



St Lawrence Church

LECHLADE-ON-THAMES

Restoration and Reordering Project Group (RRPG)

Newsletter 01

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This is the first of a series of Newsletters to report progress on the Restoration and Reordering Project Group (RRPG). We plan to produce a Newsletter every four months to keep you informed.

Thanks

Thanks to all who attended the meetings back in October and completed questionnaires. We have prepared a Summary Report on the Initial Consultation, a hard copy of this can be found at the back of St Lawrence Church and it will also appear on the Church website.

Progress

We have held a meeting with the Diocese church building officers and the Archdeacon to discuss our progress and initial Statement of Need. They were impressed with the work we have done so far in preparing our Objectives and Needs. We have been asked to test what facilities can be included within the church and also expand on the limitations of the cottage.

We are preparing the Statement of Need, which is essential to support our proposals to the DAC (Diocesan Advisory Committee). We have engaged an archaeologist to help us prepare the Statement of Significance, a second document required by the DAC.

Our next step following agreement of the Statements of Need and Significance with the DAC will be to appoint an architect to develop conceptual designs.

For comments or more details, please leave messages in the Church Cottage office or on parishofficelechlade@gmail.com for the attention of RRPG.

The Group

The RRPG has been expanded and now comprises of:

Andrew Cinnamond (Vicar), Paul Cobb, Susan Holmes (Churchwarden), Nigel Jones (PCC and Fabric Committee), Helen Jones, John Milne, David Turtle, David White and Shirley White