#### Legacies

For the longer term do consider if you are able to leave a gift for the church in your will. Such donations are particularly valuable for building developments such as a new community building where our current Scout Hut stands.

#### What should I do now?

Pray about what your response will be and then act on this.

- If you want any advice, then please speak to one of the people below. They will be happy to sit down with you and fill in the forms required.
- Otherwise fill in the form below and return it to Ruth Swain, our Planned Giving Secretary. This form is confidential between you, the Treasurers and the Planned Giving Secretary.

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email:	email: _	

## If you have any further questions, please speak to:

Ruth Swain, Planned Giving Secretary

Nana Yaw Sarpong, Church Treasurer

Pam Clissold, Church Treasurer

Tel: 020 8561 3171

Tel: 074 2909 6479

Tel: 077 1170 1203

Thank you for reading this leaflet and giving to the great work at St Paul's.

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# Giving to Invest 2021 in:



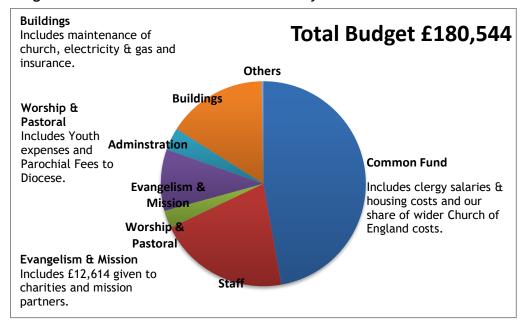
To See 10% of Harrow following Jesus by 2030

In order to fulfil our vision for 2021 above, which is to see 10 percent of Harrow following Jesus by 2030 through growing leaders including a Youth worker, through mission and discipleship, and through planting new worshipping communities, this needs money, and we all have a part to play in this. The PCC has set a budget of £180,544 which will enable us to equip our ministries at St Paul's and support mission locally and overseas.

"A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed" ~ Proverbs 11:25 ~

## How is the money spent?

Based on the budget, it costs us £3,472 a week to keep St Paul's functioning. The full budget is on the Finance notice board, but the diagram below summarises how the money is used.



"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it." ~ Malachi 3:10 ~

## Where does the money come from?

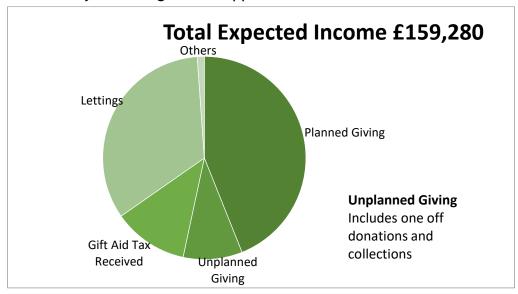
The majority of our income, about 66%, comes from our members through our planned giving and the tax that we claim on this. Our lettings account for a further 34% of our income.

The New Testament talks of giving a percentage of income (1 Corinthians 16:2). Many Christians find 10% a useful guide (Genesis 14:20 & 28:20-22), but each person should give as they feel the Lord guides and be a "cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:7).

"For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what one does not have."~2 Corinthians 8:12~

## **Income Summary**

The diagram below illustrates where our money comes from and we thank everyone who gives to support the work at St Paul's.



### How can I Join in?

## **Planned Giving Scheme**

All church members are encouraged to join the planned giving scheme as it enables us to plan our income properly. For more information on this, do speak to our Planned Giving Secretary, Ruth Swain.

#### **Occasional Gifts**

It can be any amount and if you are a tax payer we recommend you put it in one of our special yellow envelopes and fill in your details and sign it which will enable us to claim the tax back.

#### **Collections**

We do not pass collection plate round so if you are a newcomer and want to help us invest in our vision please put your gift in the red boxes near the welcome desk. We commend tax payers to use yellow envelopes please.