



# DEVON HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST

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Saving our glorious church buildings for future generations

## DEVON HISTORIC CHURCHES DAY SATURDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 2012 incorporating the Ride + Stride

On this day we celebrate and support the work of our wonderful Devon churches and the communities they serve

### 5 Good Reasons to Help

- The Devon Historic Churches Day & 'Ride + Stride' is a great way to raise money for your church.
- 50% of the funds raised are returned immediately to your parish.
- 50% goes to funding grants for the maintenance of our Devon churches.
- An inclusive way to involve all age groups and all abilities.
- A worthwhile way to actively promote your church

### 5 Good Things to Remember

- You do not have to get on a bike. The important thing is to do something.
- You can hold a church or community event that brings in funds from local people.
- Visit your neighbouring church and invite them back, it is good for everybody.
- Positive leadership in your parish encourages others to help you save our churches.
- Open your church and welcome visitors. Everybody will be a winner!

**The Devon Historic Churches Trust is helping you to save your church – please support us on this very important day**

*If you are no longer the PCC Secretary or Parish Organiser, please pass this literature to your successor and contact us on 01626 364554 or email [stavern@nascr.net](mailto:stavern@nascr.net) so that we can update our records and delete your name from our database.*

\* All forms and the Guide to Open Churches can be download from our new improved website, please visit it to learn much more about the Trust.

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