

## Wardens' report for 2024

As always, another busy year for work in and around the church, hall and grounds has passed with routine maintenance of the buildings and grounds to more major jobs on the Hall.

New window panes were installed in the corridor and meeting room to replace the blown ones. A new gas heater was installed in the meeting room after a routine inspection discovered a fault with the old one. An old heater was also removed from the vestry. This will now allow the vestry to be updated with new storage facilities.

Towards the end of the year the floor in the hall was sanded and re-sealed. It now looks amazing!

In the grounds a new noticeboard was installed, to replace the elderly rusted one. Some paving flags were levelled to avoid trip hazards and some new fencing was installed at the back of the field.

We are extremely grateful to the team of deputy wardens and all the other people who help us to keep the church, hall and grounds looking really nice – cleaners, gardeners, flower arrangers. Everyone has worked so hard and we were so well supported on our work days.

We would also like to express our thanks to Debie Blair, our Vicar, the ministry team, the sidespeople, the volunteers of our monthly community café, for maintaining our Christian worship and witness in our parish.

Carol Cosham and Neil Barnes