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**2022**

First, our giving needs to be realistic about the needs of our church so   
we can pay our bills and maintain our church for today and tomorrow.

Second, our giving makes possible the life, ministry and mission of our church. Without it we could not be a living church and serve our community.

Third, generosity is part of our Christian faith. As we give freely to our loved ones so we give generously to God, honouring him and saying thank you for all he gives to us.

Fourth, good giving needs planning and must be a priority. Practically, this may mean giving by weekly envelopes, by a Standing Order or Direct Debit and, if we pay UK tax, giving by Gift Aid.

**And finally, good giving should be really practical. If everyone *increased* their giving by just £xxx a week we could achieve all our goals for this coming year.** We are all different. Some can give more and some can give less: what can you do?

If you would like to know more about ways to give to **Name of church** simply complete the enclosed response form and return it to our treasurer / Other.

**OR:** if you want to know more about planned giving please contact our treasurer / Other.

**Contact:**

Name, address, phone and email

as appropriate

**Parish of**