



The Rev
Jenny
Walpole

Originally from Basingstoke, Hampshire, I have lived in London for 14 years. I trained for ordination at Westcott House and describe myself as liberal-catholic, with the Eucharist being central to my expression of theology.

Prior to ordination, I worked in the Chaplaincy of Wandsworth Prison as Project Manager for 'Change for Good', a befriending and mentoring programme. I also worked at The Manna, a drop-in centre for homeless and marginalised people, and as a Verger at St James' Church, Piccadilly.

I have launched Fresh Expressions: Open Table Canterbury and Outdoor Worship. I am a regular attendee of the Greenbelt Festival with interests in all faiths, arts, and justice.

St George's is a Gold Award Eco Church and an Inclusive Church. We have strong links with our local schools and food banks. We run Pop-In, a group for older people, and Little Dragons, a group for toddlers.

The Priest in Charge of
St George the Martyr, Shirley.

Nominated by:

- The Rev'd Yin-An Chen,
Vicar of St Luke's,
Whyteleafe
- The Rev'd Canon Dhanaraj
Premraj, Area Dean for
Croydon Addington



Every voice matters

Please consider voting for me as
your first or second preference



About me

I am in a Civil Partnership with Katharine Good, and we have two rescue dogs, Wiggy (a Jack Russell cross) and Rosie (a Shih Tzu). We had the first Prayers of Love and Faith during evensong at Canterbury Cathedral. We enjoy walks in the countryside, food, and music. We are members of Singsmiths Chamber Choir. I have family members who live with disabilities and neurodiversity. I care deeply about diversity and inclusive issues.

Why serve on General Synod?



A desire to serve on General Synod has been on my heart for several years.

I believe in 'being the change we want to see'.

My calm and reflective commitment to justice is rooted in prayer.

I would like to see Equal Marriage in the Church of England during my lifetime.

My priorities

Racial Justice
Neurodiversity
Gender Equality
LGBTQIA+ People
Disability and accessibility
Safeguarding
Clergy Well-being
Environment and Climate Change
Peace in the Middle East

I have a love for the grassroots and wish to represent my local community by contributing to the important debates on social and policy matters.

I will bring experience from my current roles as Chair of Churches Together in Shirley and as a Trustee of the Longheath Community Centre.

Any questions you can contact me by email:
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