

Church Report for 2022 to 2023

Church Finances The balance in Barclay's

Community A/c was £4475.51 at the end of March

In Bank of Scotland Restoration Fund there was £7302.14.

Since then we have transferred £5000 from the Restoration Fund to Skipton Building Society Selected Charity A/c. which is paying 2.95% interest at the moment.

We have paid a large bill to ElecTech at Drayton for carrying out the compulsory Testing of the Church electric installations for the Insurance Company £354 for the Testing and £473.41 for the resulting repairs.

£1500 has been paid to the Diocese, half the bill for 2023. Last year £3000 was paid, being the full amount for the share for Stanfield Church, this goes towards paying for the clergy.

Thanks to the Parish Council for funding the upkeep of the Churchyard and to Steve for doing such a good job.

We have put a notice on the door following a few mystery visits presumably from a rough sleepers wet clothes and a bit of rubbish was left inside the church and the door of the fuse box was pulled off. Thanks to Roger for replacing it.

Thanks to Nigel Bonfret and family for ringing one of the bells for the coronation.

Many thanks to all who donate regularly and Ian Lyn & Jackie for organising the Horticultural Day. In 2022 £600 was donated by the Starling Harlequin Club and £700 will be presented in June. Lyn has organised Tombolas and the 100 Club raising over £500 in the last 12 months and the 100 Club raised £358 in 2022.

James Pearson has been appointed as official
Examiner for the Church accounts while he is
doing free of charge. The P.C.C thanks everyone
helping to keep the church open for the village
