

# THE WEOBLEY & STAUNTON BENEFICE, CHURCH FEES FROM 1<sup>st</sup> January 2026

## Funerals

Type of Service	Diocesan Fee	PCC	Total Statutory Fees	Verger	Heating <i>Optional</i>	Organist <i>Optional</i>	Payments to:-
Service in Church	£132	£112	£244	£40	£80	From £100	PCC of church
Service in Church & burial in Churchyard	£151	£483	£634	£40	£80	From £100	PCC of church
Service in Church & committal at Hereford Crem	£169	£139 (includes travel fee of £27)	£308	£40	£80	From £100	PCC of church
Churchyard burial of body only	£54	£371	£425	-	-	-	PCC of church
Churchyard burial of cremated remains only	£54	£152	£206	-	-	-	PCC of church
Service at Hereford Crematorium	£207	£64 (includes travel fee of £27)	£271	-	-	Arranged by Undertaker	PCC of church

**Heating**

This ensures the building is at the best temperature it is possible to achieve for the service. If the fee is not paid no heating will be provided.

**Verger**

The Verger looks after the practical aspects of the building e.g. opening and locking up, dealing with the sound system and ensuring a smooth-running service.

**Organist**

The organist fee is for a basic service. If additional music is specified or rehearsals required (e.g. to accompany other musicians) an extra fee may be payable.

**Flowers**

Organised by local agreement.

**Refreshments**

Use of church premises (with catering by local agreement) will incur an extra charge and premises must be cleaned afterwards.

**Extras**

Bells can be arranged for an additional fee. Tolling Bell / Passing Bell £30.

**Register**

Searches in Registers £39.00 and then £39.00 per hour. Copy of any Register Entry £20.00

**Payments**

Payments should be made direct to PCC bank accounts, with email advice to PCC Treasurer and/or Rector.

**Collections**

Collections in churches for charities will be subject to a 0.5% or £10 deduction from cash receipts, to cover bank charges specific to cash

**Travel fee**

This covers the cost of mileage for the minister for a return trip to the crematorium

Non-Statutory Fees may be varied by PCCs by prior agreement with local PCC Churchwardens or Treasurers