

PARISH MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday 18th June 2019 at 7.00 pm

Present: Father Paul Lomas (FP), Cath Cohen (CC), Carole McCann (CMC), Angela Dennehy (ADy), Paul Kirrane (PK), Julian Cearns (JC), Denise Hardman (DH), Joan Bleackley (JB), Ann Lyth (AL), Delia Lucas (DL), Collette McAndry (CM), Christine Bodley (CB),

Apologies: Ken Wedderburn (KW),

1. Fr Lomas opened the meeting with a prayer
2. The minutes of the previous meeting held on 14th May 2019 were read, signed and accepted as a true record.

3. Matters Arising

Matters arising were dealt with in the appropriate section

4. LITURGY

Father Jim was late for the 9am mass because came on the new bypass which doesn't mention Heald Green. Our thanks to Pauline for offering Father Keith transport when covering the 9am mass. Father Keith is in hospital we will remember him in our prayers. There has been a slow trickle of Baptisms so far this year.

Comments were passed on how beautiful the flowers have been.

5. YOUTH

5.1 The away day, for all 3 parishes went well. It was held here at Christ Church; they were keen to get involved in the Mass. Fr Chris commented on how quiet and respectful they were after communion.

6. SAFEGUARDING

All done bar 2.

7. JUSTICE AND PEACE

There is not going to be a J & P stall at the festival this year. Not been able to get enough material and not enough bodies to man it.

8. LPA/DEANERY

Nothing to report

9. MAINTENANCE

9.1 Office door lock faulty – **Action:** contact Phil

9.1 Meeting room, counting and office rooms have been decorated, also the presbytery kitchen.

10. PARISH HALL

10.1 Suggestion we have a roll down projector screen for when we have guest speakers

11. ECUMENISM

11.1 FP mentioned the invitation from Cheadle Mosque Friday 21st, it is too late for the newsletter

12. SOCIALS

12.1 BBQ – Now got tickets – buy from the office. £5 a ticket, Includes first burger/sausage, Extra burger/sausage on sale for £2. Will receive a raffle ticket with each purchase.

Buying from Butchers in Gatley and Herds –

Notice to go in newsletter to bring own drinks, glasses & chairs.

PK will lend a Gazebo

There will be background music

12.2 FP leaving – It was decided we would have a Cheese & Wine (with frills) on Saturday August 24th- **Action:** Notice to go in Newsletter

13. FUND RAISING

13.1 Parish draw winners

First Prize

Second Prize

No. 93 Celine Connolly

No. 45 Barry Schilling

14. Any other notified business/correspondence:

FP, discussion re Pilgrimage 2020 on hold until new PP arrives

15. Date of Next Meeting

Tuesday 23rd July at 7pm

The meeting ended with a prayer