

Live Streaming Policy

Purpose of this guidance:

To ensure that visitors, congregation members and audio-visual technicians understand what will be livestreamed, and what will not.

Notification:

The following notice will be displayed in church, on the notice loop screened in church and on the notice sheet.

"Our 8am and 9.30am services on Sunday mornings are livestreamed on our YouTube channel. The camera is focused only on the chancel arch. During a baptism the camera moves to the font but does not pan the congregation. The distribution of Holy Communion will not be filmed."

An announcement will be made at the beginning of each service notifying the congregation that the service will be live streamed on our YouTube channel. This may take the form of welcoming the online congregation in such a way that it is clear that the service is being livestreamed. This is especially true at a special children's service that is live streamed.

Consent:

Parents who have requested their children are not photographed will be made aware of the policy by the vicar.

Instructions for audio-visual team:

Do not film Holy Communion

At an all age service, if children are sitting in the front, keep camera above their heads.

Services are to be deleted from YouTube after a year.

Dated:

To be reviewed in 1 year:

Signed by

Representing the PCC.