

Begbroke St Michael Annual Parish Church Meeting – 4th July 2021

Churchwardens' report Begbroke St Michael APCM 4th July 2021.

GOODS AND ORNAMENTS OF THE CHURCH.

Not noted at the previous APCM was the addition of a wall mounted banner depicting St Michael. This banner was donated by Rosa Cadd in memory of her husband Peter.

BUILDING

The vestry conversion, completed in September 2020, has provided a long-awaited toilet facility, and the kitchenette is just recently able to be used for the provision of coffee after services. The upstairs robing area has proved useful and practical.

The Quinquennial inspection last October reminded us that we have a number of external stonework and pointing repairs to be performed in order to keep the building watertight. Costs for these works are estimated to be in the region of £28,000. Further the interior requires some refurbishment at an estimated cost of £10,000.

These works should be completed by the end of 2022.

CHURCHYARD

Repairs were made to the boundary wall in the south-eastern corner of the old graveyard occasioned by a yew tree which has now been removed. Also to the south-western corner of the new graveyard occasioned by deterioration through wind and rain.

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