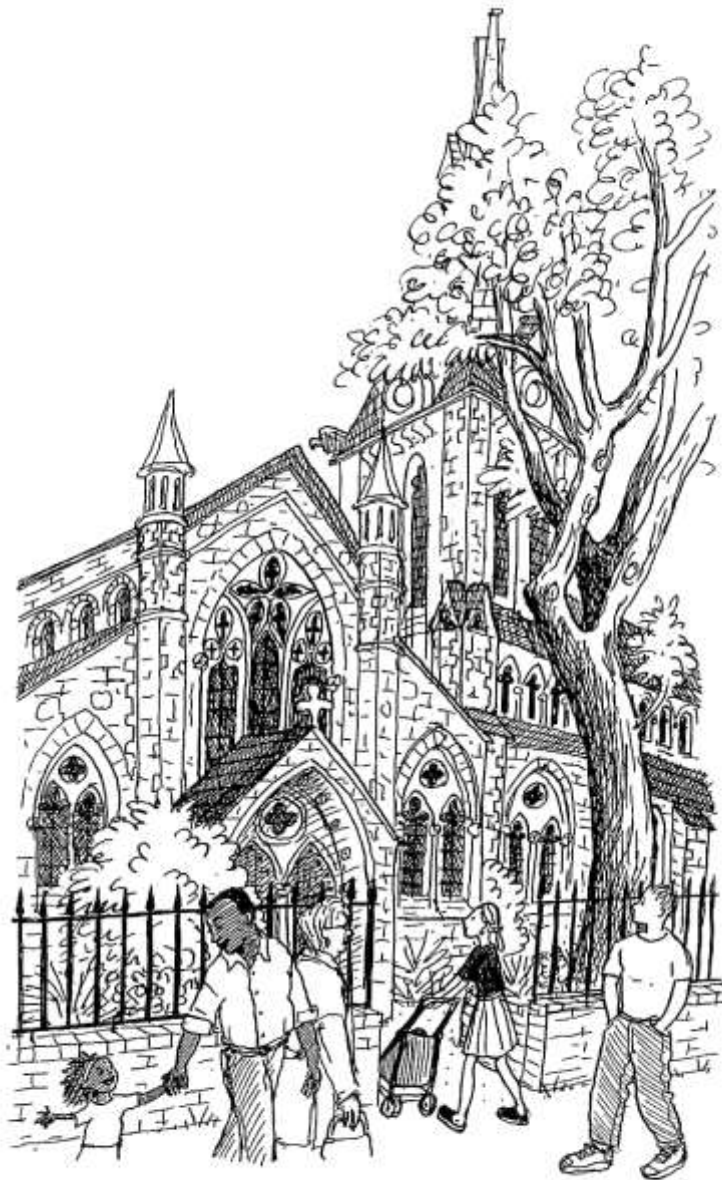


# Giving to Christ Church Highbury

[www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving](http://www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving)



***“all things come from You and of Your own do we give You”***

**1 Chronicles 29: 14**

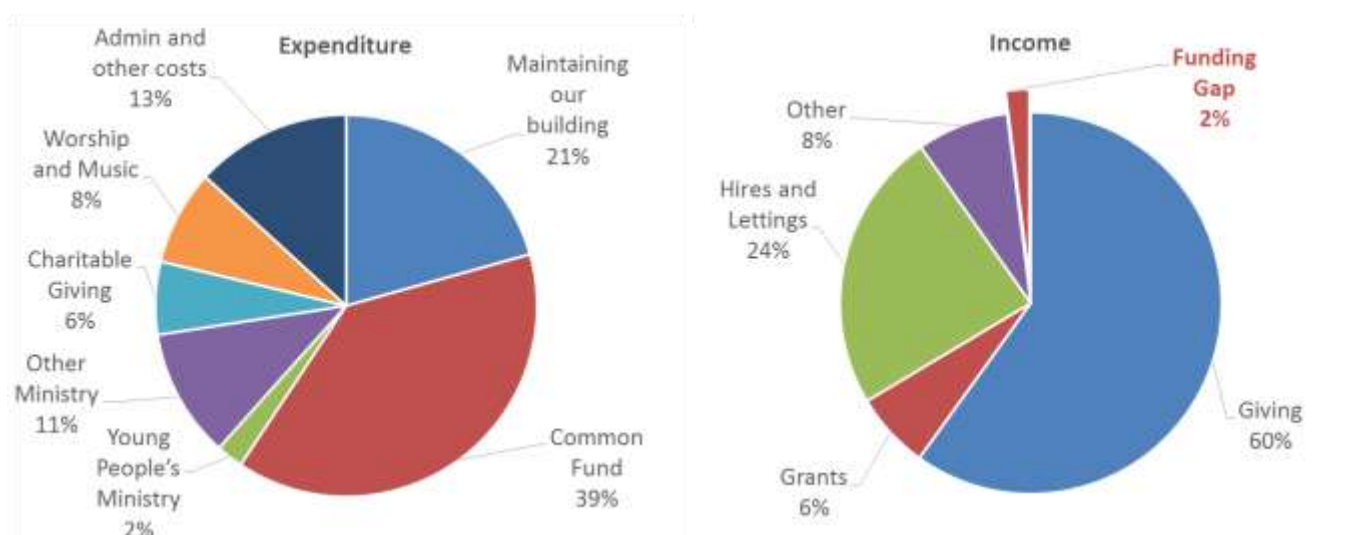
## Christian Stewardship

Stewardship is a fundamental Christian concept - an integral part of our relationship with God and the world. The Bible asks Christians to give responsibly, proportionally and, above all, with joy in their hearts.

