throughout the year we have striven to find a balance between keeping people safe and maintaining that sense of community for the church family.

This year has seen the return of the church and hall groups — and this has generally gone well — with a few Covid breaks along the way! We have even welcomed a new regular 'Chair based exercise' group to the church.

Throughout the year we have kept the option of joining worship via Zoom open and this has enabled people who didn't feel confident to come into church, were isolating, ill, or caring for others to join the services.



Sunday 3rd April 2022 marked the first week that no one joined in on Zoom and the congregation was entirely together in the church building.

Facebook has been well used with Rev Lisa's sermons being posted weekly and a range of images and music links posted throughout the week that are linked to the weekly service. The St L's support group (closed group) on Facebook continues to be used as a resource for information for the community.

Ongoing maintenance has been undertaken throughout the year to maintain the church in good order; with a specialist provider who is experienced in church maintenance now working with us to ensure that we support the building in the best way we are able.

When the hiring groups returned to church it became clear that we needed a regular cleaner to undertake the tasks needed, and a cleaner has now been successfully appointed and is keeping the church in very good order and with a lot less cobwebs!

We are currently getting many requests by groups to use the church bells and are currently in discussion with our Deputy Tower Captain who is going to check the ropes and bells before any bookings are taken.

The church opened in March for the town centre Dino Day, and St Lawrence's had a stall using Unlock resources to encourage people to look for the joy in their lives – this was received well.

Planning for future events is taking place – including the Queen's Platinum Jubilee this year.



Heanor Community Fair— Innie Outie Markets 2021

Heanor Community Fair stopped because of Covid in April 2020.

After a long hiatus we came back in a smaller format and with a refreshed image and name in November 2021.

Stalls are now only in the body of the church allowing us around 20 stalls which makes it easier to run and gives customers more space to move around. The Café has been moved into the church hall, again affording more room and ease of setting up.

Though we have advertised with the new 'Innie, Outie Market, some members of the community haven't realised we have reopened and we are addressing this with a possible merging of the 2 names.

We have had some regular traders back and some new faces and hopeful our customer base will start to recover.

We have chosen, with the new start, to shorten our running hours from 1pm to a 12pm finish and have informed traders that there will be no fair in

August as well as January.
(Outdoor market is available for those that chose in these months)

There is no fair on June 4th 2022 as Heanor Vision is responsible for a Jubilee celebration in Heanor Memorial Park on this date. Traders have been offered space there.



Mundy Junior School

Stablished. 1891

A year in the life of a school at the moment is difficult to describe in simple terms. We obviously don't want to be



defined by the pandemic but neither can we ignore something which has had a profound effect on our children and school community. The children's experience of various lockdowns and restrictions can be likened to the complexity of a tapestry with so many threads interwoven. What the children of Mundy Junior School have needed is for us to take care of them by offering consistency, showing awareness of their needs and meeting them with thoughtfulness and kindness. It isn't always what you do but how you do it. As we gradually return to the amazingly interactive and community centred school we were, we are mindful of giving consideration to our staff as well as we navigate our way back to the future. So this year has been about healing and growing because rediscovering our soul is as important as narrow educational expectations. I wonder what our story will look like in a further twelve months.

Corfield Infant School Governors

The school has experienced another disruptive year with the pandemic causing problems with staff and pupil attendance. The Governors have met by Teams and face to face to discuss any concerns and ensure the school was meeting all proposals. During November the Governors were able to visit the school to meet the staff and pupils to experience the atmosphere and work of the school.

We were sorry to receive the resignation of Community Governor Shane Guy who had supported the school for over 10 years.

On the 13th October2021 an Ofsted Inspection took place. The Report was very favourable, they felt the pupils enjoyed going to school and the school had a happy atmosphere.

The school achieves their banner of "Achieve Believe and Care" The School received their Ofsted Report has Good which we were all very pleased to receive.

The school continues to thrive and we give thanks for the continuing work of the school has we look forward to a safe and secure future.

The school is struggling to recruit Governors if anyone would like to be involved with the work of the school and become part of the Governing Body please contact the school for more information

Foundation Governors
Pearl Stirland
Ann Turner

Parochial Church Council 2021

The Church year began with some Covid restrictions still in place.

Consequently, the Church APCM for last year was held via zoom on Sunday 25th April 2021.

The PCC has continued to meet on a regular 2 monthly basis via zoom.

We have continued to receive regular reports on Mission, Finance, Church and ground maintenance and Safeguarding.

Once again there have been challenges to overcome but the PCC continue to strive to maintain the smooth running of the Church with faith and prayer.

Sharon Smith PCC Secretary

Coat Hangers 2021

Since reopening in September, the children have made, amongst others:

Mother's Day homemade flowers
Clay pots for Davali lights
Remberance Day poster
Queen's Platinum Jubilee poster
Under the Sea poster for a local competition

They have the chance to play:
Wide variety of board games
Volleyball, badminton, football, basket/netball, cricket, archery, parachute games and more

Join in:

Halloween and Christmas Disco Easter Egg hunt and party

They also have a tuck shop for sweets and drinks

We have joined in the Christmas Fair and Dino Day, which raised funds. These funds have gone towards buying two high quality nets, which the kids asked for and new art equipment, which is always in need of replenishing.

