

**THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. PETER, ROPLEY - ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING  
TO BE HELD IN ST PETER'S CHURCH, ROPLEY ON SUNDAY, 10<sup>th</sup> MAY, 2026 AT 11.15 AM**

**AGENDA**

**MEETING OF PARISHIONERS**

- 1. Prayers**
  - 2. Welcome** by the Reverend Amber Beresford.
  - 3. Apologies** for absence - Alan Parsonson
  - 4. Appointment of Churchwardens** - maximum of 2.
    - Sue Thomas: proposed by Jill Shakespeare and seconded by John Bate
    - Greville Dawson: proposed by Humphrey Carr and seconded by Eileen Adkins
- Close of meeting** of parishioners.

**ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING**

- 1. Opening remarks** – Reverend Amber Beresford
- 2. Apologies** for absence - Alan Parsonson
- 3. Approval of Minutes** of the 2025 APCM and matters arising.
- 4. Appointment of Deanery Synod members** - maximum of 2.
  - Christine Drewienkiewicz: proposed by Annie Beal, seconded by Roy Wyeth
  - One other place is available
- 5. Election of PCC members.**
  - i) The following members were elected in 2024 and will continue until the 2027 APCM: Barbara Pettegree, Julia Flory, Alan Parsonson.
  - ii) The following members were elected in 2025 and will continue until the 2028 APCM: Elizabeth Barley, Ron Beal, Alison Benton, Sarah Earthy, Sally Palmer, Alison Wood.
  - iii) **Proposed new PCC member** (2026 - 2029):
    - Sarah Rees: proposed by Sue Thomas and seconded by Humphrey Carr.
  - iv) **Co-opted members**
    - Andy Bonner: proposed by Sue Thomas and Greville Dawson

**6. Appointment of the Independent Examiner**

It is proposed that Lesley Chapman, ACA, be appointed as the Independent Examiner for 2026/27.

**7. Electoral Roll report, 2025**

Report to be given by Hilary Waller, Electoral Roll Officer.

**8. Annual Report and Accounts, 2025**

There will be an overview from the Vicar followed by an opportunity for questions on any of the issues detailed in the Annual Report and Accounts.

*(Note: The Annual Report and Accounts can be seen on the Benefice website.)*

**9. Terrier and Inventory Report**

**10. Safeguarding Report**

Report to be given by Wilma Hainsworth, Parish Safeguarding Officer.

**11. Looking to the Future – Reverend Amber Beresford.**

**12. Any Other Business**

**13. Date of next Meeting - To be advised**

**14. Blessing**