

FRIENDS OF LEIGH CHURCH

England & Wales · Charity number 1174913

Details

Other names FOLC

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 2017-10-02

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

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Activities

Objects: A. FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC TO MAINTAIN, REPAIR, RESTORE, PRESERVE, IMPROVE AND ENHANCE THE FABRIC OF THE CHURCH OF LEIGH INCLUDING ITS MONUMENTS, FIXTURES, FITTINGS, FURNITURE, STAINED GLASS, ORNAMENTS AND OTHER CHATTELS AND ITS CHURCHYARD.B. FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT, TO PROMOTE THE BENEFITS OF THE INHABITANTS OF LEIGH AND SURROUNDING AREAS, WITHOUT DISTINCTION OF SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, RACE OR POLITICAL, RELIGIOUS OR OTHER OPINIONS BY ASSOCIATING THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES, VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS AND INHABITANTS IN A COMMON EFFORT TO ADVANCE EDUCATION AND TO PROVIDE FACILITIES IN THE INTERESTS OF SOCIAL WELFARE FOR RECREATION AND LEISURE-TIME OCCUPATION WITH THE OBJECT OF IMPROVING THE CONDITIONS OF LIFE FOR THE SAID INHABITANTS;C. FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT, TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC IN THE HERITAGE OF THE CHURCH AND THE LOCAL AREA BY PROVIDING INFORMATION ON ITS HISTORY AND ARCHITECTURE.

Activities: TO RAISE FUNDS AND SUPPORT THE RESTORATION, PRESERVATION, REPAIR, MAINTENANCE, AND IMPROVEMENT OF ST GILES CHURCH AND ITS SURROUNDINGS. TO MAKE THE CHURCH MORE ACCESSIBLE TO THE WIDER COMMUNITY THROUGH PROVISION OF COMMUNITY FACILITIES AND ACTIVITIES, SOCIAL WELFARE SUPPORT AND THROUGH HERITAGE EDUCATIONAL PROJECTS.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Other Finance, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Arts/culture/heritage/science, Environment/conservation/heritage, Recreation
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Somerset

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-09-30	£11,620	£5,423	-	-
2024-09-30	£7,597	£4,303	-	-
2023-09-30	£8,767	£3,898	-	-
2022-09-30	£4,809	£3,052	-	-
2021-09-30	£2,834	£4,563	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
David James Mattick OBE	Chair	2015-08-25
Augustus Figaro Niso Unger-Hamilton		2025-03-24
Brian David Beckett		2024-03-01
Catherine Mitchell Drinkwater		2025-10-03
Dr CAROLINE JANE DOVE		2016-04-11
RICHARD GERALD BLAKER		2017-06-05