

St Lawrence's Churchyard, Bradwell

(Ecumenical Parish of Stantonbury, Milton Keynes)

Interment of Cremated Remains

On 13th November 1990 the Registrar of the Diocese of Oxford granted to the Vicar and Churchwardens a Faculty to set aside within the churchyard of St Lawrence, Bradwell further areas for the interment of cremated remains on the east side of the public footpath.

The terms of the Faculty are as follows:

1. Plots in the reserved area are to measure 30 cm by 30 cm and are to be dug to a depth of 60 cm.
2. Cremated remains are to be committed directly to the earth and containers of whatever kind are to be dispensed with at the moment of interment.
3. For a period of 25 years from the date of the first interment in it, no plot shall be used for other interments except those of other members of the same family.

After a period of 25 years from the date of interment the surviving next of kin of the deceased may apply for a tablet to remain or be renewed. In the absence of such an application the Team Vicar and Churchwardens may authorise the interment of further cremated remains to a depth of 15 cm less than the previous interments, and the replacement of the tablet.

4. Plots may be marked by a horizontal tablet measuring not more than 23 cm by 15 cm laid level with the surface of the soil so that a mower may pass over it. The tablet may be inscribed with the name and date of death of the deceased.
5. Names of those whose remains are interred will be recorded on a plan of the reserved area deposited in the safe of St Lawrence's.