The Church Commissioners support the Church of England’s ministry, particularly in areas of need and opportunity.

We do this through responsible and ethical management of the Church of England’s permanent endowment fund, a diverse investment portfolio which enables us to provide financial support for the Church, by helping to ensure funding is intentionally used for mission and growth.

In addition to managing the investment fund, the Church Commissioners support the Church’s mission and heritage by providing funding, sound frameworks, and expert advice in support of England’s cathedrals, church buildings and Bishops’ ministry.
Supporting the Church of England - in numbers

£10.3bn

At the end of 2022, the Church Commissioners' investment fund held assets valued at £10.3bn.

How we invest

£1.2bn

We have committed to distribute £1.2bn to the Church of England over the next three years (2023-25).

How we distribute

Around 20%

The Church Commissioners for England contribute towards around 20% of the annual running costs of the Church of England.

Impact of our funding
Factsheet: How we invest

Funds for the Church

The Church Commissioners support the Church of England by investing in a diverse portfolio to ensure returns that are in line with the average returns over the last 30 years. The Church Commissioners' investments are managed to support the Church of England's charitable goals and to ensure that the investments are sustainable for the long term.

Factsheet: How we distribute

Funding for the Church

The Church Commissioners support the Church of England by providing funding for the Church's charitable activities and community projects. The funding is distributed across various areas, including education, healthcare, and community development.

Increased funding distributions for 2023-2029

- Strategic funding
- Core
- Development
- Projects
- Voluntary organisations

The Church Commissioners aim to ensure that the funding is distributed in a way that supports the Church's charitable activities and community projects, while also ensuring that the investments are sustainable for the long term.

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Who we are

We are committed to good governance and accountability.

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What we do

We fund mission in churches, dioceses and cathedrals.

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How we invest

We manage an £10.3bn investment fund in an ethical and responsible way.

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Our people

We are proud of our excellent trustees and staff, and their expertise and commitment in enabling the support given to the Church.