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Diocese: Chester **Archdeaconry:** Chester
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Form 3A

(Rule 5.3)

Petition for Faculty

(proceedings started pursuant to resolution of parochial church council)

To the Consistory Court of the Diocese of Chester

In the parish of St. Stephen, Prenton

Church of Prenton: St Stephen

Petitioners:

FULL NAME*	RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS* (including postcode)	OFFICE HELD*
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**Please use capital letters*

Please indicate here which of the above should be regarded as the contact address. A telephone number and email address should also be provided where possible.

Rev Matt Graham

Usually the minister and churchwardens should be the petitioners. Where that is not the case, please provide an explanation here (including details of the interest which it is said that a person who is not the minister or a churchwarden has in the matter).

I (Rosemary Earp) am former churchwarden and was one of those who initiated the petition. I stood down, in accordance with the church's rules, at the latest APCM, but offered to do this, to help the Vicar and current wardens. I am a member of the PCC and the Standing Committee.

We petition the Court for a faculty to authorise the following-

Please describe the works or other proposals for which a faculty is sought in the way recommended by the Diocesan Advisory Committee in its Notification of Advice.

SCHEDULE OF WORKS OR PROPOSALS

To update our two side-aisle relay screens by mounting them to the first pillar on the left and right of the building, via wall-mounted brackets and routing cables up the back of the pillars to a height that improves sightlines and eliminates the risks of trip hazards or hitting heads.

Copies of the Standard Information Form and any drawings, plans, specifications, photographs or other documents showing the proposals must be provided with this petition.

A. PROFESSIONAL ADVICE

Please answer this section in every case

Has the architect or surveyor appointed under section 45 of the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Care of
1. Churches Measure 2018 been -

a. engaged in connection with the proposals?

Yes

No

b. asked for general advice in relation to these proposals?

Yes

No

2. If another architect or surveyor is being engaged -

a. what is his or her name and address?

b. why is he or she being instructed in relation to the proposed works?

B. CHANGES TO THE INTERIOR AND/OR EXTERIOR OF THE CHURCH

Please answer this section if applicable. Otherwise proceed to section C

3. a. If changes to the interior and/or exterior of the church are proposed, has the PCC prepared a statement of significance and a statement of needs?

Yes

No

b. If the answer to a. is yes, please supply copies of the statements with this petition

c. If the answer to a. is no, what are the reasons for asking for permission for the proposals?

Please supply separate explanatory statement if more space is required

C. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please answer this section in every case

4. a. What is the estimated cost of the proposed works?

b. Who has estimated this cost? Tim Bull, Rock Salt

c. Are the proposals wholly to be paid for by someone other than the parochial church council or wholly from funds which have already been given to the PCC for the purpose of the proposals?

Yes No

d. If the answer to c. is no, how are the proposals to be paid for? (Please give figures in the boxes below)

From-

i. the PCC's current balance of funds that are available for the purpose

ii. gifts/legacies

iii. grants or fund raising

- already available	<input type="text" value="£"/>
- being sought	<input type="text" value="£"/>

If you are preparing a statement of needs or providing an explanatory statement under section 3.c., please include details of any fund raising strategy there.