

# Reordering of St John's Church

## Building a consensus

Results of the Consensus survey of all papers returned to the parish office by 6<sup>th</sup> July

\*Number of votes cast by the 96 who voted  
 \*\*The % figure is the highest result plus the 'Don't mind' compared with the 96 voters  
 NB Not everyone voted for every item.

		Include	Do not include	Don't mind
1	Modernise the west-end tower entrance with a proper draft lobby, and glass doors which enhance welcome and outreach	<b>*79</b> <b>**95%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>
2	Build on an external entrance foyer to the west tower to enhance welcome and visibility (see 'mood board'). This could include a toilet	<b>33</b>	<b>35</b> <b>59%</b>	<b>22</b>
3	Add a carbon neutral heating system	<b>70</b> <b>92%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>
4	Clear the nave and aisles of pews and replace with moveable seating	<b>55</b> <b>71%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>
5	Immediately as stage one of the project, clear the nave and aisles of pews and replace with moveable seating	<b>55</b> <b>72%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>14</b>
6	Add a Kitchenette/Servery at the back of the either the north or south aisles	<b>64</b> <b>84%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>17</b>
7	Add a toilet at the back of the either the north or south aisles	<b>59</b> <b>82%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>
8	Add a Multifunctional breakout room/children's corner/creche in the <u>south aisle</u>	<b>39</b> <b>78%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>36</b>
9	Add a Multifunctional breakout room/children's corner/creche in the <u>north aisle</u>	<b>24</b> <b>69%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>42</b>
10	Add a Multifunctional breakout room/children's corner/creche in a new room within the tower, above the level of the entrance. This room would have a view of the nave through a glass partition, and have limited access by a staircase	<b>13</b>	<b>39</b> <b>77%</b>	<b>35</b>

11	Add a balcony over an area at the back of the nave	<b>17</b>	<b>37</b> <b>76%</b>	<b>36</b>
12	Under the balcony (in 11) have a multifunctional space: both separated from the nave by a screen and incorporated at other times into the nave for big services	<b>16</b>	<b>36</b> <b>74%</b>	<b>35</b>
13	Reorder the chancel by removing the pews and replacing with moveable seating	<b>28</b>	<b>35</b> <b>64%</b>	<b>26</b>
14	Incorporate the churchyard into the High Street development	<b>36</b> <b>69%</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>30</b>

Complied by John McLennan

The Buildings for the Future Steering group (BTF), will use the consensus revealed above (and below) to steer its conversation with the Church Architect over the summer.

Thank you everyone for your responses.

Revd Stephen M'Caw (chair of BTF)