



## St Weonard's Church Legacy Policy

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Here at St Weonards, we welcome all gifts in wills – however large or small – and we promise to use your gift to make a difference in our parish.

Our **PCC Legacy Policy** is to use gifts to:

- help fund significant development or repair work to St Weonard's Church;
- support the life, ministry and outreach of the church for the benefit of the local community;
- ensure the churchyard is cared for as a place of peace in memory of loved ones, and as a space that promotes a healthy biodiversity of nature.

Since needs change over the years, we encourage you to leave a gift in your will for the general purposes of the parish rather than for a restricted purpose. We will discuss possible uses of your gift with your executors when the time comes, bearing in mind your known areas of interest in the church (e.g. building, organ, bells, music, children and youth, UK or overseas mission or aid) and the church's priorities at the time.

You can be confident that your gift will be used to make a real difference to our future mission and ministry, and that PCC members will prayerfully consider how the legacy can best be used to further our charitable purposes.

We will acknowledge gifts in whatever way the donor and/or their executors would feel most appropriate. Equally, we can make sure that gifts remain anonymous if the donor prefers.

If you would like to talk to someone in confidence about the sorts of purposes your gift might fund, and how/if you would like your gift to be acknowledged, please contact Stephen Herbert, Hon. Treasurer at [stweonardspcc@gmail.com](mailto:stweonardspcc@gmail.com) or 01981 580667.

If you would like to make a gift to our church in memory of a loved one, please do come and discuss this with us too.

Thank you.

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