

# Community Projects & Improving Community Facilities

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## All Churches Trust Ltd.

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**Web:** [www.allchurches.co.uk](http://www.allchurches.co.uk)

**Grant potential:** £1,000 - £5,000  
(But can make larger grants)

**Interests:** Offers grants for church building and restoration projects, the repair of church fabric and church community initiatives such as welcoming facilities and community facilities.

**How to Apply:** Applications should be submitted in writing. Forms are available on their website.

**Exclusions:** Running costs and salaries.

**Charity No:** 263960

## The ASDA Foundation: Transforming Communities

**Contact Details:**

0113 243 5435

ASDA House  
Southbank  
Great Wilson Street  
Leeds, LE11 5AP

**Web:** [www.asdafoundation.org](http://www.asdafoundation.org)

**Grant potential:** £1,000 - £30,000

**Interests:** To provide financial support to local good causes that have direct support and involvement of ASDA colleagues, locally in stores, depots, George House and ASDA House.

**How to Apply:** Visit their website for further information on their programmes. Applications should go through your local store or depot.

**Charity No:** 1124268

# The Bernard Sunley Charitable Foundation

**Contact Details:**

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20 Berkeley Square  
London, W1J 6LH

**Email:** [office@bernardsunley.org](mailto:office@bernardsunley.org)

**Web:** [www.bernardsunley.org](http://www.bernardsunley.org)

**Grant potential:** 3 Levels

Small = £1,000 - £5,000

Medium = £5,001 - £24,999

Large = £25,000 or more

**Interests:** To give grants to charitable institutions.

Majority of grants are for community projects to raise the quality of life, particularly for those who are young, disadvantaged, deprived, disabled or elderly.

They will fund amenities within a church building for use by the whole community, including toilets, kitchen facilities and disability access.

**How to Apply:** Via their online application form. You need to provide strong evidence of community consultation and secular activities that are open to your local community. There is no application deadline and the Trustees meet on a regular basis.

**Exclusions:** Grants for capital projects only. Projects with a total budget of under £3,000 are not eligible.

**Charity No:** 1109099

# The Bishop Radford Trust

**Contact Details:**

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Mr D Marks  
Devonshire House  
1 Devonshire Street  
London, W1W 5DR

**Email:**

[thebishopradfordtrust@ntlworld.com](mailto:thebishopradfordtrust@ntlworld.com)

**Grant potential:** £1,000 - £10,000

**Interests:** The Trust provides grants to promote the work of the Christian Church relating to 1) Projects promoting charitable purposes 2) The education of Priests, Future Priests and Church Workers, 3) To support church ministry.

Smaller grants are available towards restoration and repair; larger grants are available for community and church related projects.

**How to Apply:** Contact the Trust directly.

**Charity No:** 1113562

## Charles Hayward Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7370 7067

Dorothy Napierala  
Hayward House  
45 Harrington Gardens  
London, SW7 4JU

**Web:**

[www.charleshaywardfoundation.org.uk](http://www.charleshaywardfoundation.org.uk)

**Grant potential:** £7,000

**Interests:** The Foundation funds preventative and early intervention programmes delivered at a community level. Also interested in creative programmes, which improve the quality of life for older people.

**How to Apply:** Complete the small grant application form found on their website and submit along with your most recently audited/examined set of accounts.

**Exclusions:** For the Small Grant Programme you must have an income of less than £350,000.

**Charity No:** 1078969

## Community Foundations / Chests

**Contact Details:**

[www.ukcommunityfoundations.org/our-network](http://www.ukcommunityfoundations.org/our-network)

**Web:**

[www.ukcommunityfoundations.org/](http://www.ukcommunityfoundations.org/)

**Grant potential:** £10,000 +  
(Grant amounts will vary)

**Interests:** There are 46 Community Foundations across the UK who provide grants to organisations investing in local communities. Foundations / Chests usually fund community buildings providing support to local people via various programmes and initiatives.

**How to Apply:** Applications should be submitted using an online application form, available on their website.

**Exclusions:** Providers will outline what they will and will not fund.

**Charity No:** Contact your local provider

## The Co-op Local Community Fund

**Contact Details:**

0800 023 4708

**Interests:** The Community Fund gives back to millions of members in their community – providing funding to local causes that their members care about.

The Co-op will not fund projects which promote

**Web:** [www.asdafoundation.org](http://www.asdafoundation.org)

**Email:** [membershipcontactus@co-operative.coop](mailto:membershipcontactus@co-operative.coop)

**Grant potential:** visit website.

religious belief, however they will consider applications from religious organisations, if they're for the good of the whole community.

**How to Apply:** Online application form available on their website. They have 2 Giving Periods (usually 6 months) each year.

**Charity No:** 1124268

## Historic Churches Trust (HCT)

**Contact Details:**

Contact your local Historic Churches Trust.

