

Please return to the Electoral Roll Officer, Ingeborg Wörheide
(email: ing-woer@online.no)
or to the Senior Chaplain or one of the Assistant Chaplains
(contact details on congregational websites)
by 31 March 2019

Notes

1. The only churches at present in communion with the Church of England are other Anglican Churches and certain foreign Churches (for example, the Church of Norway / DnK).
2. Membership of the Electoral Roll is also open to members in good standing of a Church not in communion with the Church of England which subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity where those members are also prepared to declare themselves to be members of the Church of England.
3. Every six years a new roll is prepared and those on the previous roll are informed so that they can re-apply. If you are not resident but were on the roll as an habitual worshipper and have been prevented by sickness or absence or other essential reason from worshipping for the past six months, you may write “would” before “have habitually attended” on the form and add “but was prevented from doing so because” and then state the reason.
4. If you have any problems with this form, please approach the clergy or lay people responsible for the chaplaincy, who will be pleased to help you.

Church Elections

*Are you registered
to vote?*



If you would like to vote at The Anglican Chaplaincy in Norway's AGM, or stand for election to the Chaplaincy Council, then your name must be on the Electoral Roll

What is the Electoral Roll?

It is our church's register of electors. In the same way that being on the civic Electoral Roll allows you to vote in parliamentary and local elections, joining the Electoral Roll means that you can attend, and vote at, the Annual General Meeting and stand for election to the Chaplaincy Council.

Do I have to join?

No. You can, of course, be a full and active member of The Anglican Chaplaincy in Norway without joining the Roll. However, joining the Roll is compulsory if you wish to (a) vote at the Chaplaincy AGM, (b) stand for election to the Chaplaincy Council, or (c) stand for election to wider church bodies such as the Deanery, Diocesan, or General Synods.

Is it the same as being a 'Member'?

No. There is a separate list of members which we must keep in order to receive some financial support from the Norwegian state and local municipality (kommune). That Membership Form looks like this (opposite) and is available on our website.



Do I qualify for the Electoral Roll?

To qualify you must be baptised, aged 16 or over, and

* A member of the Church of England (or of a Church in communion with the Church of England) and be already on the Roll of a parish or chaplaincy in the Provinces of Canterbury or York,

or

* A member of the Church of England (or a Church in communion with the Church of England) and have habitually attended public worship in the Chaplaincy during the period of six months prior to enrolment,

or

* A member in good standing of a Church not in communion with the Church of England which subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity and also declare yourself to be a member of the Church of England and have habitually attended public worship in the chaplaincy during the period of six months prior to enrolment.

Please see the further notes on the back of this leaflet.

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT ON THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL OF THE ANGLICAN CHAPLAINCY IN NORWAY

Full Name

Full normal address

I declare that

* Those who become 16 on or before the date of the annual chaplaincy meeting may complete the form and be enrolled with effect from the date of their sixteenth birthday.

- 1 I am baptized, am a lay person and am aged 16 or over (or, become 16* on _____) AND
- 2A I am a member of the Church of England (or of a Church in communion with the Church of England) and have my name entered on the electoral roll of a parish or chaplaincy in the Provinces of Canterbury or York. OR
- 2B I am a member of the Church of England (or a Church in communion with the Church of England) and I have habitually attended public worship in the chaplaincy during the period of six months prior to enrolment. OR
- 2C I am a member in good standing of a Church not in communion with the Church of England which subscribes to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity and also declare myself to be a member of the Church of England and I have habitually attended public worship in the chaplaincy during the period of six months prior to enrolment.

Tick **one only** of boxes 2A, 2B or 2C

I declare that the above answers are true and I apply for inclusion on the church electoral roll for the chaplaincy.

Signed:

Date: