



# **Holy Trinity Sunningdale** Church and Community Sharing God's Love

To live by faith, to be known by love, to be a light of hope



## **Consider a Legacy in your Will**

“No matter how large or small, every gift in every Will  
makes a difference”

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## **A Lasting Gift to your Church**

Once you have made provision for your loved ones, you have the opportunity to make a lasting gift to God, by leaving a legacy to His church.

A gift in your Will to your church is one of the most valuable and lasting ways you can continue to support its mission and ministry within your community.

A gift can be an expression of your gratitude and thanksgiving towards God, help keep our church active and help transform its future.



## **Making a Real Difference**

Our Church relies upon the support of generous Christians. Our giving is vitally important and helps sustain our mission throughout our community.

There are many ways we do this. Through our church buildings and parish clergy and our wider parish ministry; by every ill person visited, every confirmation course run, every assembly taken, every bereaved family comforted, every baptism celebrated, every sermon preached, every Eucharist celebrated,

and every person shown the love of Christ through our care, comfort and compassion.



Reception class (aged 4-5) from Holy Trinity Primary School visit the church.

## Your Gift

Beyond our regular lifetime giving a gift in your will can be a final and powerful expression of your gratitude and thanksgiving towards God, and can help transform Holy Trinity's future. We pray that as you plan how to distribute your estate, you will feel encouraged to remember your church family and we invite you to consider how a gift in your will could help the Church meet the needs of future generations.

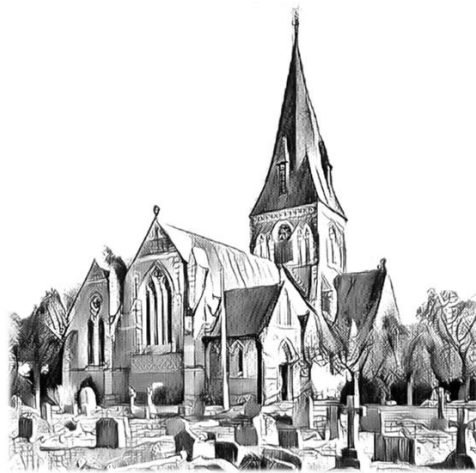


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## Our Legacy Policy

Here at Holy Trinity Sunningdale 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 projects; whether buildings, equipment, mission or staff. 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. music, buildings, children and youth, 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.

*"Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also" Luke 12.34*

## **How You Might Choose to Word a Legacy in Your Will**

### **To leave a share of your Estate**

“I give ‘X’% of my residuary estate free of all taxes to the Parochial Church Council of The Ecclesiastical Parish of Holy Trinity Sunningdale, Charity Commission Registration number 1129882 in the Diocese of Oxford, for its general purposes, and I declare that the receipt of an officer of the Parochial Church Council shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors and trustees.”

### **To leave a fixed sum of money**

“I give the sum of £ (*pounds only*) free of all taxes to the Parochial Church Council of The Ecclesiastical Parish of Holy Trinity Sunningdale, Charity Commission Registration number 1129882 in the Diocese of Oxford, for its general purposes, and I declare that the receipt of an officer of the Parochial Church Council shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors and trustees.”

### **Thank you.**

Holy Trinity is only able to continue because church members give regularly and faithfully. Thank you for your commitment and generosity. If you are considering leaving a gift to the church in your will you are welcome to discuss this with the clergy or churchwardens; we will answer any questions you may have and explain further how the PCC will manage legacy monies.