

**Funding and Service Agreement between Newton St Cyres Parish
Council and the JC of the Church St Cyr and St Julitta, Newton St Cyres
– year 2026/27**

**Areas of common Interest Between NSC Parish Council and the Church
of St Cyr and St Julitta**

Currently the burial ground around the church is active. There is an area of older graves that is being managed as a wildflower meadow, to increase biodiversity. There is also an area of more recent graves, where the area is managed to allow access to the graves.

Support provided by Newton St Cyres Parish Council

- The Parish Council may provide support in the form of a grant to help maintain the graveyard.
- The amount of the grant will vary from year to year and will be decided on during the normal budgeting process.
- The grant must be applied for by 31st October of the previous financial year. The application must clearly state how the money is to be spent.
- The use of the grant will be reviewed yearly, before a new grant is made.

Grant funding for the financial year 2026/2027

(Wording not final! Depends on grant application – example given for illustration only)

- A contribution of £1000 will made to contribute to the overall maintenance of the graveyard. It is understood that this will largely be spent on mowing.

Signed for Newton St Cyres Parish Council: _____

Signed by JC for the Church of St Cyr and St Julitta: _____

Date: _____