

Proposal to the PCC Meeting on 28 March 2019 from F & C Chairman Peter Clark

Background:

Valerie Bright writes: *“During the last four years, the World War 1 Group, through a great deal of research by Barrie Leslie, has found eleven names of local men killed during the First World War who are not recorded anywhere. These names were included in the Remembrance Sunday Service in 2018. However, the group feels that there should be a more permanent record. As it would not be appropriate to try to alter the War Memorial in any way, we would like to have the names carved in the wooden panel at the Memorial Altar. There is an empty panel under the list of World War 1 names on the bottom left side.”*



“Our County Councillor has asked for a quote for the work and he will then look into the possibility of obtaining some funding for it”.

There is also a blank panel on the right which has water staining and efflorescence that needs treatment.



The proposals, to be taken *en bloc*:

1. To agree that the PCC is in principle in favour of adding the names provided by the Town Council to the panel to the left of the Memorial Altar.
2. To agree in principal that the panel on the right be conserved at the same time.
3. To note that the World War 1 Group will seek funding towards the former but with no guarantee that this funding will be forthcoming.

The next steps:

The F&C Committee will work with Valerie to obtain an estimate/s for the work and come back with a formal implementation proposal. If that is then approved, DAC approval will be sought.