

# Building a Generous Church

These resources are designed to build on other initiatives around generosity and are specially designed for PCCs or other groups of decision makers. You can watch a film about [Building a Generous Church](#) here.

## Nuts & Bolts

**Generous Church Review** – is a deep dive into parish giving. It offers the group the opportunity to highlight what's going well and where improvements could be made. The group will come away with a manageable number of actions they are going to take.

## Changing Culture

**Generosity Fika** – a half day programme for small groups to explore God's generosity to us.

## Quick & Easy

**Giving Review** – for the PCC or Finance Committee to annually review generosity. A kind of MoT.

All resources are available on the website [churchofengland.org](http://churchofengland.org)



# GENEROSITY WEEK



Generosity Week is growing all the time. If you'd like regular updates, you can sign up [here](#).

## Promotion

Giving Advisors use a variety of ways of promoting Generosity Week – with their own mailing lists and contacts, or through Bishops, or the established Diocesan communications structure. However you want to do it, we hope you'll find these customisable resources helpful:

- Customisable promotional flyer
- Generosity Week video using the video generator on A Church Near You
- Graphics and copy for social media
- Branded email signatures
- Branded Powerpoint template

## Reaching Out

**Generous Giants** – fun ideas to help leaders explore the idea of generosity with young people. Includes the Generosity Week challenge with eight days' worth of ideas.

**Engaging with the Community** – ways of helping churches involve the community in generosity.

**Celebrating our Legacy** – explores the legacy we have received by the generosity of those who've gone before us, and encourages us to think what our response to that might be.

A series of **downloadable podcasts** enabling groups and individuals to listen to what the Bible has to say about gratitude and generosity. Reflections and suggested activities help put the learning into action.

## Liturgy

There is a selection of service outlines, sermon starters and forms of prayer for churches to adapt and use, including:

- Eight daily morning prayer services
- Evening Prayer and Compline
- Weekly service material on both Generosity and Gratitude
- Eucharist celebrating Generosity
- Eucharist celebrating Gratitude
- Service of the Word celebrating Generosity
- Service of the Word celebrating Gratitude
- Service content packs covering both Generosity and Gratitude

