



St. John's Church, Heath Hayes. Video Copyright Rules

This notice is issued by the incumbent to give permission for recording equipment to be brought into and used inside the church for the purpose of recording the events on the form below subject to the following conditions:

The attention of the recordist is drawn to the following matters:

- 1) The Copyright law is complex. It is most important that it is recognised that neither the incumbent nor the Parochial Church Council has the authority to give permission for the lawful reproduction or recording of any work- literary or musical- which is protected by copyright.
- 2) Certain 'blanket' arrangements have been made to facilitate the recording in church of the text of the marriage and baptism services. Without prior application having to be made to the copyright owners, copyright permission, subject to the conditions of paragraph 3, has been given for the recording on either videotape or audiotape of the the baptism and marriage services that we use at St John's. (Common Worship © 200,2004 Archbishop's Council of the Church of England) There is right to record the music in these services under the churches copyright license as long as only one copy for private and personal use is made.
- 3) The conditions on which a recording of the material specified in paragraph 2 may be made without prior application are as follows:
 - a. No rights in the recording and no copies of it shall be transferred or assigned in consideration of money and copies shall not be sold commercially except that the original recording and copies may be sold to the couple or parents who commissioned the recording.
 - b. That the recording, once made, shall not be screened in public for commercial gain.
 - c. That the appropriate fee shall have been paid prior to the commencement of recording.
 - d. That those recording will be mindful of recording children without first gaining parental consent (and if appropriate the consent of the child).
- 4) The fee payable in consideration to the recognised authority shall be £10 for a Baptism and £25 for a Wedding.
- 5) This 'Blanket' arrangement as is here entered into shall be applicable to one occasion, one video camera (the fee for each camera is £10/£25) and is only applicable in the church named above.