

The Priorities Fund of the Church of Ireland

2019 Allocations from the 2018 Fund (in Euro)

TRAINING – LAY AND ORDAINED	
<p>Church of Ireland Council for Mission – Assist in funding individual video’s for the Five Marks of Mission and to support their distribution through the use of a new YouTube channel</p>	€3,740
<p>Pioneer Ministry Group – Inter Diocesan Learning Event (IDLE) – Funding for an inter-diocesan learning initiative between the Dioceses of: Clogher, Derry and Raphoe, Cashel, Ferns and Ossory based on mission within the community and pioneer ministry. Hold an annual review conference with Connor, Dublin, Tuam, Armagh, Meath & Kildare, Kilmore, Elphin & Ardagh dioceses – (Stg£10,000)</p>	€11,125
<p>Pioneer Ministry Group – “Fresh Expressions” All Ireland/Long Term Church – Funding for a team to develop comprehensive, integrated vision, strategy and practise for Fresh Expressions and Pioneer Ministry within the Church of Ireland; project team work towards the vision of long-term church (Stg£30,000 over 2 years – (Stg£20,000 First Year Stg£10,000 Second Year) First year (Stg£10,000)</p>	€€22,250
<p>The House of Bishops – To support continuing ministerial education i the dioceses</p>	€40,000

Training for Lay – Funding for a joint programme for the training of Lay people as diocesan pastoral assistants in the dioceses of Dublin & Glendalough and Meath & Kildare	€12,000
Dublin and Glendalough Mission Strategy –Develop and implement a diocesan missional strategy to respond to the challenges and opportunities presented to the church with the extensive new and planned housing developments in the greater Dublin area	€15,000
Sub-total	€104,115
RETIREMENT	
Church of Ireland Clergy Pensions Fund – To provide additional income for the most elderly and needy retired clergymen and widows of clergymen – (Stg£800)	€890
Sub-total	€890
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	
Church of Ireland Gazette – Financial assistance to enable a relaunch of the Church of Ireland Gazette, with a refreshed concept, design and content, aimed at expanding its potential – (Stg£8,000 – First year : Stg£10,000 – Second year) – Second year	€11,125
Church Of Ireland Youth Department – Celebrate 150th anniversary of the Act of Disestablishment, support Church Ministry through bursary fund to encourage young people to undertake Mission and Training –	€22,250

(Stg£40,000 over 2 years: First year: Stg£20,000 Second year: Stg£20,000) First year	
Church Lads' & Girls' Brigade – Financial support to train junior leaders and new leaders/officers for ministry within the Church Lads and Girls Brigade – (Stg£3,000)	€3,338
CMS Ireland –Funding to develop promotional CMSI Children's Resource Stg£1,950.00 CMS Ireland – Funding to develop promotional CMSI Children's Resource Stg£1,950.00	€2,170
Commission On Ministry – Fund the development and launch of an annual Vocation Sunday	€10,000
Cashel, Ferns & Ossory Diocesan Audio-Visula Prayer Service – Funding for a pre-recorded Audio-Visual evening prayer service including art and drama and involve as many parishioners as possible	€4,000
Connor Diocese Children's Corner – Funding to support the Creative Cross Community Storytelling Event: "Patrick's Mysterious Adventure" Stg£4,000	€4,450
Dundonald "Build to Grow" – Financial support for future development and expansion of the "Building to Grow" Children's and Youth ministry training initiative – (Stg£1,000)	€1,113
Engage Connor Youth – Secure funding for a project that will support parishes with their concerns on mental health issues with young people in	€8,900

<p>their community – (Stg£18,000 over 2 years: First year: Stg£10,000 – Second year: Stg£8,000) Second year</p>	
<p>Holy Trinity Carrickfergus – Provide seed funding for a youth initiative to deliver free mental health awareness and resilience training, internet safely, sexual abuse, bullying, and addiction awareness for teenagers, parents and guardians – (Stg£2,000)</p>	€2,225
<p>LOGIC – Financial assistance for set-up costs for delivery of programme and purchase of equipment over a three year period– (Stg£13,000 over 2 years: First Year Stg£8,000) – Second year: Stg£5,000</p>	€ 5,562
<p>Mount Merrion Parish Church, Belfast (Down) – Financial assistance for a project ‘Mount Merrion Music Academy’, a creative music educational service, that seeks to provide low cost music lessons and education, to a deprived area – (Stg£12,600 – First year : Stg£7,400 – Second year) – Second year</p>	€8,232
<p>Parish of Kiltcevogue (Raphoe) – Funding to facilitate the engagement of an intern programme, to foster Christian faith development in children and young people – (€11,000 – First year : €10,000 – Second year) – First year</p>	€11,000
<p>RIPPLE: (Resource and Drama) – Funding to produce a resource programme for Children’s Ministry to deliver a school drama project that links parishes to schools – (€12,000 over 2 years: Stg£7,000 First year Stg£5,000) First year</p>	€7,788

