

CAMPAIGN NEWSLETTER – No 2



May 2012

Welcome to the May newsletter of the "Great Past Greater Future" campaign – the campaign to save Raunds Parish Church. There have been lots of things happening around the parish since our last newsletter. So relax and take five minutes to see what's been going on.

"How to Give" - Update

Gift Aid, Covenant and Standing Order forms are now available at the back of the church, and on our website savestpeters.sharepoint.com. We are also delighted to announce that you can now give online via our mydonate profile. Just go to our website and follow any of the "donate now" links.

We are having a stall of soft toys at the Raunds Summer Bash on Saturday 23rd June. HELP NEEDED. Please contact Pat 01933 624932

"SSHH – Silence is Golden!

Many thanks to the St Peter's Brownies, who did a sponsored silence in aid of the campaign, and raised a very impressive £100. The Brownies will be joining us at the 9.15am Family Service on Sunday 13th May to present the cheque.

Forthcoming Event.

Raunds WI will be holding a Table Top Sale in aid of the Campaign on Saturday 14th July at 38 Midland Road Raunds 10 – 12.. There is still space for more stalls. For more details please contact Fiona Waye.

As of the 8th May, we are delighted to announce that the current total is a magnificent £40,650. This is an increase of over £15,000 since the last newsletter.

Special thanks to **Northamptonshire Historic Churches Trust** who have pledged £10,000 towards the underpinning work; to **Cllr Dudley Hughes** for the kind donation of £2000 from his Empowerment Fund; the ladies of **St Thomas Moore Catholic Church Raunds**; to the **Raunds Community Choir** and to all those who worked so hard over the Bank Holiday Weekend raising money for the campaign. More details in the next newsletter

... And Still More Good News.

A big thank you to Margaret and Eddy Rodman who have sold over £100 worth of Greetings Cards. Sale points are in Church and at the Friday coffee morning in St Peter's Community Centre. Please keep donating old cards for recycling, there is a box for them in church.

Bag2theFuture Update

The Little Sunbeams would like to thank everyone for the fantastic response to the first Bag2theFuture collection, which raised the amazing sum of £226, a wonderful effort. The next collection is 16th July so please take a bag to fill and remember to involve friends and neighbours.

ALSO - we are collecting unwanted CD's and DVD's to raise money by recycling. They need to be in the case, with the original artwork, barcode and must be playable. There is a collection box in church so please give to any church member.

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