



St Anne's Church, West Heath

Church Warden's Update

June 2026

This is the thirty seventh update.

The arrangements for church services during June are:

Thursday 4th June 10:30 am Holy Communion Service in St Francis Chapel led by Rev. Theresa Morton.

Sunday 7th June 10 am Holy Communion Service led by Ven. Gordon Steele, including J.A.M. Club.

Sunday 14th June 10 am Holy Communion Service led by Ven. Jenny Tomlinson, including J.A.M. Club.

Thursday 18th June 10:30 am Morning Prayer Service in St Francis Chapel led by Sylvia Fox, Reader.

Sunday 21st June 10 am Fathers' Day Service led by Georgina Arnold, Church Warden, including J.A.M. Club.

Thursday 25th June 10:30 am Morning Prayer Service in St Francis Chapel. Led by Sylvia Fox, Reader.

Sunday 28th June 10 am Morning Worship Service led by Georgina Arnold, Church Warden, including J.A.M. Club.

- The new PCC team met for the first time on Thursday 28th May. Chrissie Price was elected interim Chair until the new vicar arrives, Peter Baker was elected as Vice Chair, Georgina Arnold was elected as Treasurer with Moses Ogunbnsola agreeing to work alongside her in preparation for taking over this role. Liz Baker volunteered to be PCC secretary again.
- I would like to thank the choir and recorder group for their concert on Sunday 24th May which was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. There are a few photographs overleaf.
- Earlier in the year I asked the congregation for support in raising funds for the roof repairs and the electrical work that needed to be done. I would like to thank everyone who donated money, organised the raffle or bought raffle tickets, made or bought cakes, made or bought pocket crosses, organised or supported the plant sales. Between us we managed to raise a magnificent £6,728.89 which, with the money already set aside by the PCC more than covers the cost of the work we needed to have done. In fact I am now able to get a quote for replacing all the remaining lights with LED lights. This will help us to become a more eco-friendly church. Thank you.
- I would like to thank Laura James and her family who held a collection at Eric's funeral in aid of St Anne's Church. They have donated the marvellous sum of £404.04 to our church. The PCC will ensure that this money is spent wisely in memory of Eric.
- The electricians will be on site on Thursday 11th June to install new LED lights in church and in the corridors and to deal with a few electrical problems.
- We will be carrying out some maintenance work during the summer months including painting the exterior doors.
- If you would be willing to help maintain the church gardens please speak to Elaine who would be glad of any help offered.
- The PCC, the Church Leaders Team, the Pastoral Team and the Standing Committee continue to meet once a month. These meetings help us ensure that we are well organised during the interregnum.

If you have any questions, ideas or concerns about the interregnum please speak to me.

Thank you for your ongoing support, Georgina Arnold 30th May 2026

Choir and Recorder Group Spring Concert

