



THE FRIENDS OF ST JOHN'S CHURCH, CARDIFF

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NEWSLETTER

September 2023

Dear Friend,

Life in the church is getting back to normal after the problems of the pandemic, and it is pleasing to report that attendance at the Sunday morning service is almost back to what it was before covid. The church has been attracting some younger worshippers, to help it move forward to the future. We are hopeful that this will continue.

LOSS OF MEMBERS.

It is sad to report that in the past year we have lost several long-standing members of the Friends through death; Mr & Mrs O. Barnes, Mrs. Dorothy Evans, Mrs L Frampton, Mr. G Hamer, and significantly Mr. Paul Davies our Hon. Treasurer, who died unexpectedly at the end of last year. Tributes to them are given in the Annual Report. The Treasurer's work has been taken up by the Hon Secretary on an interim basis but we are in need of someone to take it over on a regular basis..

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

There will again be no Friends Annual Festival this year, but we will be holding our Annual General Meeting in the church on Sunday 22nd October at 11.15am, following the 10am morning service. It will again be a short formal meeting confined to essential business as required by law. Members are invited to attend the meeting, and the service beforehand, if they are able.

The Annual Report with notice of the meeting comes with this newsletter. Minutes of the 2022 Annual General Meeting are available on the Friends website.

Finally, can I offer best wishes to all members in the hope that our church life will be fully back to normal in the coming year.

Richard Hall, (Hon.Sec.)