## Preparation of a New Electoral Roll

Instead of the usual annual revision process for the Church's Electoral Roll, this year a new roll is required (this occurs every six years). This means that everyone who wishes to remain on the electoral roll needs to reapply. Application Forms are available in Church or by email from the PCC secretary: <a href="mailto:margaretw@btinternet.com">margaretw@btinternet.com</a>

If you would like to continue to be on the roll, please read the guidance notes on the reverse of the form and then complete the appropriate sections. You will see that to apply you must:

- be 16 years old or over
- be baptised
- either live in the St James the Less parish or have attended the church regularly for at least 6 months

Being on the electoral roll can be a way of confirming your commitment to the church community. When on the electoral roll you can vote on any relevant issues at the annual parochial church meeting (APCM) and stand for election to the PCC (the parochial church council). Applications must be made by the 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025 and the updated electoral roll will take effect from 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2025. Our church APCM this year will be held after the service of Holy Communion on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025.