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We recently held a webinar so that we could share the amazing impact of our work keeping churches open and in good repair across the UK. We didn't want you to miss out, so please find below some of the key information about the event.

A £3.6 million investment in our grants scheme from the Government's Heritage Stimulus Fund means that 32 more historic churches and meeting houses are safe for the future. It is a great example of a project that helps keep churches open and in good repair.

Working closely with Historic England, our expert knowledge and excellent contacts with churches meant that we were able to fast track these really important grants to places of worship with urgent repair needs. One of the great outcomes of the funding is that it will help remove nine churches from Historic England's Heritage at Risk Register.

You can **find out more here**. And here's the link if you would like to **watch the webinar**.

If you have any questions, please contact our lovely team at [info@nationalchurchestrust.org](mailto:info@nationalchurchestrust.org)

Best wishes,

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**Claire Walker**  
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## Telling the story



**Hugh Dennis**  
The National Churches Trust



**Julie Boulty**  
Architect – St Lawrence Bigbury

[See all our Heritage Stimulus Fund project videos](#)

## A success story

Thanks to funding from the Heritage Stimulus Fund, we were able to help 32 churches and meeting houses in England with funding for urgent repairs. From Bedfordshire to Yorkshire, find out about all the places of worship that have benefitted.



[Find out more](#)

## There's more to do... can you help us?

In the last ten years, the National Churches Trust has supported over 3,000 projects throughout the UK with more than £25

million of financial support for urgent repairs and maintenance, and installing vital facilities, such as disabled access. But there are many more churches that need our help. **By becoming a Friend of the National Churches Trust, you can help us save these wonderful buildings.**

Just £40 a year – less than £3.50 a month – will help ensure churches can remain open, in use and in good repair.



**Find out more**



**Yours for good.**



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