



**From the Hon.Secretary
St.Andrew's Church, Tichborne
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I should be most grateful if you very kindly take this as an application from St.Andrew's for a grant from the Parish Council for the year 2018/19. The Parish Council has been most kind over the years in responding to these requests – the funds are most welcome.

We have not yet settled on plans for the work due after the last Quinquennial Inspection which identified several areas needing repair, but further reports from the architect are needed before we can see the way forward on this.

Accordingly, if the Parish Council is minded to grant our request for the year 2018/19 we would like to put funds towards work in the churchyard to stabilise and repair existing gravestones. The churchyard receives many visitors over the year, and it is right that it is kept in good order - this work needs to be done both for Health and Safety reasons and also aesthetically, and I hope members of the Parish Council will feel able to approve this.

With best wishes

Lady Craig-Cooper