## **DEANERY SYNOD REPORT**

Fr. Jeremy Blunden (Rector of St. George's) was appointed Area Dean, succeeding Revd Rob Hinton.

There were three Deanery Synod meetings in 2023:

3rd May 2023 at St. Paul's; a short meeting.

18th September 2023 at Christ Church, Beckenham; again a short meeting, when elections to the Deanery Synod Standing Committee were conducted.

22nd November 2023 at St. John's, Eden Park, at which Revd. Nigel Poole gave a full and interesting presentation on Hope into Action, a charity which enables local churches to house the homeless in their community.