

# Deanery Synod Report for 2021

Synod met 4 times in 2021.

## Allocation of Parish Share

During this year the Deanery moved to a Parish Share which is allocated on the basis of ministry costs. St Marys Wexham pays more than 5 other parishes. But if we calculate that against ministry costs (and ours are lower as we have a part-time incumbent), we pay, in percent of ministry costs terms, more than any other parish. The intention is that in considering whether to fill a vacancy, progress toward meeting Parish Share should be a consideration.

## New Area Dean

Rev Canon Janet Binns was appointed as our Area Dean late 2021. The appointment is for 3 years and is conditional on the Deanery making progress toward meeting its parish share.

## Deanery Synod Representatives

My thanks to Lynnette and Brian for agreeing to stand as Synod representatives. I continue to serve on the Deanery Standing and Finance Committee.

Andrew Parry  
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