And thanks to being located at the church hall, we have children from numerous local schools who get the chance to mix and hopefully make friends before the move onto secondary school.

PCC Finances



Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

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Report to the trustees/ members of	St Lawrence, Heanor, Pa	rochial Church C	ouncil
On accounts for the year ended	31 December 2021	Charity no (if any)	
Set out on pages	1 and 2		
	I report to the trustees on my exam ("the Trust") for the year ended 31		of the above charity
Responsibilities and basis of report	As the charity trustees of the Trust, accounts in accordance with the re Act").		
	I report in respect of my examination section 145 of the 2011 Act and in the applicable Directions given by the Act.	carrying out my examina	tion, I have followed
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Signed:		Date:	21 April 2022
Name:	Brian Parker		
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	n/a		
Address:	103 William Street		
1	Long Eaton		
	NG10 4GB		

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do not consider that these represent anything of a concent

PCC Finances 2021

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Income and expenditure to 31 December 2021 Although we, on paper show a profit for 2021 (TABLE ONE) the figures are misleading. 2021 income is disproportionally inflated due to an insurance claim amounting to £8387.03. Therefore actual income is £13015.34. We have spent £2289.40 of the insurance claim (we have £6098.26 ring fenced). If we disregard this money (TABLE TWO) and class it as an expenditure then the actual year end total is a loss of £744.84.

Overall, we as a PCC have managed the budget extremely affectively this year and to come out of a second year of 'zoom church' and lockdowns with a technical loss of under £1000 is amazing and we should all be very proud.

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Safeguarding 2021

Despite 2021 being another year of disruption due to the COVID pandemic things have still managed to move forward positively with the Safeguarding aspect of St Lawrence Church.

In a change to the Diocesan processes the Parish Safeguarding Officer has now been trained and authorised to do most of the administration for DBS checks locally. This makes it much more straightforward and avoids people having to make an appointment to meet with the Deanery Administrator.

We are now fully up to date with all necessary persons having undertaken DBS checks and completing all the relevant training needed.

We have also changed and formalised our processes for people wishing to hire the hall and/or church — and where applicable we are asking to see their own risk assessments and safeguarding policies as well as ascertaining that they have valid DBS in place where needed.



Lettings

The lettings for the church buildings have been on hold since March 2020 due to the Covid Pandemic.

We have taken the decision not to reopen during the winter months when this may have been possible for a short period as the blown air heating system wasn't suitable to be used and the building would have been too cold to have been used safely without any heating being

present.

We have kept in touch with the groups that usually use the church to ensure they understand the reasons why we have not been able to accept bookings during this time.

We are now looking at the building and preparing risk assessments to enable lettings to resume once this is safe and in line with government guidance.



Heanor Vision met every month in 2021; remotely until July 2021 then after holding a F2F for the first time in the year at Mundy C of E Junior School in September we began to and continue to meet at the Council Chambers in the Town Hall. Areas of activities we have been involved/instrumental in as a committee of 7 members over the past year are as follows:

Christmas activities

(Including Donkey trail, bollard sleeves, local business advertising and HLTC Christmas Lights and market)

Grants and Business Grants - help for the high street what can we do? Introduction of High Street vouchers

In-put in the Future High Street Fund AVBC

Get Out Get Active introduced and supported.

Shops opening and plans on how to support the shops including advertising campaign

Competitions on-line

Charles Hill plans

Ward boundaries

National Census

Green Belt consultation and information workshops

Planning applications including HMOs

Community Fair

Anti-social behaviour and criminality Heanor

HMO's the way forward - Article 4

Grants (Big Lottery, Bounce Back)

Grammar School update

Digitalising Heanor Grant

Art Exhibition and Competition

Innie/Outie Market introduction and re-start

Voucher Scheme

Town Advent Calendar

Carol Service

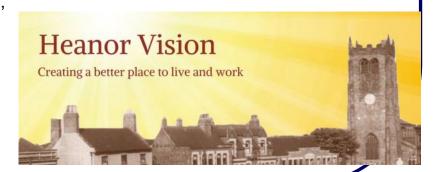
Christmas Lights switch on and Christmas Market

A Christmas Meal

Christmas Trail

Although it has been a different and difficult year at times, Heanor Vision have kept up momentum for supporting our community by driving activities, incentives, information distribution and access.

as well as events wherever possible, to enable Heanor to celebrate and be proud of the wonderful place we all call 'home'.

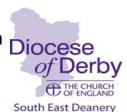


Deanery Synod 2021

Report on the proceedings of the Deanery Synod

For Annual Parochial Church Meetings: Church Representation Diocese rules: M5(1)(e)

The South East Derbyshire Deanery Synod met formally on three occasions in 2021.



