



Worshipping God, Following Jesus, Sharing His Love

**St Michael & All Angels, Ledbury**

## **STEWARDSHIP**

**THANK YOU** for considering joining our Stewardship Scheme.

**Our mission aims at St Michael's include:**

- ✓ **Strengthening prayer and worship opportunities**
- ✓ **Increasing our involvement in the Community**
- ✓ **Maintaining and improving ecumenical activities**
- ✓ **Developing links with children and young adults**
- ✓ **Broadening our ministry**
- ✓ **Improving pastoral care**
- ✓ **Increasing discipleship**
- ✓ **Widening outreach to neighbouring communities**
- ✓ **Developing St Katherine's Hall with its wonderful chapel to increase the flexibility and outreach of the church**

**All these initiatives need varying amounts of financial input.**

**Everything our Church does ultimately depends upon financial support.**

**Among many things, it is necessary to pay our contribution to the diocese's Common Fund, to pay for the upkeep of our buildings, donations to charity, heating, insurance and the whole range of our mission activities.**

**As a church community we need to build and strengthen our prayer, participation and money donation.**

**To further God's work, each of us needs to consider what we can offer in time and involvement and importantly, our financial contributions to enable our mission to be fully realised.**

***If you wish to join, please complete and return the form below. THANK YOU.***

**I would like to join St Michael's Stewardship giving by**

**BANKER's STANDING ORDER**

**and/or by** *(Please tick one or both boxes to indicate your preference.)*

**WEEKLY ENVELOPES**

**I intend to give £\_\_\_\_\_ per week/month/quarter/year**

*(Please fill in the sum and delete where indicated.)*

**New givers will be contacted by the Stewardship Recorder who will supply you with the necessary forms and answer any queries. If you are a tax payer, please consider giving by Gift Aid which allows the Church to claim the tax back, effectively adding 25% to all your donations paid by stewardship.**

*Stewardship is revisited each year during either May or June when all those already involved are contacted by the Committee and invited to renew their commitment.*

*If you join Stewardship during this time please complete and return this form to the RED box at the back of the church and all communications are dealt with by the Stewardship Recorder so this information will be kept strictly confidential.*

*If you are returning this during the year when the red box is not available please complete and return it in an envelope addressed to Robert Waddington, Stewardship Recorder and put it in the W pigeonhole at the back of the church.*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel:** \_\_\_\_\_ **e-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**All replies are collated by the Stewardship Recorder, Robert Waddington, who will collect the envelopes during July and will subsequently contact anyone requesting further information. THANK YOU.**

*All the information concerning Gift Aid and giving, whether by envelopes or Standing Order, is kept strictly confidential.*  
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