

The Vicars of St Mary de Haura, New Shoreham

since records began: the lists are incomplete for the early centuries

[Information largely derived from *'The Story of Shoreham'* by Henry Cheal, 1921]

Note: the *'Patron'* is the person or institution entitled to *'present'* (appoint) a new Vicar for Institution by the Bishop. If the Patron does not do this within a prescribed period of time the patronage for that turn only *'lapses'* and the appointment is made by a higher authority. A *'benefice'* is the office held by a Vicar, as distinct from the parish or parishes in which he ministers.

¶ *Patron, c. 1103-1459: the Benedictine Abbey of St Florent at Saumur in Anjou, France, and its dependent Priory of Sele at Upper Beeding, Sussex*

1261	John	<i>'The Chaplain'</i>
1274	Robert	
1293	John de Grey	
	Thomas de Renham	<i>Mentioned in Assize Roll in 1301</i>
Before 1356	Thomas	
Before 1381	John Avenell	
	Reginald Catigo	<i>Exchanged benefices with John Avenell 1381</i>
1381	Thomas de Bradfield	
	John Long	<i>Exchanged benefices with Thomas de Bradfield 1381</i>
1384	Thomas de Kent	<i>Exchanged benefices with John Long 1384</i>
Before 1388	Henry Woolston	
	John Marescall	<i>Exchanged benefices with Henry Woolston 1388</i>
	Thomas Brydham	<i>Witnessed a Will as Vicar 1392</i>
1401	John Clark	
1405	John Cook	
1439	Thomas Shawe	
1440	Robert Cornewell	
1441	John Philip	

¶ *Patron, 1459-1948: Magdalen College, Oxford*

	Giles	<i>Cited to appear at Bishop's Visitation 1478</i>
1479	John Penteney	
1484	Andrew Parke	
	William Bennett	
1502	John Hornby	<i>Also Vicar of Old Shoreham 1504</i>
	Richard Tede	
1513	William Clarke	
	William Balenden	
1517	Thomas Wygyn	
1533	John Smyth	
	John Tomson	
	John Atkinson	

1545	Thomas Mylles	
1577	Richard Sysson	<i>Also Vicar of Old Shoreham 1575</i>
1579	Adam Cartwright	<i>Presented by Queen Elizabeth I</i>
1608	Robert Woods	<i>Presented by the Bishop of Chichester</i>
1615	William Greenhill	
1633	John Nurth	
1649	<i>Richard Bonner</i>	<i>Intruded Minister under the Commonwealth</i>
1651	<i>Thomas Hallett</i>	<i>Intruded Minister under the Commonwealth</i>
1670	Peter Wynn	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Rector of Southwick</i>
1673	Edward Lowe	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Vicar of Brightelmeston</i>
1679	Robert Sparrow	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Rector of Newtimber</i>
1683	Simon Winch	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Vicar of Old Shoreham</i>
1687	Isaac Boardman	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Rector of Coombes</i>
1692	John Webb	<i>Curate-in-Charge</i>
1695	John Gray	<i>Curate-in-Charge, also Curate-in-Charge of Old Shoreham, also Rector of Southwick</i>
1713	Rice [<i>Rhys</i>] Williams	<i>Presented by Queen Anne</i>
1728	Edward Martin	
1766	William Marchant	
1802	Thomas Hooper	
1815	John Gould	
1819	Richard Hutchins	
1828	Zacharias Biddulph	<i>Also Vicar of Old Shoreham 1828</i>
1843	William Wheeler	<i>Received into the Roman Catholic Church in 1855: also Vicar of Old Shoreham 1843, where he resided. Nathaniel Woodard, founder of the 'Woodard Schools', Curate 1847, resided at New Shoreham</i>
1856	Harris Smith	
1889	Edmund Tyndale	
1890	Charles Steward	
1894	Charles Tower	<i>Also Vicar of Old Shoreham 1897</i>

Since 1897 the benefices of St Mary de Haura, New Shoreham and St Nicolas, Old Shoreham have been held in 'plurality' by the same Vicar

1920	Gerald Holmes-Gore
1922	J F Gilderoy Glossop
1943	F Stanley W Simpson

¶ *Patron, from 1948: the Bishop of Chichester*

1955	Geoffrey Froggatt	
1977	Martin Sheppard	
1995-2000	Keith Kinnaird	
2001	Victor Standing	<i>Presented by the Archbishop of Canterbury</i>