

## Minster 2020 Project

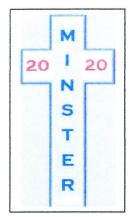
Plans are being made to upgrade the facilities in our beautiful Minster for the whole Axminster Community

- Heating and lighting
  - Seating
  - Cloakrooms
    - Kitchen
    - Entrances

Come along to meet the project team, look at the plans and share your views

on Saturday 29th June from 10.00 - 12.00am

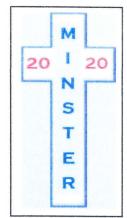
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## Minster 20/20 Project

The beautiful Minster Church of St Mary the Virgin has developed and changed over hundreds of years to become the building you see today.

To continue to serve Axminster well it has now reached a stage where significant modernisation and upgrading is essential.



## Public Meeting Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2019 10.00 to 12.00 in the Minster

We are the custodians of the building – with a brief to secure its suitability for the people and purposes of today, but also to protect it for the future and generations to come.

- we need to provide accessible toilet facilities
- we need to provide modern servery facilities
- · we need flexibility in seating and the use of space
- · we need the provision of dedicated storage space
- · we need space for childrens' activities
- · we need to improve the lighting in the body of the church
- we need to upgrade the heating and heat retention/insulation
- we need to build in access to new technologies
- we need to improve facilities for those with a range of special needs
- · we need to provide secure, fire resistant library/paper storage facilities
- · we need meeting space/facilities apart from the main service area
- · we need accessible, adaptable, high quality sound/audio/visual systems
- · we need to make the Minster secure from damage and vandalism
- we need to have a church of which the community feels proud

We love our church, but it is not a museum. The Minster stands at the heart of the town and it needs to be a usable community space.

Come and hear about the changes we would like to make and give your thoughts on how the Minster should develop.