



St Hilda's  
Ashford

# St Hilda's News

## **Vestry Meeting and APCM**

The 2020 Vestry meeting and APCM will be on **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April @ 11.30am**. In the current climate, the meeting will require some planning and consideration to ensure that all members of the electoral roll are able to participate.

Under current restrictions, the APCM/ Vestry meetings will be held in a hybrid format, the majority of participants will be invited to join by Zoom meeting (including telephone).

Those who do not have option of joining via Zoom can either join via telephone or request to attend the meeting in person. Attendance in person will be a restricted number to comply with current government and Church of England guidelines, so only those who don't have the facility will be considered to attend in person.

## **Zoom Registration**

All those wishing to attend will need to inform the Parish Office either by phone or email.

The Zoom meeting codes will then be shared with those individuals

An information pack will be distributed to all members on the electoral roll that will include copies of reports as well as guidance on how to use zoom, including how you can vote.

NB important to note that each member of the electoral roll will need to join the meeting separately to enable individual votes.

## **PCC Nominations**

One of the agenda items, will be the appointment of new PCC members and Deanery Synod representatives. We would encourage you to consider taking an active part in the community of St Hilda's.

- Any communicant who has been on the Electoral Roll for 6 months is able to stand in either capacity
- There are 7 positions to fill on the PCC for a term of office 3 until April 2023, and 4 until April 2024.
- In addition, there is 1 position for a Deanery Synod member for a period of office to April 2023

Nomination forms are available at the back of the Church or on request, and will need to be completed and returned to the PCC Secretary by 9am on 25<sup>th</sup> April. As part of the nomination process each nominee will be requested to write a short bio including:

- i. A little about themselves
- ii. What you will bring to the PCC
- iii. Why you would like to be part of the PCC.

Any questions please contact the Parish Office, *we are in difficult times and as such need to be flexible in our approach. Thank you for your understanding.*