

Ref: 2020-050912

Diocese: Ely

Church: Ely: St Mary

Archdeaconry: Huntingdon & Wisbech

Form 4A

(Rule 6.2)

Public Notice
(general form)

In the Consistory Court of the Diocese of Ely

Church of Ely: St Mary

In the parish of Ely

NOTICE IS GIVEN that we are applying to the Consistory Court of the diocese for permission to carry out the following: Internal re-ordering of the church to comprise removal of timber pews from nave, existing high altar, side chapel altar, choirstalls and existing timber screen in the tower arch; removal of pew platforms and existing floor surfaces and laying of new stone floor with underfloor heating; relocation of existing stone font to east end of south aisle. A new screen will be built across the east end of the chancel to provide a new vestry and storage space; the existing vestry at the west end will be converted into a servery with moveable servery bar in the south aisle, a new moveable glazed screen will be constructed to enclose a creche area at the west end of the nave and a new WC will be installed in the base of the tower; a new gallery will be constructed above with stair access from the north aisle. Ramped access will be provided from the east end of the north aisle onto the dais and into the chancel. Two new glazed doors will provide access from the side chapel into the churchyard and from the south aisle into the church hall. New timber chairs and folding tables will be provided and three of the historic oak pews will be retained in use in the side chapel. A new moveable timber altar will be built for the chancel and a new artwork, based around the form of a cross, will be provided for the wall above the altar. Electrical installations will be renewed including lighting, audio visuals and a hearing loop.

As detailed in:

Statement of needs

Statement of Significance

Archangel drawing numbers: 0406-111d, 131b, 132b, & 133b

PCC responses to DAC Jan & May 2019

3 rendered views of the chancel

Seating plan

Storage proposals

Sketch of chapel pier base

Responses from Historic England and Church Building Council

Photo of pew and holy table

DAC site visit notes 2017 & 2019

Copies of the relevant plans and documents may be examined at St Mary's Church website:

<https://www.stmarysely.org/building-transformation-project.html>

Petitioners:

1. CHRISTOPHER MURRAY HILL, RECTOR
2. DEREK FREDERICK TYE, CHURCHWARDEN
3. CHRISTINE JOAN WATSON, CHURCHWARDEN

Date 25/04/2020

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

Ely.Registry@1thesanctuary.com

so that your letter reaches the registrar not later than 25/05/2020. 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.