

# THE FRIENDS OF ST GREGORY'S CHURCH, WELFORD

England & Wales · Charity number 1171083

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** CIO

**Registered** 2017-01-12

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC TO MAINTAIN, REPAIR, RESTORE, PRESERVE, IMPROVE AND ENHANCE THE FABRIC OF ST GREGORY'S CHURCH IN THE PARISH OF WELFORD, ITS MONUMENTS, FIXTURES, FITTINGS, FURNITURE, STAINED GLASS, ORNAMENTS AND OTHER CHATTELS AND ITS CHURCHYARD.'

**Activities:** This charity exists in order to improve the facilities within St Gregory's church, the parish church of Welford with Wickham, near Newbury in west Berkshire. Improved facilities are needed to create and promote the use of the church building for the benefit of the local community as a meeting place, a venue for concerts, theatre and arts events as well as providing a more comfortable environment.

## Classification

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- **How:** Provides Other Finance
- **What:** Religious Activities, Arts/culture/heritage/science, Environment/conservation/heritage, Economic/community Development/employment, Human Rights/religious Or Racial Harmony/equality Or Diversity, Recreation
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- West Berkshire

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£1,224	£7,934	-	-
2023-12-31	£1,076	£0	-	-
2022-12-31	£2,136	£0	-	-
2021-12-31	£40	£2,038	-	-
2020-12-31	£6,292	£237	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>JAMES HENRY LAVALLIN PUXLEY</b>	Chair	2016-07-03
Deborah Puxley		2024-04-17
William Puxley		2024-04-17

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Its main purpose is to raise funds in order to provide modern day conveniences. Its aims and aspirations are to provide toilet and kitchen facilities, facilities for flower arrangers, to replace an outdated heating system, to improve the lighting and to install a sound system.

The Trustees have received funds from a local fund raising event, selling booklets about the history of the church and from Visitors. Vital expenditure was incurred mainly due to a crumbling monument and a boiler breakdown.

The current trustees are James Puxley, Deborah Puxley and William Puxley.

The accounts for the period 01/01/24 to 31/12/24 are shown below:

<b>Friends of St Gregory's Church, Welford    Charity Number 1171083</b> <b>1st January 2024 to 31st December 2024</b>
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	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>EXPENDITURE</b>
Balance as at 1st January 2024	£26538.57	
Donations	£1,223.81	
Repairs		7934.29
Balance as at 31st December 2024		£19828.09
	<u>£27762.38</u>	<u>£27762.38</u>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2023</b>		<b>£26538.57</b>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2024</b>		<b>£19828.09</b>
<b>Decrease in funds for the year</b>		<b>£6710.48</b>

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<b>1st January 2023 to 31st December 2023</b>

	INCOME	EXPENDITURE
Balance as at 1st January 2023	£25,462.52	
Donations	£1,076.05	
		£0
Balance as at 31st December 2023		£26,538.57
	<u>£26,538.57</u>	<u>£26,538.57</u>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2022</b>		<b>£25,462.52</b>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2023</b>		<b>£26,528.57</b>
<b>Increase in funds for the year</b>		<b>£1,076.05</b>

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The Trustees have received funds from a local fund raising event, selling booklets about the history of the church and from visitors.

The current trustees are James Puxley, Lynn Woodhead and a third person who is due to be appointed shortly.

The accounts for the period 01/01/22 to 31/12/22 are shown below:

<b>Friends of St Gregory's Church, Welford</b>	<b>Charity Number</b>
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<b>1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022</b>	

	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>EXPENDITURE</b>
Balance as at 1st January 2022	23,326.56	
Donations and fund raising	2,135.96	
Balance as at 31st December 2022		25,462.52
	<u>£25,462.52</u>	<u>£25,462.52</u>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2021</b>		<b>£23,326.56</b>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2022</b>		<b>£25,462.5</b>

<b>Increase in funds for the year</b>	<b>£2135.96</b>
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The Covid pandemic has still affected the ability to arrange a major fund-raising event during 2021. Considerable expenditure is anticipated and a further building of funds is required. It is hoped that further fundraising will take place over the next 2-3 years

The current trustees are James Puxley, Lynn Woodhead and a third person, pending making the appointment.

The accounts for the period 01/01/21 to 31/12/21 are shown below:

<b>Friends of St Gregory's Church, Welford    Charity Number 1171083</b> <b>1st January 2021 to 31st December 2021</b>
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	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>EXPENDITURE</b>
Balance as at 1st January 2021	£25,314.56	
Donations	£40.00	
Boiler maintenance		£2,028.00
Balance as at 31st December 2021		£23,326.56
	<u>£25,354.56</u>	<u>£25,354.56</u>
	<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2020</b>	<b>£25,314.56</b>
	<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2021</b>	<b>£23,326.56</b>
	<b>Loss for the year</b>	<b>£1,988.00</b>

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The accounts for the period 01/01/20 to 31/12/20 are shown below:

<b>Friends of St Gregory's Church, Welford    Charity Number 1171083</b>		
<b>1st January 2020 to 31st December 2020</b>		
	<b>INCOME</b>	<b>EXPENDITURE</b>
Fundraising Visits	£1287.00	
Donations	£5005.00	
Boiler maintenance		-236.95
	<u>£6,292.00</u>	<u>-£236.95</u>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2019</b>		<b>£19,259.51</b>
<b>Bank Balance at 31st December 2020</b>		<b>£25,314.56</b>