A Lasting Gift

We welcome all gifts in wills, however large or small, and we promise to use your gift to make a difference in our parish.

Three simple steps

We encourage every adult

church member to:

- 1) Make a Will and review it regularly.
- 2) Consider leaving a gift to our parish.
- 3) Request a free information pack.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND Diocese of Norwich Benefice

How you can make a lasting gift to your Parish

You may wish to leave a legacy gift to support:

- the general purposes of the Parish
- the church's ministry to young people in the Parish,
- a reordering project in the church
- the music and worship ministry in the church
- preserve the historic church buildings and its fabric

To request a free information pack, please visit www.churchlegacy.org.uk

You can also speak to the Treasurer or Church Warden in confidence about gifts in Wills.

Horsford Benefice

www.horsfordbenefice.org.uk

A lasting difference

Your Parish, your gift

Our Legacy Policy

It has always been a great encouragement whenever someone has left a gift in his or



her will to one of our Churches in the past. It's their testimony to the faithfulness, goodness and generosity of God and their thankfulness for the life of the three Parish churches of Felthorpe, Horsford and Hevingham. I want to encourage everyone in our church family, old and young to make a will, review it regularly, and consider the difference a gift in your will could make. Thank you.

Revd Margaret McPhee, Rector

Many people give regularly to the life and work of the three parishes. We are stewards of everything we own, not just our income, and gifts in wills are a natural part of that giving. They are a valuable and lasting way to invigorate the life of the three Parish churches and transform their futures.



A gift in your will can be an expression of your gratitude and thanksgiving towards God, and can help keep your local church alive, and transform its future. The PCC's have written a Legacy Policy confirming that they will use your gift, however large or small, to make a real difference to the church to which you leave your gift.

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthinans 9.7 The policy of the PCC's is to use gifts in wills to help fund significant development projects in the Parish. Since needs change over the years, we encourage church members to leave a gift in your will for the general purposes of the parish, rather than for a restricted purpose. The Rector or Churchwardens will discuss with executors the most appropriate use of the gift in the light of current projects and the donor's known areas of interest in the church (e.g. children and youth, music, buildings).

Suggested wording for your will:

"I give % of my residuary estate OR I give the sum of \pounds (pounds only) free of all taxes to the Parochial Church Council of the parish of Church [insert name] of Horsford Benefice in the Diocese of Norwich, and I declare that the receipt of an officer of the Parochial Church Council shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors and trustees." We strongly advise you see a solicitor when writing or amending your will.

All Saints

St. Margaret's

St. Mary & St. Botolph