



**Money Matters Clergy Training Day  
Cuthbert House, Stonebridge,  
DH1 3RY**

**3 July 2018**

**9.30am – 3.30pm**



Diocese of Durham

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## Programme

9.30am	Arrival, registration, networking and browse resources
9.45am	Welcomes and Introductions
10.00am	Developing a Theology of Giving ( <b>ABB</b> on Money and the Church, <b>TB</b> on generosity, <b>ABB</b> on Anglican ecclesiology)
11.00am	Coffee
11.30-11.40am	Practical Exercise - Starter for ten..... <b>Practical exercise</b> 10 questions aimed at identifying the extent of clergy understanding of their obligations in respect of parish legal and financial administration. <b>RSB</b>
11.40am-12.10pm	Actual Role & Responsibilities of Clergy in respect of charity law and their obligations to ensure PCC compliance incorporating proposed and actual legislative changes. Some key accounting terms and their meaning, including basic bookkeeping principles. <b>RSB</b> .
12.10pm - 1.00pm	<b>Practical exercise</b> , interpreting financial information: <b>RSB</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The spiritual health of a church as portrayed by its accounts</li> <li>• Understanding the Balance Sheet</li> </ul>
1.00pm – 1.45pm	Lunch – will be provided
1.45pm – 2.30pm	Workshops round 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parish Giving Scheme/Parish Buying/Contactless Giving <b>SL</b></li> <li>• “Ask the Audience” – any questions training session for a PCC <b>NB</b></li> </ul>
2.30pm – 3.15pm	Workshops round 2 (as above) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parish Giving Scheme/Parish Buying/Contactless Giving <b>SL</b></li> <li>• “Ask the Audience” – any questions training session for a PCC <b>NB</b></li> </ul>
3.15pm – 3.30pm	Plenary and Closing Prayer

## **Why attend?**

Parish clergy carry responsibility for helping to ensure that money is well-managed in the Church – but we often feel ill-equipped to do this. I (Alan) had never read a balance sheet before I was ordained and still can't count. And is managing money really part of priestly ministry??

But the shortage of money is having a huge impact on ministry in our Diocese and we need to raise more and manage it better...

This day will include both some short and sharp theological input on God, the Church and Money and then some very practical training on the responsibilities of charity trustees (i.e. PCCs) about money and on reading a balance sheet!

And workshops on the Parish Giving Scheme, Parish Buying, Contactless Giving and much more!

The day is aimed at clergy but do bring a friendly treasurer with you...

## **Information on Our Speakers and Workshop Leaders**

The Revd Canon Dr Alan Bartlett (former Vicar of Gilesgate) Clergy Development Adviser

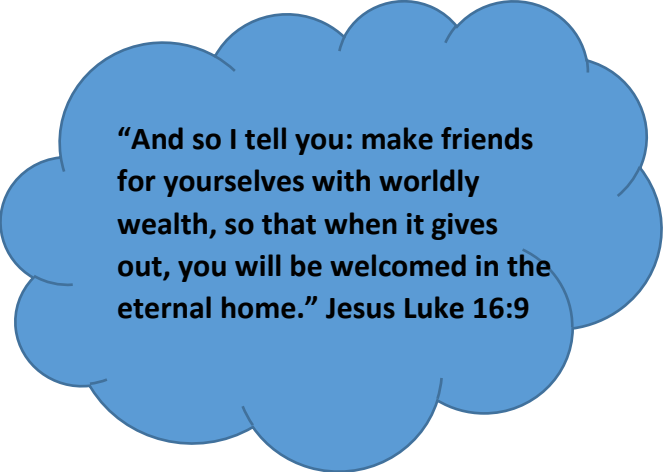
The Revd Tom Brazier - Vicar of Greenside

Ms Sam Lee – Finance Resources Coordinator

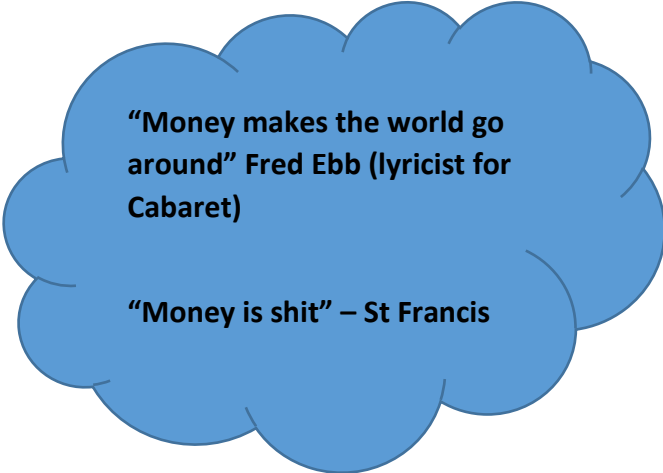
Mr Nathan Bruce – Parish Giving Champion

Mr Robert Scott-Biggs – Founder member of ACAT and one of their regular trainers

## **Some Thoughts on Money**



**“And so I tell you: make friends for yourselves with worldly wealth, so that when it gives out, you will be welcomed in the eternal home.” Jesus Luke 16:9**



**“Money makes the world go around” Fred Ebb (lyricist for Cabaret)**

**“Money is shit” – St Francis**

## **People who have attended previous training events with us said ..**

“Thank you. It was a really helpful session.” “Enjoyable”, “informative”, “opportunity to improve professionally”, “networking”, “good to have space to think”.

## Booking Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

Any special dietary requirements allergies etc: \_\_\_\_\_

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To book your place fill in the booking form and return to  
[kate.martin@durham.anglican.org](mailto:kate.martin@durham.anglican.org) or telephone 0191 374 6017 by  
Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2018.