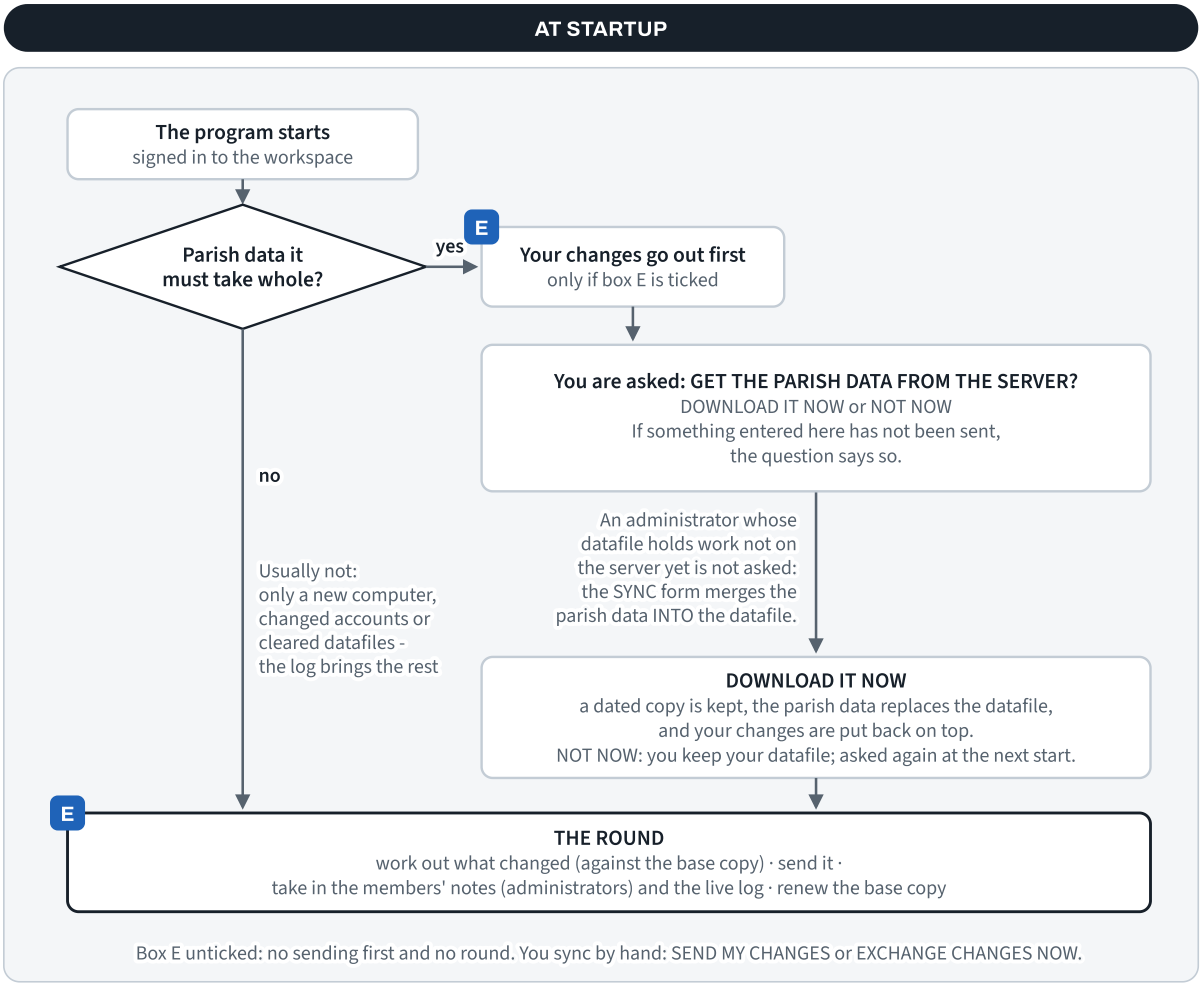
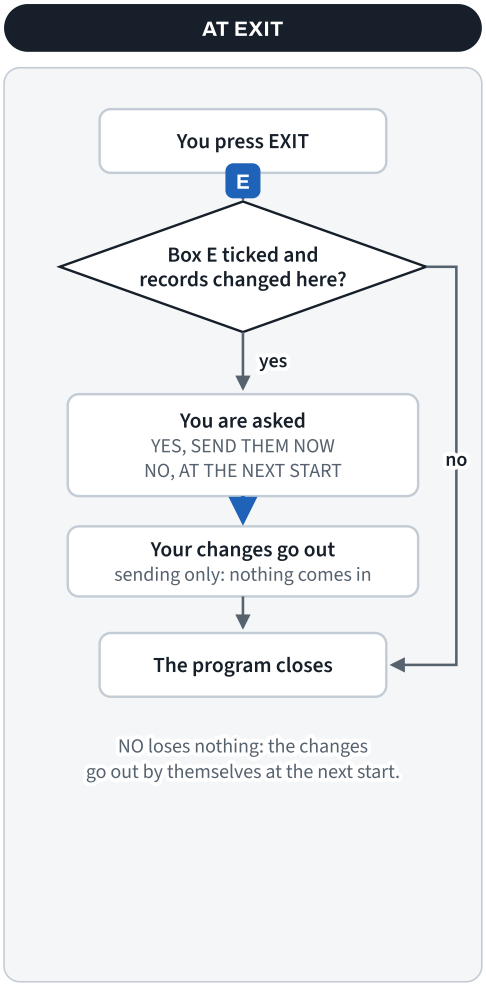
Startup and exit: the tick box and the parish-data question

E AT STARTUP AND EXIT: EXCHANGE CHANGES keep ticked





E	Suits	At startup	At exit
☑	**Recommended** for every computer where records are entered	your changes go out; the live log comes in (administrators also take the members' notes); the parish data is offered with a question - only when the log cannot bring it	offered to send
☐	a parish that syncs by hand	nothing is sent or taken in; newer parish data is offered with a question	nothing

Why is the parish data always asked for? It replaces the whole datafile, so you choose the moment: the file (some 20 MB) need not download as the program opens on a slow or paid line, and you know that records may change under you (clashes go to Sync conflicts). Whatever you answer, nothing is lost: with box E ticked your changes went out first, a dated copy is kept, and your work is put back on top of it. It is rarely offered at all: the log brings the others' work at every round.

E - exchange changes: only the changes travel, your datafile stays. The box belongs to the **datafile**, not to the computer, and it survives taking the parish data. It is also on the START screen (the same setting); it is switched on at the datafile's first sign-in to the workspace. **Getting the parish data from the server** is never done by a setting: you are asked at startup, or you press GET THE PARISH DATA FROM THE SERVER. A datafile is never replaced without a dated copy in DataFiles.