In February we had to meet through 'Zoom' in order to keep everyone safe during the pandemic. Matt Barnes, Director of Mission and Ministry for the Diocese of Derby, gave a presentation on the diocesan vision and its ongoing development and roll out. The presentation led to a robust discussion and included questions about what distinguished this vision from earlier ones, the risk of stipendiary clergy becoming solely administrators, is the vision a challenge to the number of buildings we maintain.

We had hoped to meet in person for our June meeting, albeit in the open air. We had to revert to a 'Zoom' meeting in light of the ongoing pandemic. Our speaker was Bishop Malcolm who told us a bit about himself and his background and answered questions from members about his thoughts on topical issues and his thoughts on life in the deanery and diocese. There followed a wide-ranging discussion on a number of topics including: positive lessons learned from the pandemic; the national church vision; the environmental issues; the Living in Love and Faith initiative; the geographical challenges of the deanery.

In October, we were at last able to meet in person at St Andrew's, Langley Mill and our speaker was Jo Henderson-Merrygold who had recently been appointed at Lay Ministries Development Officer and Warden of Readers. She spoke of the effectiveness of shared ministry-lay and ordained- to represent the church and how we can encourage each other. She said there was no restriction on who can call for information and advice or on what they can ask. She was encouraged that 2021 has the largest group of trainee readers. Jo liaises with the National Lay Ministries Network to see how our ideas and practices compare and to look at other strategies. The ensuing debate covered the role of clergy in developing various forms of lay ministry and the challenges of the licensing requirements for lay members who had a gift of preaching and leading services.

Members of the Deanery Synod were the electoral body for the representatives of our deanery at the Derby Diocesan Synod. The following were elected:

Clergy: Rev Andrew Baguley, Rev Christine French, Rev Peter Hallsworth, Father David Lawrence-March, Rev James Lee, Rev Karen Padley, Rev Phil

Selby, Rev Tim Sumpter

Laity: Susan Cavill, Angela Clayton, Stella Collishaw, Ralph Homer, Rosemary Hoole, Meryl Lacey, Brian Parker, John Puxty, Jan Walker

Members of the Deanery Synod were also the electoral body for the representatives from the Derby Diocese to the General Synod. One worshipper from our deanery, Sue Cavill, was elected.

In addition to the formal work of the Deanery Synod, a number of other meetings and support had been offered across the deanery

Chapter meetings for clergy and readers were held regularly and had speakers including Jason Kennedy, diocesan missioner, Dwayne Engh, ordained ministries development officer and Hannah Hogg, safeguarding lead for the diocese as well as offering opportunities for discussion on how ministry was being offered around the deanery during the pandemic and sharing of ideas and advice.

Regular meetings were held for representatives of parishes without incumbents, to support and update them with worship resources and advice.

The deanery has continued to produce a newsletter approximately every eight weeks with news and individual articles and information for parishes.

As part of the development of youth work across the deanery we had planned to host a meeting with Bishop Malcom and some secondary school age young people. That had to be cancelled in light of the pandemic but a 'Zoom' meeting was held with a number of youth leaders and Bishop Libby met with some young people on her visit to the deanery.

Bishop Libby's visit also included a meeting at Marlpool open to everyone at which Libby was able to develop on the ideas of the diocesan vision.

On 1 December Bishop Malcolm preached at the Deanery Advent service at St Mary the Virgin, Ilkeston.

Considerable support has been provided by Angela Clayton our Deanery Administrator for the past five years. Angela retired at the end of 2021 and we were able to show our appreciation at the Advent service. Amanda Sandland was appointed as our administrator at the beginning of 2022.

Karen Padley- area dean; Brian Parker- lay chair

Worship Committee 2021

Worship Committee has met six times since the last APCM.

The sound system has been replaced and is successfully used in church and zoom worship.

Replacement laptops have been sourced and we are trialling software for use in worship.

We had ongoing discussions about health and safety measures that are needed during the covid pandemic. These included risk assessments, mask wearing, social distancing, how the church furniture is laid out to enable this and safe ways to provide communion services. We have recommended certain changes in consultation with our church family and we will continue to monitor this. We recommenced communion services in August and have some singing now during services.

We planned Christmas worship including Carols in the Park, Midnight Christmas Eve worship and Christmas Day worship.

We recommended new worship pattern to PCC that was approved.

1st Sunday: Formal Communion

2nd Sunday: Table Church

3rd Sunday: Communion table church

4th Sunday: Table Church

5th Sunday: Communion

We planned Lent and Easter worship, including a Lent course on zoom, and Ash Wednesday, Passover Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday worship in church.

We decided to continue posting Lisa's sermons on facebook.

Kate Morley

Morning prayer in church with Zoom x 25







Video Sermons almost weekly

Harvest Festival x1



Acts of Remembrance in the churchyard and park



Maundy Thursday and Good Friday worship

Christmas Carols in the Park and Midnight Communion Service





Christmas Morning Communion X1



Electoral Role Update May 2022

There are 25 people currently on the Role, 4 additions (Sharon and Mick and Jan) and 1 deceased (Christine) since last year.