



**APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT ON
THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL OF THE PARISH OF
Bath, Odd Down**



St Philips

Full name: _____

Preferred title (if any): _____

Postal Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

I declare that *(please tick only one of 1A or 1B)*

1A I am baptised, am a lay person and am aged 16 or over

1B I am baptised and become 16* on
* Those who become 16 during the next 12 months may complete this Form and will then be eligible to have their name entered on the Roll on their 16th birthday.

I declare that *(please tick only one of 2A, 2B or 2C)*

2A I am a member of the Church of England or of a Church in communion with the Church of England and am resident in the parish.

2B I am a member of the Church of England or of a Church in communion with the Church of England, am not resident in the parish, but have habitually attended public worship in the parish during the preceding six months.

2C. I am a member in good standing of a Church which is not in communion with the Church of England but subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity, am also a member of the Church of England, and have habitually attended public worship in the parish during the preceding six months

I declare that the above answers are true and I apply for inclusion on the Church Electoral Roll of the parish.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please return completed form to the Parish Electoral Roll Officer

Notes

General matters

1. The only Churches at present in communion with the Church of England are other Anglican Churches and certain foreign Churches, as listed in the Supplementary Material to the Canons (but note Rule 83(3) of the Church Representation Rules, which provides for any question as to whether a particular Church is in communion with the Church of England to be decided by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York acting jointly).
2. Membership of the electoral roll is also open to members in good standing of a Church not in communion with the Church of England which subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity where those members are also prepared to declare themselves to be members of the Church of England.
3. Every six years a new roll is prepared and those on the previous roll are informed so that they can reapply. If you are not resident in the parish but were on the roll as an habitual worshipper and have been prevented by sickness or absence or other essential reason from worshipping for the past six months, you may write "would" before "have habitually attended" on the form and add "but was prevented from doing so because" and then state the reason. –
4. If you have any problems with this Form, please approach the clergy or lay people responsible for the parish, who will be pleased to help you.
5. In this Form 'parish' means ecclesiastical parish.

Use of personal data

6. The Church Representation Rules impose certain requirements for your name and address to be given to a third party, such as the diocesan electoral registration officer, in connection with elections to or membership of a deanery synod, diocesan synod or the House of Laity of the General Synod. If you provide an email address on this Form, it will be given to the third party along with your postal address.
7. A third party to whom your name and address have been given under the Church Representation Rules is in certain cases required by the Rules to pass them on to another person, such as the presiding officer in a synodical election.
8. Any person to whom your personal data is given under the Church Representation Rules is required by those Rules to hold the data securely. Furthermore, if you do provide an email address on this Form, that does not give anybody the right to use it for any purpose other than those permitted by the Rules; so it cannot, for example, be used for social matters or fund-raising.
9. The roll is published after each annual revision and after the preparation of a new roll. The published roll will include your name (as well as the name of every other person on the roll) but none of your other personal data (as defined by the Data Protection Act 2018) will be made public as a result of your inclusion on the roll.