

St George and All Saints Douglas

Church Fees & Local Charges Marriages and Renewal of Vows for 2019

All fees and local charges are to be paid to "St George and All Saints P.C.C." either by cheque or direct to our bank account 10860770 at 559100, IoM Bank East Region in name of St George and All Saints PCC.

Please note: the clergy cannot under any circumstances accept cash payments.

Marriage Service		
<i>The first section of these costs are legal fees and are not optional</i>		
Diocese	<i>This fee is charged to enable the parish to have a Vicar</i>	190
PCC fee	<i>This fee helps to keep the church open and pays for cleaning and lighting the building.</i>	220
Verger	<i>This is for someone to prepare the church, welcome your guests and tidy up again after the service ready for our next service.</i>	50
Marriage certificate	<i>This is for the legal paperwork which proves you are married!</i>	25
Sub total for service		485
Thanksgiving for Marriage/Renewal of Vows		
<p>This a service of prayer and thanksgiving for a marriage, either immediately after a Civil Ceremony or at a later Date e.g. a significant Anniversary. This service is available for all couples even if they don't qualify for a church wedding, or they're getting married elsewhere (e.g. abroad)</p>		<p>£100 <i>(plus local charges below)</i></p>
Local Charges		
<i>(These are for optional extras and some are charged by the individuals who are offering that service e.g. the bell ringers, the organist)</i>		
Heating	None 15 June – 15 Sept Optional 1 May – 14 June	<u>50</u>
		Subtotal 535 with heating
Organist	70	70
Recorded music fee	30	30
Choir <i>(no charge if fewer than 4)</i>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
	635	685
Bells	210	210
Final Total	845	895
<p>Flowers: There is no set price for flowers and you may if you wish organise them with a florist or with our flower arranging team or just have what will be in church anyway.</p>		
Banns of Marriage		
(In place of Licence)		
<p>Certificate of Banns <i>There is no charge for calling the banns at any church and you don't need a certificate from St. George's so this is only payable if you don't both live in our parish and must have your banns called in the ecclesiastical parish or parishes in which you each live – see the Vicar for details.</i></p> <p>Please Note: The couple must fully complete a Banns of Marriage Application Form and both sign it before Banns can be called. It is your responsibility to ensure that these banns are called in the right churches (we can tell you which ones) and a Banns Certificate given to the St George's clergy in good time. The clergy may be able to help with this. Banns are to be called in all the relevant churches between 3 months before a wedding and up to one month before – they are to be called on three successive Sundays in the main act of public worship and a Marriage by Banns cannot take place unless they have been called and a Certificate received by the priest officiating at your wedding by the time of the rehearsal at the latest.</p>		20