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Portsmouth Diocese

***Jessica Meale &
The Reverend Mike Todd***

Saturday 4th March 2017

Portsmouth Cathedral Choir at Lambeth



Thank you!

£21,625.20

*Given by parishes in the
Portsmouth Diocese to The
Children's Society between
April 2016 and so far in
March 2017.*



Huge thank you to our top supporters

Top 3 Deaneries

- Havant
- Bishop's Waltham
- Petersfield

Top 4 Parishes

- St Thomas Church, Bedhampton
- St Peters Church, Petersfield
- St James Church, Emsworth
- St Peters Church, Bishop's Waltham

Our main work

- Young Carers
- Poor Mental Health/emotional well-being
- Drug and alcohol problems
- Those going missing from home
- Child Sexual Exploitation

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Doing more theology

- A deeper engagement in the issues
- Support and encourage teaching around social justice
- Interpreting the challenge in the practice of Christian discipleship
- Widening our supporter base and changing the supporter demographic
- Using opportunities for outreach and widening a parish connection with its community



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Too old, too young?

Theology on the ambiguity of
adolescence and the impact of neglect

July 2015



Working together

Pray

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Our Mothering Sunday Resources for work with Children

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**‘We want to comfort the challenged and
challenge the comfortable.’**

**Matthew Reed,
Chief Executive, The Children’s Society**

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**Thank you for having us
here today!**

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