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A generous legacy has provided most of the funds already - **£10,000** more will allow us to do the bare minimum, but we'd love to do more.

So every gift helps!

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Current lighting is gloomy and insufficient:

but see insets for how special accent lighting will transform our space



HELP LIGHT UP ST MICHAEL'S

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THE NEED FOR NEW LIGHTING

- efficiency
- safety
- aesthetics

St Michael & All Angels' Church Macclesfield

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Illuminating St Michael's

St. Michael's Church is more than just a place of worship. It's an architectural gem and an important venue for a variety of community events:

Worship and Private Prayer

The church is used daily for services and quiet reflection. Better lighting will enhance the sacred atmosphere and improve the experience for the congregation.

Concerts and Events

As a popular venue for concerts, exhibitions, and civic events, adaptable lighting will cater to these diverse uses. Whether hosting local choirs, classical music, or school events, this improvement will make St. Michael's a premier venue.

Heritage Connections

Connections with the **Savage family** go back to about 1500, with a dedicated chapel and five magnificent pre-reformation alabaster memorials.

£3,500 more would light up the tombs in the chancel including **John Savage 4th** and his wife **Katharine Stanley**; this liaison was key to the defeat of King Richard III in 1485.

£1,700 would light up the Savage tombs in the nave.

£7,700 would sensitively light the Savage Chapel.

Concert lighting



Tombs with accent lighting



Our Grade II* listed building stands as a beacon of community life in Macclesfield. Over the centuries, it has been a space for worship, community events, concerts, and family milestones.

However, the church's current lighting system, installed decades ago, is now in urgent need of replacement

Poor Efficiency

The lighting is outdated, failing, inefficient, and costly to maintain. The control system has failed limiting energy-saving opportunities.

Aesthetic Concerns

The current system does not do justice to the church's stunning architecture, creating awkward light flares. Our unique collection of mediaeval Savage family tombs is in shadow.

Safety:

We need improved lighting for emergency situations.

A new lighting system will improve energy efficiency, highlight architectural features, and provide flexibility for worship, concerts, and community events. It will also allow us to better support concerts, exhibitions, and public gatherings in this cherished space.

We invite everyone - whether you're a local business, event organiser, or have a personal connection with the church - to help make this vision a reality.

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