

The Impact of our work

Standing with those who serve

Clergy Support Trust exists to ensure that Anglican clergy and their families can continue to serve their communities with hope, health and dignity.

We provide financial, health and wellbeing support to clergy households facing hardship. As rising living costs, increasing demands on parish ministry, and financial pressures continue to affect clergy families, our support has never been more needed.

Our Impact in Greater London

In 2025 we supported 2,900 households across the UK with a grant or service, 14% of our grants were given to Clergy and their families living in Greater London.

Below are a few of the ways that we supported clergy households across Greater London:

- Supporting **42 families** with **school uniforms, books and educational activities**, ensuring children could fully participate in school life.
- Providing **£11,815** to support **16 young carers**, giving them access to respite, wellbeing activities and practical assistance.
- Supporting **55 households** with **emergency grants** for essential household appliances.
- Helping **60 individuals** fund **critical vehicle repairs**, ensuring they could remain mobile and continue serving communities.
- Providing **16 grants** for **rehabilitation** and physical therapies.

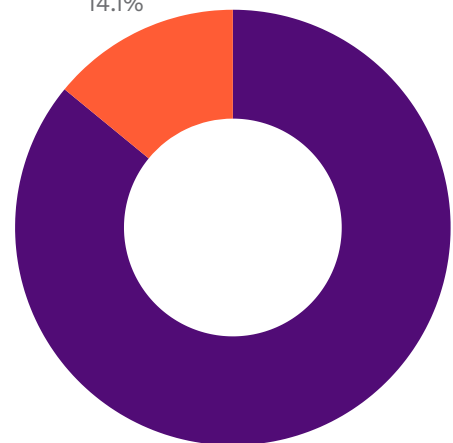
These grants do more than meet immediate needs. They reduce stress, protect wellbeing, strengthen family resilience and enable clergy to continue their vital work at the heart of communities.



We were privileged to support Becca through our Visiting Caseworker Service.

“Having their expertise, reassuring and helping us navigate SEN, a system that was completely alien to us was so helpful.”

Applicants within
Greater London
14.1%



All other applicants
85.9%

Why This Matters

Every day, clergy provide support that extends far beyond the church walls. They lead community services, support schools, visit the sick and bereaved, host food banks and warm spaces, and provide support to people facing crisis.

When clergy families experience financial hardship, the impact is felt not only by the household itself but also by the wider communities they serve.

By supporting clergy wellbeing, you help sustain a network of community care that reaches thousands of people across the country.

Lina's story

Six year-old Lina has spina bifida. She's energetic, determined and wants to race her friends in the playground, like any other child.

To be active and live life to the full, she needed wheelchairs that were fit-for-purpose. But the wheelchairs provided by the local authority caused discomfort and limited her independence.

With our supporters help, we were able to fund a comfortable everyday chair, and a specialist sports wheelchair.

"These wheelchairs have changed Lina's life. It's been crucial for her, and given her a sense of self-confidence."

Nik, Lina's father and an Army Chaplain



Why Partner with Clergy Support Trust?

A grant from your Livery Company would align closely with the historic charitable traditions of the City of London. Founded in 1655, Clergy Support Trust is the largest charity dedicated to the wellbeing of Anglican clergy and their families.

Demand for our services continues to grow. Rising costs and increasing pressures on clergy households mean that more families are turning to us for support each year.

We ask you to consider a funding commitment this year, enabling us to respond quickly to emerging needs, and provide support to clergy families when they need it most. Thank you for your support and commitment.

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With your help, we can provide vital support so that clergy households can live well, serve boldly, and build flourishing communities.