

Data Protection

All organisations that hold data on individuals will be required under the new Act to demonstrate that they have the individual's permission to use their data, and only for the purposes that the individual has given permission. In addition, all individuals have the right to ask what information is being held on them and to be removed from a database at any time if they so wish.

How does it affect everyone involved with St. Nicholas Church?

We shall have to ask you all to sign a consent form, indicating what forms of communication we can use to contact you and for what purposes. We are currently carrying out a data audit to see who does hold lists of individuals for the various activities connected with the church.

Who do you need to contact if you want to know how your data is being used?

Helen Keeping has kindly undertaken to become the data compliance officer for St. Nicholas Church and should be the person you contact if you want to know what data we hold.

Further information

We shall also produce a Data Privacy Notice; this will be available both in the church and on our website. This will give you more information, or of course you can look up GDPR online at www.parishresources.org.uk/gdpr/

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Church Wardens