

FUNDRAISING



It's gotta be talked about!

Together we can do this!



There are many ways to fundraise, these ideas are not definitive, purely suggestions to get you going.

The church website has a donate button which takes you through to our JustGiving page: [Supporting St Lawrence Churchs essential building works - JustGiving](#)

From here not only can you donate, you can also start your own fundraising event by clicking the **fundraise for us** button.

Think of fun ways to fundraise...

- Have a dinner party and ask your guests to donate
- Knit or crochet for someone and ask them to donate
- Do a family sponsored walk/bike/scoot/run
- Have a driveway table top sale
- Have a driveway cake/cookies sale
- If you have a skill offer that in exchange for a donation – cake maker, gardener, hairdresser, jams and pickles maker

If you think your £20 raised from a table top sale won't make a difference...
If 10 people are thinking that, it's actually £200 raised.
If 100 people are thinking that, it's £2,000 raised!

Text Donations

If people would rather text to donate,
To donate £1, text VMPR01 to 70201
To donate £3, text VMPR01 to 70331
To donate £5, text VMPR01 to 70970
To donate £10, text VMPR01 to 70191

Or via QR code



Free Money!!

Yes that's right, free money! How?

Get cash for unwanted mobiles, electricals and other items

<https://www.compareandrecycle.co.uk/>

Get money donated straight to St Lawrence when you shop on line through

Easy Fundraising <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=277714&invite=M3U9M4&referral-campaign=c2s> (signing up through this link also boosts donations). Signing up is **FREE**.

Once signed up, when you shop on line, start at the Easyfundraising page first, then shop as normal. Retailers then make a donation to say thank you. It costs you nothing.

There are thousands of retailers including M&S, John Lewis, House of Fraser, Amazon, Argos, Boots, Currys, Ebay, Dunelm...

Examples:

BT – up to £42.50 for new customers

EE – up to £40 for new customers

Go Compare – up to £17.50 for new customers

Sainsburys – 7.5% for new customer click & collect (2.5% existing)

5% for new customers home delivery (1.5% existing)

TUI, Thomas Cook, Expedia, First Choice, Opodo – 1.5% - 4%

So for a family holiday costing £4,000 at 1.5% = £60

...or a family weekly home delivery shop of £200 could raise over £150 a year!

Match Fundraising

Does your company match fundraise?

Don't forget to ask them to match your fundraising if you set up an event.

If your company would be interested in match fundraising for any of our future events, please let us know.

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Contact us

If you have any other ideas that could help, please speak to one of the clergy after worship, or contact our fundraising co-ordinator,

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