“RUBICON” Christchurch Cathedral – Secure medium-term development capital for an annual youth conference and to explore the interplay of faith and culture – (€10,000 over 2 years: €5,000 – First year €5,000 – Second year) First year	€5,000
SOLAS Project – Support young people from the inner city to increase their expectations and aspirations to attend third level education through the SOLAS College Programme	€9,300
St Mary’s Church Carlow – Financial assistance for development of a community prayer walk	€1,500
Temple Carrig Secondary School – Funding to provide a chapel and prayer space within the school to meet the spiritual needs of the whole school community	€8,000
Sub-total	€125,952
OUTREACH INITIATIVES	
Act 3: University Outreach Initiative – Funding to develop new outreach initiative into the four main Dublin universities	€18,000
Armagh Diocese “Hope Volunteers” – Financial assistance to create three “Hope Volunteer” positions to focus on mental health and well-being support across the dioceses, focusing on young people aged 11-25 yrs Stg£4,000	€ 4,450

Ballymacarrett: Boring Well “Kitchen Table” – Financial assistance for “Kitchen Table” an outreach initiatives to provide community meals Stg£11,000	€12,237
Ballmena: Part-Time Town Centre Chaplin – Development of town centre chaplaincy (Stg£15,000 over 2 years: First Year Stg£5,000) – Second year: Stg£10,000) Stg£5,000 first year	€5,563
Ballynafeigh Outreach and Engagement – Funding to help ministry team for outreach and engagement with those living in this diverse cosmopolitan area Stg£7,200	€8,010
Centre Of Mission (Phase Two) – Part-funding of Phase Two of the North Belfast Centre of Mission Outreach programme Stg£8,000	€ 8,900
Church Of Ireland Board Of Social Responsibility – Funding to provide therapies to vulnerable people experiencing highly stressful situations Stg£12,960	€14,418
“Dare To Reach” – Funding for an interactive leadership programme based on managing change within a parish setting (Stg£11,000 over 2 years: First Year Stg£5,500) – Second year: Stg£5,500) Stg£5,500 first year	€6,119
Diocesan Council Of Cork – Funding to enable the dioceses to respond to the particular, pastoral, educational and social challenges posed by the commemoration of the forthcoming Centenaries of 1918 – 1923 in County Cork	€8,000

(€16,000 over 2 years: €8,000 per year for 2 years) Year 2	
Faughanvale Parish – Assist with the purchase of a mobile hall whilst parish hall is out of use due to flooding (Stg£17,000)	€18,913
Holy Trinity Church Westport – Financial assistance for improvements to the church building to make it more accessible for community use	€20,000
Kilkeel Parish Bridge Association Ltd – Pilot after schools youth club project working with disadvantaged youth and children (Stg£1,795)	€1,997
Kilkeel Christ Church (Food Bank) – Funding to establish a Food Bank with the Trussell Trust Food Network using church premises which are vacant and located in Newry Street Kilkeel (Stg£2,300)	€2,559
Killinchy & Kilmoody Parish Church – Financial assistance to open Killinchy Parish Church as a full-time community resource, extending main church building for after school club, commercial opportunities/opening a café and expand the ministerial outreach of the parish (Stg£10,000)	€11,125
Knocknamuckley Parish (Bleary Hall) – Increase the use of Bleary Hall for Outreach into the local community (Stg£20,000)	€ 22,250
Magheraculmoney Parish: “Fountain Centre” – Develop children’s youth and young adult out-reach, equip and enhance space to make it	€5,273

better able to meet programme needs (Stg£4,740	
“Let’s Explore Belfast Cathedral” – Create a “Let’s Explore Belfast Cathedral” trial booklet for primary school pupils (Stg£2,500)	€2,781
Magheralin Youth Outreach – Funding to establish purposeful, transformative connections with children and young people in local community which is predominately Roman Catholic (Stg£8,000)	€8,900
Moneyreagh: “Pop Up Café” – Funding for a Pop Up Café to provide space for people suffering from isolation mental health, and other support issues (Stg£20,000)	€22,250
Mountfield Parish – Funding towards improving accessibility to Mountfield Parish Church Stg£20,000)	€22,250
Newcastle& Newtownmountkennedy – Financial assistance to extend and improve current elderly and outreach programmes	€2,000
Parish Of Ballymacarrett – Seed funding for the ‘Ballymacarrett Outreach Project’ three year initiative to help local parish significantly improve contact within local community (Stg£5,000 Second year	€ 5,563
Parish Of Errigal & Desertoghill – Financial assistance to reach out across community divisions (Stg£15,000: £7,500 per year for 2 years) Year 1	€8,344
Parish Of Termonamongan	€13,350

