How can you make the difference??

- Review the amount you currently contribute to your regular giving and increase it if you can
- Take out a standing order and gift aid your offering if you can
- If you pay by standing order already, check that your standing order is still current, and that your donation is being correctly processed
- Please consider leaving a legacy to the parish in your will.

Thank you

St. Anne's 100 Club

Please join our 100 Club to have the chance of winning £100, £30 or £20 each month.

Pay £60.00 annually and you will be allocated a number that will be entered into our monthly draw. On the last Sunday of each month, 3 numbers will be drawn out and the prizes awarded!

Money raised will contribute towards the refurbishment of the Reconciliation Room

Payment is by BACS, standing order, cheque or cash.
Forms are available in Church or on the website: http://stannes.gbr.cc

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MAKE MORE MONEY FOR YOUR PARISH

PLEASE GIFT AID YOUR WEEKLY OFFERING!

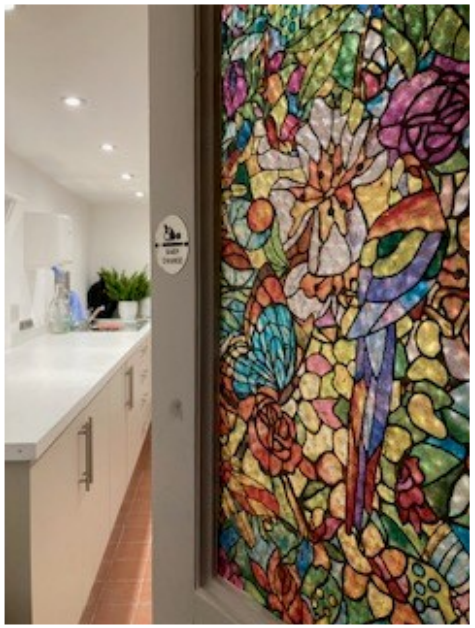
Gift Aid allows UK charities to claim back the basic rate tax already paid on donations by the donor. This means we can claim back from the government on your behalf, 25p for every £1 donated, boosting the value of your donation by a quarter.

If you are a tax payer, and you haven't done so already, please sign a gift aid declaration, and let the Government increase our parish income.

£1 + giftaid it = £1 25p

ST. ANNE'S, BUXTON FINANCIAL REPORT

The refurbished flower room



Financial report for years ending 31 March			
INCOME	**2023/24**		**2022/23**
Offertory - paid direct to bank	28,183		27,360
Envelopes	2,048		6,112
Cash Plate	7,543		3,816
Total Offertory Income	**37,774**		**37,288**
Fundraising Income	4,740		3,638
Restricted Income	3,686		2,523
Donations	9,919		6,133
Gift Aid	6,838		12,066
Hall Rents	35,595		25,518
Legacies Received	-		-
Sundry Income	942		700
Repository Income	617		650
Interest Credited	1,365		712
Grants Received for Community Centre	3,841		950
	67,543		52,890
TOTAL INCOME	**105,317**		**90,178**
EXPENDITURE			
Church Costs (Water, light, heat and repairs)	15,604		7,259
Fundraising expenditure	1,636		1,838
Centre Costs (Water, light, heat & repairs)	9,661		9,082
Insurance costs (Church, Centre and Presbytery)	2,843		2,936
Presbytery Costs (Water, light, heat, repairs and house-keeping	7,882		12,872
TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR CHURCH, PRESBYTERY AND CENTRE	**37,626**		**33,987**
Diocesan Quota	7,687		8,366
Restricted Expenditure	3,505		1,289
Payments to Clergy	3,321		11,507
Other Centre, Office and Admin Expenses	27,109		27,953
Repository Purchases	151		-
Donations Made	-		200
Sundry costs	600		927
OTHER EXPENDITURE	42,373		50,242
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	**79,999**		**84,229**

NOW IS THE TIME …

…to review your regular giving

Once again, 2023-2024 has been a challenging year with the cost of living crisis and our old buildings that need constant repair and maintenance.

We have though completed some important work. We refurbished our **BACK OF HOUSE AREAS** which included the 'tanking' of the walls in both the altar server's sacristy and the flower room because of a significant damp problem. The **FLOWER ROOM** and the toilet have been refurbished costing £25,355. We had some repair work done on the **ORGAN** which cost £6,200 and we are continuing to carry out repairs on the church. The 100 Club income has increased by £1,000; thank you to those parishioners who continue to support it. We received £6838 in Gift Aid last year and it continues to be a substantial source of income.

The recent Quinquennial Report highlighted many areas that urgently require work including the church, presbytery and garage roofs to ensure their safety and further deterioration. The Confessional and store rooms require refurbishment and we have damp problems in both the Sacristy and the Presbytery that also need attention.

However, our offertory income is flatlining with an increase last year of just 1.3% which is failing to keep up with inflation, especially heating & lighting.

So we are asking you to think and pray about your commitment to give regularly and generously. Can you remember when you last reviewed your regular giving? Now is the time to do it! Can you increase the amount you give? Can you commit to regular giving by standing order – saving on bank charges and admin? Can you Gift Aid your giving?

We are therefore asking everyone, including those who pray with us on the livestream, to please review and increase your giving to support our Church.

PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE

Last year, the Centre generated a record surplus of approx. £23,000 due to increased hirings and grant funding. Our thanks to the Centre Management Committee (CMC) for their hard work. Most of the surplus generated will be used to carry out the building work as identified in recent Diocesan surveys.

Some members of the committee will be retiring from their positions next year, so they are looking for more volunteers (individuals or groups) to take over the maintenance and health & safety roles. If you feel you could give some of your time and energy to help run the Centre, please speak to one of the members of the CMC.

We thankyou for your ongoing commitment, for all you have done and are still doing. We really appreciate all you do!