

## **Stewardship Report - 2017**

As I mentioned in my report at the last APCM, considerably more work is needed to promote Stewardship in the Parish, and frankly little has been achieved over the past year.

Members of the PCC completed the short Diocesan questionnaire on "Giving for Life", and we started to discuss this at our PCC meeting on 17th January. As the Stewardship report comes last in the list of reports on the Agenda, and as it was very shortly before the Vicar's licensing, it was decided to defer the discussion until after her arrival. The Vicar and I are due to meet on 11th April to discuss furthering Stewardship in the Parish.

There are currently 11 people contributing through the Parish Giving Scheme, and I would like to encourage this so that it becomes the main source of Parish Funding, with the aim eventually of doing away with collections during the services.