



**From the Church Warden
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Dear Brendan,

I think that Lady Craig Cooper has advised you that she is no longer the Secretary of the Parochial Church Council having stood down at the last election. The Secretaryship is vacant at the present time. In these circumstances, I, as the Church Warden, am responding to your kind invitation to apply for a grant from the Parish Council.

I should be most grateful if you very kindly take this as an application from St. Andrew's for a grant from the Parish Council for the year 2021/22. The Parish Council has been most kind over the years in responding to these requests – the funds are most welcome. In support of this request I am forwarding to you by a separate email a copy of the latest accounts.

You will recall that when we made the same application last year, we were interested in exploring the whereabouts of the wall painting believed to be in the nave on the north side. That exploration has not been completed mainly because we have not yet located the relevant publication which may speak to its precise location. It may well be that we will need to conduct some close work research on the wall itself –

lockdown permitting. In addition, we are interested in the installation of a stand-pipe to allow access to water both for walkers and for for those caring for the church. We hope that the Parish Council will be sympathetic to these ideas and be kind enough to award us a further grant in the year 2021/22.

With best wishes

Angus Macpherson, Church Warden

Enc. St.Andrew's Accounts.
