



# Grant Evaluation

- The Parish Council likes to hear how community groups have used the money awarded to them
- As the money awarded is public money, we also need to make sure that the money has been spent appropriately and as agreed

<b>Name of Organisation</b>	Full Life Church & Food Bank
<b>Amount of award</b>	£ 5,000
<b>Purpose for which the grant was awarded (Maximum 20 words)</b>	Funding for Food Bank and Christmas Joy appeal

## The Story of Your Project

- *Tell us what you did with the money awarded to you (Maximum 500 words)*
- *Attach a few photos*

**Funding helped us with the provision of Food Parcels to over 120 families over a 3-month period.**

**It also enabled us to provide Christmas Food Hamper for the festive period.**

**Our Christmas Joy Appeal provided over 2,000 toy/presents to children within the Holme Valley and enabled us to provide gifts for some of our single and venerable clients too.**

**The Story of Your Project contd.**

**The Food Bank is in constant demand and meets the need of so many in our Valley.**

**We have clients who are single and lonely who look forward to a regular weekly contact.**

**Disabled and venerable gain support from our volunteers when they call round with Food provision.**

**Many families who are really struggling have benefitted from our support too. We have also been able through this extra funding to provide toiletries and cleaning products.**

What you achieved	
<b>What were the benefits of your project?</b> <b>(Maximum 500 words)</b>	<p>Following on from our previous statement as a result of provision – we provided much needed relief from anxiety, stress and worry that not being able to make ends meet brings.</p> <p>Our Christmas support relieved much of the depressing outlook for families in that we provided what they couldn't!</p> <p>The financial pressure that families face around this time has a significant effect on wellbeing and we went some way to help relieve that burden.</p>
<b>Who benefited from the project?</b> <b>(Maximum 200 words)</b>	<p>Families – around 120 (approximately 400 individuals)</p> <p>Single and lonely individuals – average per month of 16</p> <p>Older couples – average of around 40</p> <p>Disabled and vulnerable - 11</p>

<p><b>How many people benefited?</b> (Maximum 200 words)</p>	<p>467 (see above)</p>
<p><b>Was the project inclusive?</b> How were marginalised groups (elderly, disabled, young people etc) able to participate?</p>	<p>Young people (not including under 13's) 46 Single and lonely individuals – average per month of 16 Older couples – average of around 40 Disabled and vulnerable – 11</p> <p>Please note that our project also engaged the community:  Of which we have around 40 volunteers taking part.</p> <p>Stacking and packing Collecting Delivery drivers.</p>
<p><b>Reflecting on climate change, did the project address any aspects of the climate emergency? How?</b></p>	<p>I guess our project prevents foods being wasted and thrown to land fill.</p>
<p><b>Did you achieve what you were trying to do?</b> (Maximum 200 words)</p>	<p>We believe we achieved everything we set out to achieve and were in some cases able to do more (particularly around the Christmas/Festive period).</p>

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<b>Finance and Expenditure</b>
<i>We ask groups to retain their receipts and invoices, and to keep a record of what they've spent for auditing purposes</i>

<b>Grant awarded</b>	<b>£ 5000</b>
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Date	Description of expenditure (use another sheet if necessary)	Amount
<b>3 months</b>	<b>Food: ambient, fresh and frozen</b>	<b>£ 2982.75</b>
<b>3 months</b>	<b>Electric: Fridges and freezers</b>	<b>£ 700</b>
<b>December</b>	<b>Festive Hampers</b>	<b>£ 900</b>
<b>December</b>	<b>Toys for Christmas</b>	<b>£ 417.25</b>
		£
		£
		£
		£
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		£
		£
	<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>£ 5000</b>
	<b>Amount of grant remaining (if any)</b>	<b>£ 0</b>

<i>Any amount of the award unspent may have to be returned to the Parish Council</i>
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Person completing this form		Date	<b>01/05/26</b>
Position in organisation			

Send the completed application form, together with all supporting documentation, preferably in PDF format to: [deputyclerk@holmevalleyparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:deputyclerk@holmevalleyparishcouncil.gov.uk)

Alternatively, you can send the paperwork to: Holme Valley Parish Council, The Civic, Huddersfield Road, Holmfirth, HD9 3AS.

**Have you considered inviting a Member of the Parish Council to come and see your project and how your grant money has been spent? Why not give the Parish Council a ring and arrange a visit 01484 687460?**







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