## All Saints' Buildings 100 Years and Continuing

Welcome to All Saints'. We are proud of our Church and what we do, and we hope you will enjoy a closer look at our premises and agree with us they are a very special place. Of course, caring for our elderly buildings is a special responsibility: time does not allow us to rest, so we are constantly working to keep the fabric in good repair, not to mention finding the money to undertake repairs.

Every five years the buildings are inspected by an architect appointed by the Diocese of Chester. With this note are some pictures and surveyor's comments from our 2018 Report to give you some idea of what we are told. The pictures speak for themselves, but if you want to see the sort of things we can do, look at the new porch through which you entered the building, and the refurbished walls on Brough Street. In addition to the building maintenance, we have to comply with the laws regarding public use of our premises; thus, our major electrical and safety systems are checked at least annually.

The Church Hall, once part of the school, is hired to organisations to undertake classes in a range of subjects from art to dancing, bowling and parties; the money

raised helps with upkeep of the buildings. You will realise our site is used by far more people than the congregation. There are times when the buildings are used all day and well into the evenings. We are proud to see ourselves as serving our community.

Thank you for visiting us today; we hope you find much of interest and enjoyment. Please ask if you have any questions, and we would love to hear from anyone who knew the site in the past.

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