**Grant potential:** £2,000 - £15,000  
(But can make larger grants)

**Interests:** The majority of counties have their own Historic Churches Trust, supporting repairs and restoration projects including community facilities. You may also be able to apply to your local HCT for partnership grants with the National Churches Trust (NCT).

**How to Apply:** Applications should be submitted in writing. Forms are available on most HCT websites.

**Exclusions:** Each HCT will outline what they will and will not fund.

**Charity No:** Contact your local HCT

## Church Urban Fund – Together Grants

**Contact Details:**  
020 7898 1508

Church Urban Fund  
Church House  
Great Smith Street  
London, SW1P 3AZ

**Email:** [funding@cuf.org.uk](mailto:funding@cuf.org.uk)

**Web:** [www.cuf.org.uk](http://www.cuf.org.uk)

**Interests:** Grants are available to faith-based groups working to tackle poverty in England's poorest communities.

**How to Apply:** Visit Church Urban Fund website to view Guidance Notes. Contact your local Diocesan Link Officer.

**Grant potential:** £5,000

**Charity No:** 297483

## The Cinnamon Network – Micro Grants

**Contact Details:**

Matt Bird  
5 The Square  
Bagshot  
Surrey, GU19 5AX

**Email:**

[comms@cinnamonnetwork.co.uk](mailto:comms@cinnamonnetwork.co.uk)

**Web:** [www.cinnamonnetwork.co.uk](http://www.cinnamonnetwork.co.uk)

**Grant potential:** £2,000

**Interests:** The provision of grant funding to facilitate churches and charities in effecting community transformation.

The Cinnamon Network invites local churches in England to start a Cinnamon Network recognised church based community project.

**How to Apply:** Via their website

**Exclusions:** £2,000 match funding is required.

**Charity No:** 1156985

## The Clothworkers' Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7623 7041

Clothworkers Hall  
Dunster Court  
London, EC3R 7AH

**Email:**

[foundation@clothworkers.co.uk](mailto:foundation@clothworkers.co.uk)

**Web:**

<http://foundation.clothworkers.co.uk>

**Grant potential:**

Small Grants = £10,000  
Main Grants = No max grant,  
Average grant £25,000

**Interests:** Provide grants to improve the lives of people and communities. The Foundation supports a number of areas including encouragement of young people, elderly, homelessness, alcohol and substance misuse, prisoners and ex-offenders.

**How to Apply:** Apply online. There are no application deadlines.

**Exclusions:** They do not fund religious institutions unless the project is open to all and does not impose their faith on service users.

**Charity No:** 274100

## Esmée Fairbairn Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7812 3700

Esmée Fairbairn Foundation  
Kings Place  
90 York Way  
London, N1 9AG

**Email:** [info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk](mailto:info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk)

**Web:** [www.esmeefairbairn.org.uk](http://www.esmeefairbairn.org.uk)

**Grant potential:** Range from  
£6,000 to £1.25m.  
Median Average = £90,000

**Interests:** The Foundation is one of the largest UK independent grant-making foundations and aims to improve the quality of life throughout the UK. They fund innovative projects principally in the areas of Arts, Children and Young People, Environment, Social Change, Food and Social Investment.

**How to Apply:** Information is available via their website. There is a two-stage application process and the first stage is online. There are no deadlines.

**Exclusions:** Do not fund building or equipment costs.

**Charity No:** 200051

## Fisherbeck Charitable Trust

**Contact Details:**

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Ian Cheal  
Home Farm House  
63 Ferringham Lane  
Worthing, BN12 5LL

**Email:** [ian@roffeyhomes.com](mailto:ian@roffeyhomes.com)

**Grant potential:** £5,000 - £30,000

**Interests:** The Trust make grants for the advancement of the Christian religion, to encourage conservation of the environment and the preservation of our heritage. They are also interested in helping religious and faith groups who are helping their neighbours throughout the world.

**How to Apply:** Contact the Trust directly.

**Charity No:** 1107287

## The Foyle Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7430 9119

The Foyle Foundation  
Rugby Chambers  
2 Rugby Street  
London, WC1N 3QU

**Interests:**

Small grants scheme - supporting smaller charities working at grass roots and local community level.

Main grants schemes - arts/learning - support projects that help deliver artistic vision (performing or visual arts) or facilitate the acquisition of knowledge.

**Email:** [info@foylefoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@foylefoundation.org.uk)

**Web:** [www.foylefoundation.org.uk](http://www.foylefoundation.org.uk)

**Grant potential:**

Small Grants = £10,000

Main Grants = £50,000

**How to Apply:** Download and fill in the application form. There are no deadlines for submission, decisions are rolling but can take up to four months.

