

13 February 2024

Dear Father Sam,

The Organ at St John the Baptist Church, Barnet

I am writing in support of any funding you might be able to secure to safeguard the future of the organ at St John the Baptist Church, Barnet (SJB).

It has been a privilege to bring the choristers of Haberdashers' Girls' School to sing at SJB on a number of occasions since our first visit in the Summer of 2022. Although not the most local church to Habs it has been such an important partner in the building of our school chorister programme, given the choral tradition that you have built over the past 100 years+.

The use of the organ and one that, when fully operational, is very good for choral accompaniment is an essential part of the experience of singing at SJB and, without it, it would not be possible to lead services and to develop our links. I commend your work to restore the organ and wish you every success in the securing of funds to do so.

With very best wishes from your friends at Haberdashers' Girls' School,

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