

## **Minutes of a meeting of the Friends of St. Margaret's**

**Monday, July 6, 2015**

The meeting was held at 10, Rectory Close, starting at 3.00 pm.

**Present:** Jean Garner, Ann Ward, Loraine Winn, Vicki Mynott, Jane Dunkley, Cameron Sinclair, Chrissie Turner, Ros Yardy, Dave Milne (Chairman) and Sue Milne.

**Apologies:** Ali Reid and Arthur Yardy.

**Minutes of last meeting:** The minutes of the meeting of May 27 were agreed and signed as a true record.

Dave welcomed Ros to the committee.

**Matters arising:** None

**Treasurer's Report:** Ann reported that she had £269.00 in petty cash, £2,491.81 in the deposit account and £8,572.10 in the current a/c.

**Scarecrow Weekend:** Arrangements were finalised. As many as possible would help set up the tables etc. for teas at 4pm on Friday, 10<sup>th</sup>, and help would be needed from 9.30 the next morning to set up the BBQ.

**Quinquennial report:** This had now been received. The cost of the inspection was almost £1,000, although it appeared that it may be possible to obtain a grant to cover some of this. It was agreed that this was a PCC expense but might be the subject of some negotiation. One of the areas of concern was some of the stonework at the lower part of the east window.

**Church kitchen:** Dave said that he had not yet spoken to the Diocesan Advisory Committee about this, but would do so.

**Ride and Stride:** Sue now had the paperwork and said that we would need to arrange cover in the church to greet visitors between 10am and 6 pm.

**Date of next meeting:** Monday, September 14 at **7.45 pm.**

**Any Other Business:** Sue said that, provided David Lake was available, the date of the Light for a Loved One switch-on this year would be Sunday, December 6. she would check this out with him.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 4.10 pm.