



The Society of St Augustine of Canterbury

# Centenary 2022 Appeal



Archbishop's House  
Leading by example  
Is going **GREEN**

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Since 1922 the Society has supported every Archbishop in the conservation and maintenance of Archbishop's House, a Grade II listed building of historical significance in London.

Once again, we are answering the challenge by mounting our Centenary 2022 Appeal to raise funds towards the complex task of reducing the Carbon Footprint of this historic centre of the Catholic Church in England and Wales. With your help this lasting legacy will support the Archbishops of Westminster for the next 100 years. With grateful thanks.

Mary Goodwin  
Chairman – The Society of St Augustine of Canterbury

*“The climate is a common good, belonging to all and meant for all.”*

Pope Francis, *Laudato Si'*



In a Pastoral Letter on the environment, ‘the healing of our common home’, written to all Catholics in England and Wales in 2021, the Bishops wrote, “We all have a part to play, each and every one of us, in the routines, choices and decisions of our everyday lives and our aspirations for the future.”

I thank the members of the Society of St Augustine of Canterbury for being willing to play its part in ‘the healing of our common home’ by providing substantial resources to reduce the carbon footprint of Archbishop's House. I congratulate the Society on its centenary, thanking them most sincerely for all they have done to support the ministry of the Archbishops of Westminster over these past hundred years.

The focus of this Centenary Appeal is both compelling and necessary. I urge you to support it.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols  
Archbishop of Westminster

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PLEASE HELP THE SOCIETY TO  
ACHIEVE ITS GOAL OF RAISING  
**£100,000**

## The Centenary is being marked with a Special Appeal.

The focus is to raise £100,000 funds towards the reduction of carbon emissions in Archbishop's House, Westminster. All donations will go towards de-carbonisation projects, not only reducing carbon emissions but also energy costs.

Archbishop's House was completed in 1903 and is a Grade II listed building. So far, a survey has identified that a 40% reduction in Carbon Footprint is possible. The Society is supporting this essential work over the next few years and it is hoped that the first three projects to be undertaken will be:

- 1. Replacement of all light bulbs to LED**
- 2. Installation of Solar Panels**
- 3. Insulation of flat roofs**

On completion these alone will produce a 10% reduction in annual energy costs.

Due to the nature of this Grade II building all projects will, of necessity, take time to implement, therefore it is planned to maintain the Appeal for as long as necessary.

Please be as generous as you can in your support of this vital Appeal by completing the enclosed donation form.

Progress of the Centenary 2022 Appeal will be available on the website:  
**[www.staugustineofcanterbury.org.uk](http://www.staugustineofcanterbury.org.uk)**

The reduction in Global Warming is a responsibility which we all share. It is therefore with great enthusiasm that I commend this Appeal to you.

Your support will help us sustain this wonderful Grade II building for future generations, coupled with continuing cost reduction. Thank you.

The Duke of Norfolk  
President – The Society of St Augustine of Canterbury





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