**Charity No:** 1081766

## Garfield Weston Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7399 6565

Garfield Weston Foundation  
Weston Centre  
10 Grosvenor Street  
London, W1K 4QY

**Email:** [gdarocha@garfieldweston.org](mailto:gdarocha@garfieldweston.org)

**Web:** [www.garfieldweston.org](http://www.garfieldweston.org)

**Grant potential:**

Average Grant £5,000 - £30,000

Regular Grants up to £100,000

Major Grants £100,000 plus

**Interests:** The Foundation supports a broad range of capital projects, especially providing new facilities that will have a positive impact on the community. Capital Grants include funds towards basic amenities and for restoration works to historic buildings such as roof repairs. The Trustees favour projects that benefit large numbers of people and are inclusive.

**How to Apply:** Online Application Form. No deadlines, applications take around 4-6 months to turn around.

**Exclusions:** They like you to apply when at least 50% of budget has been secured.

**Charity No:** 230260

## Greggs Foundation

**Contact Details:**

01912 127626

Greggs Foundation  
Fernwood House  
Clayton Road  
Jesmond  
Newcastle upon Tyne, NE2 1TL

**Email:**

[greggsfoundation@greggs.co.uk](mailto:greggsfoundation@greggs.co.uk)

**Interests:** Aims to make a difference to the lives of people in need in the heart of Greggs Local Communities.

The main fund is the Local Community Project Fund, which gives grants of £2,000. It also has a major grants programme in the North East which gives grants of £45,000. Projects should focus on disability, young people, poverty, homelessness, isolation, the elderly or other demonstrable significant need.

**How to Apply:** Via the website.

**Web:** [www.greggsfoundation.org.uk](http://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk)

**Exclusions:** Are more likely to make grants to local organisations based near Greggs shops. Please use the shop locator on their website.

**Grant potential:** £2,000

**Charity No:** 296590

## The Headley Trust

**Contact Details:**

020 7410 0330

Mr Alan Peter Bookbinder  
The Sainsbury Family  
Charitable Trusts  
The Peak  
5 Wilton Road

London, SW1V 1AP

**Email:** [info@sfct.org.uk](mailto:info@sfct.org.uk)

**Web:** [www.sfct.org.uk](http://www.sfct.org.uk)

**Interests:** Funding is given for:

Cathedrals and Major Churches: Restoration or repair work to the fabric of ancient cathedrals, parish church cathedrals and large churches of exceptional architectural merit.

Parish Churches: Fabric repairs to listed medieval parish churches in sparsely populated and less prosperous rural areas. Provision or upgrade of parish church toilet facilities and disabled access.

**How to Apply:** There is no Application Form or deadline. Apply by post (no more than two sides of A4). Should receive an answer within 8 weeks of your application being acknowledged.

**Exclusions:** Urban churches are not eligible, and funding is available for fabric only (including windows).

**Grant potential:** £5,000 - £40,000

**Charity No:** 266620

## The Henry Smith Charity

**Contact Details:**

020 7264 4970

The Henry Smith Charity  
Applications 6th Floor  
65 Leadenhall Street  
London, EC3A 2AD

**Interests:** The Charity make grants totaling approximately £25 million each year to up to 1,000 organisations and charities throughout the UK for initiatives and projects that address social inequality and economic disadvantage.

Funding categories include community service and centres, disability, homeless, older people, abuse, and



**Web:** [www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk](http://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk)

**Grant potential:** £10,000 +

young people.

**How to Apply:** Via the website

**Exclusions:** Capital appeals for places of worship unless providing services for the elderly and/or homeless.

**Charity No:** 230102

## The IGAS Energy Community Foundation

**Contact Details:**

01293 873947

IGas Community Fund  
Flintstones  
School Lane, Colyton  
Devon, EX24 6NT

**Email:**

[contact@igascommunityfund.co.uk](mailto:contact@igascommunityfund.co.uk)

**Web:**

[www.igascommunityfund.co.uk](http://www.igascommunityfund.co.uk)

**Grant potential:** £2,000 - £10,000

**Interests:** This fund supports projects that make a difference to life in the mainly rural communities where IGAS operate. The fund supports community and voluntary organisations that are charitable, educational or benevolent in purpose.

Funded categories include community regeneration, vulnerable people, heritage, self help groups, health, education and sustainability.

**How to Apply:** Application form available on their website.

## The Joseph Rank Trust

**Contact Details:**

01293 873947

Dr. John Higgs, Secretary  
The Joseph Rank Trust  
Worth Corner  
Turners Hill Road  
Crawley, RH10 7SL

**Email:** [secretary@ranktrust.org](mailto:secretary@ranktrust.org)

**Web:** [www.ranktrust.org](http://www.ranktrust.org)

**Interests:** Projects that demonstrate a Christian approach to the practical, educational and spiritual needs of people of all ages. As well as the adaption of Church properties with a view to providing improved facilities for use by the church and its work in the community in which it is based.

