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Church: Donisthorpe: St John the Evangelist

Diocese: Leicester

Archdeaconry: Loughborough

Form 4A

(Rule 6.2)

Public Notice
(general form)

In the Consistory Court of the Diocese of Leicester

Church of Donisthorpe: St John the Evangelist

In the parish of Donisthorpe and Moira with Streeton-en-le-Field

NOTICE IS GIVEN that we are applying to the Consistory Court of the diocese for permission to carry out the following:

Re-ordering comprising: -

1. Remove existing nave pews, choir stalls, pulpit, vestry screen, storage area screens, inner tower doors, and dispose;
2. To remove and dispose of the pipe organ and associated blower, panelling etc.;
3. To take out the existing ground floor structures in the nave and chancel area and replace with new concrete suspended floor with stone and timber flooring finish and stone steps and a ramp to dais, carpeting on part of dais;
4. To relocate the existing font to the new dais;
5. To form a new reredos behind the altar incorporating storage;
6. To form new partitions to new WCs and storage area in the north-west part of the nave with panelled outer facing, plaster-boarded linings internally and anti-slip flooring; also including all associated plumbing and drainage;
7. Install new servery in the south-west part of the nave including serving counter, storage, sink and equipment; also including all associated plumbing and drainage;
8. Install new dado wall panelling to the walls of the nave incorporating enclosures to new fan convectors and pipework for new heating system;
9. Install new heating system including oil-fired boiler in the existing basement boiler house re-using existing flue;
10. To install tanking system to the walls and floor of the boiler house and new sump pump, and to install external hinged cover to the boiler house steps; to infill the old coal-chute in the south side of the boiler house and install new vented door to the boiler house entrance;
11. To install destratification fans to the Nave west wall;
12. To replace all electrical and lighting systems;
13. To install new audio-visual and hearing-aid loop systems;
14. To install a new fire alarm system
15. To form new foul drainage connection to the mains sewer in the highway including trenching through the churchyard under archaeological supervision;
16. To renew the existing water supply pipe through the churchyard in new HDPE pipe (subject to inspection of existing pipe) including trenching through the churchyard under archaeological supervision;
17. To form a new Vestry area in the tower at first floor level including installing a new floor structure in the tower to create a vestry ceiling, and lining the vestry walls and new ceiling in plasterboard, forming hatch to the clock-chamber access ladder and providing a door to the top of the old spiral stair; to line and provide a ceiling to the ground floor current storage room to provide a ground-floor robing space;
18. To install new glass doors to the inner tower/west porch entrance; to install new entrance matting system within the tower porch area; and to match the floor of the porch with the new floor in the church
19. To form an enlarged landing and steps outside the old vestry door in the south-east nave corner to form an emergency refuge for wheelchair users;
20. To generally redecorate the nave, chancel, new vestry, tower entrance porch including external doors, and boiler house new doors etc;
21. Introduction of the following furnishings:
 - a) 150 stacking chairs, manufacturer Alpha Furnishing Ltd. (see below)
 - b) 5 Dollies: 3 to stack and 2 to transport the chairs.

- c) 10 Folding tables and a storage transporter: 4ft circular, manufacturer Alpha Furnishing Ltd
 - d) New removable altar rails as included in architect's specification
 - e) 2 prayer desks and seats for ministers leading worship
 - f) 1 lectern
 - g) A new organ Makin Rydal
 - h) A new rail to the balcony to raise the height for safety reasons
22. Disposal of the following items from the Vestry: -
- a) Safe
 - b) Oak Table
 - c) Cupboard (used to contain robes & Communion requisites etc.)
 - d) Modern Rack shelving
 - e) Photocopier
 - f) 2 Piano Stools
23. Disposal of the following items from the Sanctuary / Chancel: -
- a) Altar Rails
 - b) Credence Table
 - c) Chairs and Prayer Desks
 - d) Prayer Desk and Choir Stalls
 - e) Lectern
 - f) Pulpit and brass rail
 - g) Pipe Organ
24. Disposal of the following items from the Nave: -
- a) 8 blue upholstered chairs
 - b) Piano
 - c) Kneelers
 - d) Runners on pews
 - e) Cupboard (for the storage of linen)
 - f) Shelving
 - g) Alms Box
 - h) Chair
 - i) Oak Table
 - j) Porch Pew
 - k) Screen
 - l) Contents of old hall kitchen
25. Disposal of the following items from the balcony
- a) Old Pew parts

Copies of the relevant plans and documents may be examined at

The Vicarage
High Street
Measham
DE12 7HZ

(If changes to a church are proposed, a copy of the petition and of any designs, plans, photographs and other documents that were submitted with it must be displayed in the church or at another place where they may be conveniently inspected by the public.)

Petitioners:

1. VIVIEN MARGARET ELPHICK, TEAM RECTOR
2. PETER MAURICE TOWNSEND, CHURCH WARDEN
3. PATRICIA ANN THOMAS, CHURCH WARDEN

Date 16/08/2020

If you wish to object to any of the works or proposals you should send a letter stating the grounds of your objection to The Diocesan Registrar at

c/o Stone King LLP
Boundary House
91 Charterhouse Street
London
EC1M 6HR

so that your letter reaches the registrar not later than 15/09/2020. A letter of objection must include your name and address and state whether you live in the parish and/or your name is entered on the church electoral roll of the parish or any other basis on which you have an interest in the matter.

Directions to petitioner

You must display this public notice (or a copy of it) for a continuous period of not less than 28 days, not counting the day on which it was put up or the day on which it is taken down, (or for such other period as the Court may direct and subject to any special directions of the registrar) in each of the following places:

1. on a notice board or in some other prominent position inside the church; and
2. on a notice board outside the church or in some other prominent position (whether on the outside of the church door or elsewhere) so that it can be read by the public.

Certificate of publication

I, _____(name), one of the petitioners, certify that a copy of this public notice was displayed during the period from 16/08/2020 to 15/09/2020 (inclusive)

1. on a notice board inside the church of Donisthorpe: St John the Evangelist; and
2. outside the church of Donisthorpe: St John the Evangelist, on a notice board [or on the principal door] [or _____] where it could be read by the public.

Signed _____ (signature of petitioner)

Date _____

Note: This certificate must be completed in full by making appropriate entries in the blank spaces and deleting that which does not apply. The public notice (or a copy) with a completed certificate of publication must be returned to the diocesan registrar once the period for the display of the notice has expired.