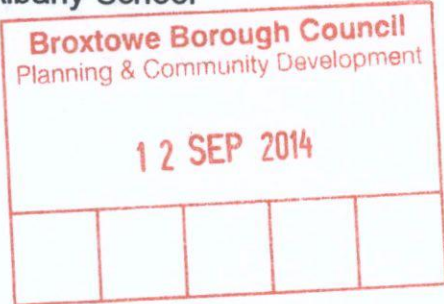


STATEMENT OF NEEDS, APPENDIX A;
RECENT USERS OF ST HELEN'S CHURCH

| Organisation / Group | Observations |
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| <p>Albany School</p>  | <p>Written comments and strong backing from Head. Urgent need for community room and toilets. Large numbers of pupils use church on a regular basis for curriculum activities, concerts and school services. Community room required for study, school services, concert and general preparation.</p> |
| Baptism outside normal service time | |
| Baptism Preparation | |
| Bereavement service | |
| CHIPPS (Pastoral care training) | <p>10 week, Diocesan validated course involving cross community delegates. It requires complimentary space for teaching and spiritual reflection. Hence a need for a Community room and toilets. Also a variety of day workshops on topics such as Mental Health, Bereavement and Care of the Elderly requiring similar facilities.</p> |
| Choir practice | |
| Christmas Ball | <p>Church filled to capacity. Need for high levels of hospitality, which includes preparatory room and toilets for this important social occasion.</p> |
| Crib and Christingle Services | |
| Early Years Playgroup | |
| Fairfield School | <p>Regular use by school. Classroom and toilets urgently required. Letter of Support from Head teacher. Large groups of pupils access the beautiful building for both curricular and school services.</p> |
| Friendship Club | |

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| Funerals | |
| Heritage Open Day | Some elderly have reluctantly declined to come to this and similar occasions due to lack of toilets. |
| Leadership Meeting | A suitable room is needed for small confidential meetings when the hall is fully booked. |
| Messy Church | |
| Ministry Meeting | A suitable room is needed for small confidential meetings when the hall is fully booked. |
| New Year Service | |
| Pastoral Care | |
| PCC Meeting | The PCC meets in the church when the hall is fully booked. A separate room would be more comfortable and more appropriate (confidentiality issues). |
| Prayer Hour | |
| Prayer Ministry Meeting | A suitable room is needed for small confidential meetings when the hall is fully booked. |
| Renewal of Vows | |
| Saturday Sanctuary | |
| Small group (house group type) | A suitable room is needed for small confidential meetings when the hall is fully booked. |
| St John's College | |
| St John's School | Regular user of Church for curriculum and worship activities. Room required for control safety of pupils and education purposes. Large numbers involved. Concerts and services. Curriculum visits Letter of support from head teacher. |
| Stapleford Town Council Civic Service | Members of the councils had to robe and prepare for the service in the church office, an inadequate and inappropriate space. |

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| Stapleford Town Council Concert | Village Ventures have performed regularly at St Helens over the years. The professional performers do not have access to separate room in which to prepare nor rest during the interval. Written support from Town Mayor and Borough Mayor. |
| Sunday Services AM | Sunday School and crèche need more space. |
| Sunday Services PM | Youth group need meeting room. |
| Time Travelling (all local junior schools) | Letter of support from organisers. Regularly attract 200 local school children and their staff. Space is tight and hence need for an extra room. Also provides space for the activities not yet able to provide. Toilets required for the large groups of pupils using the church |
| Victorian Fayre | This included music by St. John's School. The performers did not have a separate room in which to prepare and rest during the interval. |
| Wadsworth Fields School | Use church regularly for curriculum work and church services. Head teachers see need for additional room for study and preparatory work to develop work further. Toilets are also essential for large number of pupils involved. |
| Walter Parker VC Service | A room needed where official party can gather. |
| Weddings | |
| Wedding Rehearsals | |
| Wednesday Services | |