Particular consideration is given to Churches that advance the Christian faith by funding projects that meet the social needs of the community around them.

**How to Apply:** There is no Application Form, visit the

**Grant potential:** £10,000 - £50,000

website for further details.

**Charity No:** 1093844

## The Liz and Terry Bramall Foundation

**Contact Details:**

01423 566666

Dr Terence George Bramall  
C/O Raworths LLP  
Eton House  
89 Station Parade  
Harrogate  
HG1 1HF

**Grant potential:** It varies.  
Average gift size is £10,000 but do give large amounts.

**Interests:** The charity supports charitable organisations that promote Christian Faith in accordance with the beliefs of the Church of England. The Foundation also supports urban or rural regeneration in areas of social/economic deprivation for the benefit of the public.

**How to Apply:** Contact the Trust.

**Charity No:** 1121670

## National Churches Trust – Community Grants

**Contact Details:**

020 7222 0605

National Churches Trust  
7 Tufton Street  
London, SW1P 3QB

**Email:**

[info@nationalchurchestrust.org](mailto:info@nationalchurchestrust.org)

**Web:** [www.nationalchurchestrust.org](http://www.nationalchurchestrust.org)

**Grant potential:** £5,000-£20,000

**Interests:** Community Grants available for installing essential facilities (such as kitchens and toilets) and improving access for all. Projects must have an estimated cost of at least £25,000 (including VAT and fees) to qualify.

**How to Apply:** Apply online via website. You can apply at any time until 12<sup>th</sup> September 2016.

**Exclusions:** Heating and Lighting.

**Charity No:** 1119845

## National Churches Trust – Project Development Grants

**Contact Details:**

020 7222 0605

National Churches Trust  
7 Tufton Street  
London, SW1P 3QB

**Email:**

[info@nationalchurchestrust.org](mailto:info@nationalchurchestrust.org)

**Web:** [www.nationalchurchestrust.org](http://www.nationalchurchestrust.org)

**Grant potential:** £1,000-£10,000

**Interests:** The NCT's Project Development Grant programme offers the opportunity to apply for grants of up to £10,000 to help churches develop high quality sustainable repair and community projects.

**How to Apply:** Apply online, upcoming deadline is September 2017.

**Exclusions:**

**Charity No:** 1119845

## Section 106 Funding

**Contact Details:**

Contact your District Council for further information.

**Grant potential:** £10,000 +

**Interests:** Under Section 106 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, as amended, contributions can be sought from developers towards the costs of providing community and social infrastructure, the need for which has arisen as a result of a new development taking place.

Funding is available for upgrading facilities, which are available for anyone in the community to use. The funding can also support works such as a new build, extensions, refurbishment, provision of disabled facilities and provision of facilities to enable the community building to diversify its use.

**How to Apply:** Contact your District Council

**Charity No:**

## The Rank Foundation

**Contact Details:**

**Interests:** Particular consideration is given to Churches that advance the Christian faith by funding projects

Rosamond McNulty  
The Rank Foundation  
12 Warwick Square  
London, SW1V 2AA

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**Web:** [www.rankfoundation.co.uk](http://www.rankfoundation.co.uk)

**Grant potential:** £7,000

that meet the social needs of the community around them.

**How to Apply:** The Foundation run a Small Funding Stream, and you can apply via their online application form.

**Exclusions:** Church buildings, except where facilities are a part of a community appeal. You must have raised a third of your total costs.

**Charity No:** 276976

## The Tudor Trust

**Contact Details:**

020 7727 8522

Miss Fiona Young  
The Tudor Trust  
7 Ladbroke Grove  
London, W11 3BD

**Email:** [general@tudortrust.org.uk](mailto:general@tudortrust.org.uk)

**Web:** [www.tudortrust.org.uk](http://www.tudortrust.org.uk)

**Grant potential:** No minimum or maximum grant. Contact the Trust.

**Interests:** The Trust fund Community-led groups and projects that support people on the margins of society.

**How to Apply:** Two-stage application process – guidelines and details are available from the website.

**Exclusions:** They do not fund the promotion of religion.

**Charity No:** 1105580

## The Trusthouse Charitable Foundation

**Contact Details:**

020 7264 4990

Judith Leigh, Grants Manager  
The Trusthouse Charitable  
Foundation  
Sixth Floor  
65 Leadenhall Street  
London, EC3A 2AD

**Interests:** Grants are given for a range of charitable purposes including rural issues, urban deprivation, community support, disability, arts, education and heritage.

The adaption of Church properties with a view to providing improved facilities for use by the church and its work in the community.

**How to Apply:** Via website and downloadable

**Web:**

<http://www.trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/>

**Grant potential:** £1,000 - £30,000

application form.

**Exclusions:** Capital appeals for Places of Worship unless these are primarily for community use - such as an adjoining church hall or clearly defined community area within a POW.

**Charity No:** 1063945