–Provide a multi-functional room within existing church for use by Sunday school/ Bible study group/crèche/community choir/Mother’s Union (Stg£12,000)	
Seagoe Youth Group – Develop recreational facilities, create Podcast recording facility, including inter-generational oral history projects, youth ministry/confidence building through conversation (Stg£1,750)	€1,947
St Augustine’s Church Londonderry – Provide match funding to extend city outreach project(Stg£17,500)	€19,469
St Brendan’s Church (“Men’s Shed”) – Provide a “Men’s Shed” project to minister to the faith, physical and mental health of the wider Sydenham area (Stg£20,000 over 2 years: Stg £15,000 year 1 Stg £5,000 2 years) Stg £15,000 First year	€16,688
St Buadan’s Church – Develop children’s ministry and education by designing and equipping a Children’s Corner to strengthen fellowship and offer hospitality as part of outreach	€500
St Clements Parish “The Yard” – Support for a new additional outreach project called “The yard” Stg£6,000	€6,675
St Comgall Parish Seed Funding – Seed funding for new compassion and outreach activities into the local community(Stg£10,000)	€11,125
St Hilda’s Church Kilmakee	€3,338

– Promote and publicise two new outreach ministries (Stg£3,000)	
St Mark’s Church Portadown “Boys To Men” – Project to help prepare boys in P7 for secondary school; models and teaches Christian values and everyday skills (Stg£8,000 over 2 years: Stg £4,000 year 1 Stg £4,000 2 years) Stg £4,000 First year	€4,450
St Mary’s Cathedral Limerick – Project to improve outreach within St Mary’s Cathedral	€4,000
St Mary’s Dunmanway Cork – Tourism Outreach Project: to enhance the visitor experience of our educational tours to include the beliefs and practises of the Church of Ireland	€18,000
St Michael’s Parish Belfast – Support for the refurbishment of the parish hall to help re-establish the church as the centre of the community (Stg£8,000)	€8,900
St Ninian’s Convoy Parish – Improve contact with wider community through improved facilities, enabling fresh initiatives to target and reduce social isolation within this rural area	€5,000
Summer Camp: St George’s Balbriggan – Support to continue the Summer Camp Programme and build Youth Leadership, to assist with the growth of the church community	€3,000
Summer Madness – Support for first national Youth Ministry conference May16th-18th 2019.	€3,338

Partnership with 24 youth agencies to nurture holistic approach to youth work within church (Stg£3,000)	
St Paul And St Barnabas Church Belfast – Financial assistance for 3 year project ‘Kids & Kin’, a new initiative of outreach to children and families in the local area (Stg£9,000 over 2 years: Stg £5,000 year 1 Stg £4,000 2 years) Stg £4,000 Second year	€4,450
Tralee And Ballymacelligott – Develop the outreach potential of St John’s Church Ashe Street	€3,000
Tullamore Union Of Parishes – Develop a prayer and meditation garden between St Catherine’s Church and the Charleville Centre Tullamore	€10,000
Wexford And Kilsoran Union of Parishes – Seed capital towards development of a parish room for daily ministry to the people of Wexford and surrounding area	€8,000
Willowfield Parish Outreach – Outreach initiative in east Belfast for young adults struggling with deprivation, to provide spiritual development (Stg£18,000 over 2 years: Stg £10,000 year 1 Stg £8,000 2 years) Stg £10,000 First year	€11,125
Sub-total	€396,258
INNOVATIVE MINISTRY IN A RURAL CONTEXT	
Armagh Diocesan Council – Funding to support the continuing work of the Diocesan Evangelist, particularly in expanding the	€22,520

Zaccheus Project, focusing on the Loyalist Band Community – (Stg£20,000 per year for 2 years) – Second year	
Bailieborough Group Of Parishes – Assistance with mission and ministry in a rural community	€4,000
Collooney Parish St Pauls's Church – Completion of new room for ecumenical Cafe style worship and outreach to young families	€7,358
Community Of Brendan The Navigator – Seed capital: devotional material, insurance and expenses	€1,500
Parish Of Killough Church Plant – Develop pioneering innovative church plant ministry in Killough (Stg£12,000 year 1 Stg £7,000 2 years) Stg £7,000 Second year	€7,788
Parish Of Kinawley & Holy Trinity – Assist with the cost of a new Sunday school building Stg£15,000	€16,688
Rossorry Parish Church Enniskillen – Funding for projects to enhance educational, parochial and community outreach facilities for this rural parish. (Stg£25,000 over 2 years: Stg £15,000 year 1 Stg £10,000 2 years) Stg £15,000 First year	€16,688
Sub-total	€76,272
ALLOCATIONS GRAND TOTAL	€703,487
<i>Sterling grants have been converted to Euro using the 2018 end of year rate of 0.8989</i>	

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