



Kingston Bagpuize with Southmoor

## LEGACY POLICY

At St John the Baptist's 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.

### How your gift will be used

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. The PCC 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, 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.

### Acknowledgement and Confidentiality

We will acknowledge gifts in whatever way the donor and/or his/her executors 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 gifts might fund, and how you would like your gift to be acknowledged, contact Jan Blotock, on/at 01865 391108

### In memoriam

If you would like to make a gift to our church in memoriam (in memory of someone else) please come and discuss this with us too. It can be a wonderful and appropriate way to remember a loved one.

We thank you for considering giving to this church family in this loving and helpful way.

Reviewer Maria Haywood

Authorised at PCC meeting held on 15 May 2023