At Christ Church we are reliant on the generosity of our congregation. Currently about 65% of our income comes from donations, and we need to continue increasing our income in order fulfil our mission in Highbury.

**Thank you** for taking the time to prayerfully consider your own contribution.

## Projected Income and Expenditure 2018



## Planned regular giving

Planned regular giving enables you to spread your commitment across the year and is invaluable for our future planning.

For example:

- £30 per month will help provide Junior Church resources
- £71 is the average donation per household per month
- £100 per month will help with heating and lighting the church

## Regular commitment

There are several ways to make a regular commitment

- **Direct debit**, through the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)  
The PGS option is preferred to a standing order. PGS is a charity supported by the Diocese which transfers your donations to our account by the 10th of each month and, importantly, collects Gift Aid monthly on our behalf, reducing our administration. A PGS gift form is available at the Welcome Desk or from our Giving Secretary, Evelyn Thomas, email [evelynthomas196@gmail.com](mailto:evelynthomas196@gmail.com)
- **Standing order**, through your bank, using the information on the back of this leaflet
- **CAF account**
- **Give as you earn**, ask your employer
- **Virgin Money Giving**, see link on our website [www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving](http://www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving)
- **Numbered envelopes**, available from the Church Office

## Special donations

Perhaps there is an area of our mission that is particularly close to your heart, or you wish to mark a special moment in your own life? Christ Church is always grateful for donations that can be used to meet specific costs and the clergy would be very happy to talk with you regarding current needs. Donations can be made at [www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving](http://www.christchurchhighbury.com/financial-giving) or using the form on the back of this leaflet.

## Gift Aid

Christ Church Highbury is a registered charity (no. 1135420). If you are a UK taxpayer, please complete the Gift Aid declaration, and Christ Church will be able to increase the value of your donation by 25%.

## Legacies

Legacies are enormously valuable in safeguarding Christ Church's future. The website [www.churchlegacy.org.uk](http://www.churchlegacy.org.uk) provides useful information for those considering this long-term commitment, and the clergy are also available to discuss your intentions, in confidence, should you find this helpful.

*For more information on any form of giving, please contact Juliette Soanes, Parish Administrator, on [office@christchurchhighbury.com](mailto:office@christchurchhighbury.com) or 020 7354 0741.*

Please return to the Office, Christ Church, 155 Highbury Grove, London N5 1SA  
or email to evelynthomas196@gmail.com

| <b>Giving to Christ Church Highbury</b>  |  |   |                       |
|--|--|---|-----------------------|
| <b>Name</b> (print full name)  |  |   |                       |
| <b>One-off Donation</b>  |  |   |                       |
| I pledge to make a one-off donation of £_____ direct to the account of Christ Church Highbury at Barclay's Bank, Sort Code 20-44-86, Account No. 20261807  |  | Please find enclosed a cheque for £_____ made payable to Parochial Church Council of Christ Church Highbury |                       |
| <b>Regular Giving</b>  |  |   |                       |
| I pledge to give to Christ Church the amount of  |  |   |                       |
| <b>£40</b>   | <b>£60</b>   | <b>£100</b>   | other <b>£</b>        |
| per month  | per month  | per month   | per month             |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | By Direct Debit through the Parish Giving Scheme - please send me further information and a Parish Giving Scheme form  |   |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | By Standing Order - I will set up a new Standing Order in favour of the account of the Parochial Church Council of Christ Church Highbury at Barclays Bank, Sort Code 20-44-86, Account No. 20261807   |   |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | By CAF account   | <input type="checkbox"/>  | By Give As You Earn   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | By Virgin Money Giving   | <input type="checkbox"/>  | By Numbered Envelopes |
| <b>Gift Aid declaration</b>  |  |   |                       |
| If you are a UK taxpayer and eligible to Gift Aid your donations to Christ Church, please complete the declaration below. This will increase your gift by 25p for every £1 given at no extra cost to you or the church. Thank you.   |  |   |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | Please treat as Gift Aid donations all qualifying gifts of money made from the date of this declaration and in the past four years. I am a UK taxpayer and I understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference. |   |                       |
| Home Address   |  | Post code   |                       |
| Email  |  | Phone   |                       |
| Signature  |  | Date  |                       |
| <p>1. Please notify the Church if you: Want to cancel this declaration <b>OR</b> Change your name or home address <b>OR</b> No longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains. Gift Aid is linked to basic rate tax, currently 20%, which allows charities to reclaim 25p for every £1 donated.</p> <p>2. If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self-Assessment tax return or ask HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code.</p> |  |   |                       |

