

## Deal Pentecostal Church

### Photographs and Consent Policy

The nature of the Church's charity work involves photos and/or videos as part of communications, administration, informal marketing, funding purposes or historical archive. Some of these photos may include members of the church, or members of the public, and may be published publicly. This could include around church buildings, on the website, or through social media. It may be necessary for workers to take photographs or make videos that include children or vulnerable adults for funding purposes or as a historical archive.

The Church will respect people's wishes concerning their image being used in church publicity. It is therefore the Church's policy to obtain consent, wherever a photo is used in this manner, for every individual that is in the photo, where they are identifiable. If the data subject is capable of comprehending the implications of consenting to the data use, then their consent will be sought; otherwise, the consent of a parent or legal guardian will be obtained.

### Consent

Consent may be gained in one or more of the following ways:

- By use of the following statement clearly displayed:  
*Deal Pentecostal Church reserves the right to photograph and film activities & events held on this site for use in, but not restricted to, printed marketing and promotional materials, digital communication channels including websites and social media presentations and exhibitions. By entering this site, you give permission for your likeness to be recorded through video and still photography.*
- Verbally, by either the individual taking a photo on behalf of the Church, or at a later date by a trustee or church worker.
- For anyone under the age of 16, express written consent would normally be received from their parents or guardians before any photo is published.

### Removal of Photos/Consent

At any time, an individual may revoke their consent, by informing the Church Leadership by email, or by letter. This will then be actioned as soon as practicably possible, and any photos with that individual being removed from public forums.