



# PCC MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting held at 7.30pm on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023

<b>STATUS</b>
Approved
24.04.2023
(Public)

<b>Present</b>	Rachel Ambler, Chris Brown, Mark Ellis, Beth French, Danish Gill, Paul Langham, Susannah Mason, Oni Milne, Cluff Noon, Di Noon, Mark Orriss, Mark Parsons, Tavi Price, Dave Vernon, Sara Wadsworth
<b>Apologies</b>	John Butler, Mei Yen Furey, Mike Innes, Janet Lee
<b>Minutes</b>	Tavi Price

Item	Notes
<b>Welcome</b>	PL welcomed the meeting and shared that it was Oni Milne’s last evening with us before she leaves for London to be close to her children.
<b>A1 Big Agenda</b>	<p><b>Preparation for ministry and PCC review and celebration</b></p> <p>CB led this item and invited us all to gather around a table that had the names of various ministries printed on pieces of paper – we first took time to pray, offering thanks for each one.</p> <p>CB then explained that it would be good between the meeting and the APCM for each of us take the lead on one and assist on a second to get feedback on each of the various ministries, ready to share at the April PCC meeting. A review sheet was provided and CB asked that they be completed and returned to him by 20<sup>th</sup> April.</p>
<b>Additional item [Confidential]</b>	<b>[Notes from this item have been removed from the public minutes due to the confidential nature of the item]</b>
<b>A2 Same Sex Marriage – Deeper Thinking</b>	<p><b>Extended Input on Cultural and Biblical considerations regarding same sex marriage</b></p> <p>CB led this item, and the focus of his presentation was Grace and Truth and how we, as Christ Church, have the opportunity to demonstrate both of these in the context of human sexuality and relationships.</p> <p>CB aims were to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look at key moments in history that have brought us to this point</li> <li>• View these moments these through the lens of grace and truth</li> <li>• Identify how we can be a people who hold fast to truth and embody God’s grace in our decisions and action.</li> </ul> <p>Chris had done a lot of work on this and will send through confidential slides for PCC members to review and feed in questions for future discussion.</p> <p>Initially there was a thought to have a subgroup to look at this area in more detail but on reflection we need to work through this as a whole PCC as it affects us all as elected leaders of this church.</p> <p>The meeting paused to pray and reflect on what we had just heard.</p>
<b>B</b>	<b>Standing Items</b>
<b>B1 Apologies</b>	Apologies were received at the start of the meeting and noted above.
<b>B2 Minutes Paper 02 &amp; paper 03</b>	Minutes of the meeting on 27 <sup>th</sup> February and Notes from 6 <sup>th</sup> March were approved.

<b>B3 Review of PCC Action Tracker Paper 04</b>	The Action Tracker was not reviewed at this meeting due to time constraints.
<b>B4 Leadership Team's Points</b>	<p>The Leadership team have been looking at what they can learn following discussions with Chris &amp; Helena Whitwell and Lucy D'Orton Gibson. They have engaged with an outside leadership coach who is giving their most expensive package to CC for virtually nothing. They are a Christian and work for a global company who seek to bring godly leadership into every city on the planet! Each of the team has had a 3hr session with her and they will all be having a day with her as a team on the 29<sup>th</sup> March. Please be praying for that.</p> <p><b>[Notes of a Confidential item have been removed from the public minutes here.]</b></p> <p>PCC Members were asked to take a lead on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete the skills audit</li> <li>• Sign up to help during Holy week – 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> April 7-7.30am &amp; 9-9.30pm (in church)</li> <li>• Sign up to lead an hour of the vigil during the night hours of Easter Saturday 10pm till Easter Sunday 5am (just on zoom)</li> </ul>
<b>B6 Warden's points</b>	None
<b>B7 Safeguarding Update</b>	The Parish Safeguarding Officers are meeting on 28 <sup>th</sup> March.
<b>B8 Review of the meeting / actions / confidentiality</b>	<p>Confidential Items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Additional Item:</li> </ul> <p>Actions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A1: Meet with designated ministry area and prepare feedback for CB by 20<sup>th</sup> April (All)</li> <li>• Additional Item: Tweak MoU and ask Krystyna to Sign it (SM/MO), Issue SM with a copy of the Lone Working Policy (MP), Discuss lone working with Krystyna (SM/MO), Discuss signage with Krystyna (SM/MO)</li> <li>• A2: Circulate slides to PCC members (CB)</li> <li>• B4: Complete the skills audit, sign up to help over Easter (All)</li> </ul>
<b>Prayer and date of next meeting</b>	<p>The meeting gathered around Oni Milne to pray for her and honour her.</p> <p>We had shared cake and other goodies throughout the meeting that Oni had bought to share with us all. The general consensus was how much we would all miss Oni (the encourager and prayer warrior that she is) and her amazing gifts – she will leave a massive hole in PCC.</p> <p>Next meeting: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April @ 7.30pm</p>

### Future Meetings:

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April, 7:30pm

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May, 10am – Annual Church Family Meeting

PCC Weekend: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June, 7:30pm and Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June, 9:30am-4:30pm

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June, 7:30pm

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 7:30pm