

The Parish of Christ Church, Selly Park
Decision Minutes of Parochial Church Council Meeting
Tuesday 11 November 2022 at 7.30pm



Present: Janet Chalmers, Pat Clayton, Peter Frere, Martin Garrod, Ben Green, Adrian Jones, Becky Parnell, Graham Romp, Kate Routley, Amanda Smart (secretary), Ellie Wallace-Howell, Phelim O'Hare (Area Dean) for the Oversight Ministries discussion.

Apologies	Cheryl Homer
Oversight Ministries	<p>Visit from Phelim O'Hare, Area Dean. PCC ask questions regarding the plans for Oversight Ministries.</p> <p>Following Phelim's departure PCC voted on the options</p> <p>Ben clarified the options of joining with:</p> <p>1a) St Stephen's & Wulstans on its own. 1b) St Stephen's & St Wulstans and St Agnes</p> <p>Or:</p> <p>2) To not join an Oversight Area but continue to work with those churches we already work with both Church of England and other denominations.</p> <p>There was a secret ballot and a clear agreement for proposal 2.</p>
Vision and Mission Statement	<p>Ben updated PCC on the results from the working group looking at the ideas from the Away Day.</p> <p>PCC approved the direction of the action plan.</p>
Finance update including items of expenditure	<p>Mission budget allocation –PCC agreed to accept proposals.</p> <p>PCC agreed two proposals:</p> <p>Accept staff pay rise of 5% Common Fund with a gift of £1250.</p> <p>With the possibility of these being reviewed when income is subsequently confirmed</p> <p>PCC agreed the schedule of payments over £100.</p> <p>Adrian proposed that we retain the external examiner for this set of accounts. PCC agreed.</p> <p>Graham thanked Adrian and the Finance Committee.</p>

Dates for 2023 Meetings	It was agreed that PCC would meet on 31 January 2023 instead of 24 January.