Summary wedding fees 2023

Revised 1 March 2023



Typical basic costs for a wedding in St Peter's church

£896

This includes the national Statutory Fees for a church wedding service, plus fees for the reading of the Banns of marriage, a church verger to assist people attending your service, and our organist. See notes overleaf.

Statutory Fees for Marriage Service

Priest		£505
Diocese of St Albans	£276	
PCC of Great Berkhamsted	£229	

Additional fees

Verger	£90
Flowers	£120
Organist	£250
Choir & director of music	£380
Bells	£240
Heating (based on 2 hours heating)	£90
PCC fee for Video/Audio Recording in church*	£80

^{*}A signed agreement with the Rector together with payment of this fee is required before a church service may be recorded. Please take particular note of the copyright conditions set out in that agreement.

Banns of marriage fees

Publishing banns of marriage	£34
Banns certificate (if not marrying at St Peter's)	£17

Important notes

Fees: • Wedding fees are updated annually.

• We ask for a £100 deposit when you book your wedding date.

• The balance of the wedding fees must be received six weeks before your wedding.

Organist:

• The Church organist has first refusal. A fee maybe required if you chose not to use the Church Organist.

• The Organist is booked for I hour. Delays to the ceremony will not result in an extension of the organist's time.

On the day:

• It is recommended the wedding party arrives at the church at least 15 minutes before the service begins.

• We also strongly recommend that you have an agreed communication chain in case of an emergency on the day – car breakdown or other malfunction. Keep your mobile phones handy.

Payment

Bank transfer:		Cheque:
Bank:	CAF Bank	Please make payable to PCC of St Peter Great Berkhamsted
Account name:	PCC of St Peter Great Berkhamsted	Send to
Sort Code:	40-52-40	St Peter's Parish Office
Account number:	00030116	The Court House
Fees to be paid within 14 days of the event		Berkhamsted HP4 2AX Tel. 01442 878227 or deliver to the letterbox at the end of the Court House



For information and ideas about your church wedding, download our wedding guide from:

www.stpetersberkhamsted.org.uk/weddings