

AREA DEANS' NOTES MARCH 2019

PEOPLE

We welcome Rev'd David as Priest in Charge of Chenies and Little Chalfont, Latimer and Flaunden, Revs Ian Jennings and Nnamdi Maduka who have joined the clergy team at Denham and Rev'd Matt Beeby as Rector of St James Gerrards Cross and St. James Fulmer.

Rt Rev John Went has now retired and moved to London.

We learned with sadness of the sudden death on Christmas Eve of Rev Hilary Wilson.

SAFEGUARDING

A reminder that all ordained and lay ministers must by law complete safeguarding training as prescribed by the Diocese and by law. Many lay workers must complete at least some level too. Please check with Dorothy our Deanery Sec if you are in any doubt. There are no exceptions! Parishes are also reminded that websites and church notice boards must display safeguarding policies and procedures prominently.

CONFIRMATIONS

Confirmation in the Deanery : 30th June, 4pm Denham
13th October, 6pm, Beaconsfield

VISITATIONS/INSPECTIONS THIS SUMMER

The Archdeacons visitation for Amersham and Slough Deaneries will be at St George Britwell on 23rd May.

Area Dean inspections will commence in April and will be to every parish or benefice that was not inspected in 2018. For churches not being inspected, the Area Dean Team can be requested to make a pastoral visit. Inspections will include a review of Mission Action Plans.