**Funerals at St Oswald’s Church, Winwick**

**Please note that during the restoration work on the church building**

**we can only use the Chancel (top end of the church)**

**which is partitioned from the rest of the church**

**and is limited to 50 people attending**

A funeral marks the end of a person's life here on earth. Family and friends come together to express grief, give thanks and celebrate the person’s life and commend them into God's keeping.

The funeral may be a small, quiet ceremony or a large occasion in a full church. Anyone can have their funeral in St Oswald’s Church, regardless of whether they attended church or live in the parish.

The funeral service can take place either in Church or at the Crematorium. Your Funeral Director will contact with the Minister involved and after discussion with you will arrange the date and time.

**Burials in the Churchyard**

A person can only be buried in the churchyard if they lived within the Ecclesiastical Parish of St Oswald just before they died. If a family grave already exists then a person who lived outside the parish can be buried in the existing grave.

**Choosing a Funeral Director**

Without wanting to promote any particular Funeral Director these are some local Directors with whom we work with on a regular basis:

Knox & Son Funeral Directors Unsworth’s Funeral Service
43-45 Orford Rd 489 Warrington Road
Warrington Culcheth
Cheshire WA1 3TD Warrington

01925 633388 Cheshire WA3 5QU

01925 766006

Co-op Funeralcare Co-op Funeralcare

238 Crow Lane East Bewsey Road

Newton-le-Willows WA12 9UA Warrington

01925 226257 Cheshire WA2 7LW
01925 445555

Please contact the Rector if you have any queries.

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