

THE PARISH OF WARBLETON
ANNUAL MEETINGS 2026
following the 11am service on Sunday 26th April at approximately 12pm in the church
followed by coffee in the church rooms

Opening Devotions

The Annual Parish Meeting for election of Churchwardens

(This is a joint meeting of those persons whose names are entered on the church electoral roll of the parish together with those persons resident in the parish whose names are entered on a register of local government electors by reason of such residence)

1. The approval of the minutes of last year's meeting
2. The election of 2 Churchwardens

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting

(Only those persons whose names are entered on the church electoral roll of the parish are eligible to speak and vote at the APCM but others attending the Annual Parish Meeting (above) are welcome to stay as observers)

1. Apologies for absence
2. The approval of the minutes of last year's meeting
3. Matters arising from last year's minutes
4. Reports:
 - a) The electoral roll officer to report on changes to the Electoral Roll since the last annual meeting
 - b) The PCC's Annual Report
 - c) Financial Statement of the PCC for the year ending 31st December
 - d) The churchwardens to Report on the Fabric, Goods and Ornaments of the church
 - e) Deanery Synod Report by Deanery Synod Representatives
 - f) Safeguarding Report by the Parish Safeguarding Officer

(Most of these are contained in the reports available here: <https://www.warbletonchurch.org.uk/apcm/> We do not intend to read them all out! Please note that these reports refer to the calendar year 2025.)

5. Election of up to 3 lay representatives to the Deanery Synod for a period of 3 years. (These representatives also become members of the PCC).
6. Election of up to 9 PCC members as representatives of the laity. (This is in addition to the church wardens, deanery synod representatives and the Reader)
7. Appointment of the Independent Examiner until next year's APCM
8. Rector's remarks
9. Any other business

Closing Prayer