

## PARISH ACCOUNTS - YEAR ENDED 31st AUGUST 2025



The ordinary cost of running the cathedral parish in the year period was £722 per day or £5,067 per week.



Each adult attending Sunday Mass donated on average £3.68 per week, which amounted to £2,805 per week in total (55% of our day to day running costs).

We also received money from things like car park charges, candles, donations, and rent from the diocese.



At 31st August 2025, the parish had a bank balance of £126,657 and £355,061 on deposit. This is after legacies of £98,805, Closer to Christ donations of £49,173 and donations of £14,500 from richer parishes.



A recent costing by surveyors of the essential repairs and maintenance required to the building over the next few years indicates the need to spend about £2.5 million.

Here are some ways you can support your cathedral financially.



Stable giving: Set up a regular donation by Standing Order. If it has been a while since you last did so, increase your regular donation to take account of inflation.



Sensible giving: If you are a UK taxpayer, sign up today to boost your donation by 25% with Gift Aid at no extra cost to you.

Serious giving: Don't just give the leftovers to God...be generous in your giving.

## Our bank account details are:

Lloyds Bank, Southsea branch

Account name: CDP St Johns Cathedral