

## A Happy new year from the Coventry Tree Warden Network.



# This has been another year of generosity by the citizens of Coventry

Since CTWN began in 2014 we have at Christmas time, with help from Coventry City Council, offered mistletoe to Coventry citizens in exchange for a donation going towards the Lord Mayors' Charities.



#### In 2014 we raised £500 when Hazel Noonan was Lord Mayor, her charities being:

**Grapevine** - A Coventry based charity which offers support and runs projects to help adults with learning di-culties to lead active and meaningful lives - <a href="http://www.grapevinecovandwarks.org/what-we-do.aspx">http://www.grapevinecovandwarks.org/what-we-do.aspx</a>

**UHCW Charity Trust** - Raising money to build a new breast screening centre in the heart of Coventry - <a href="http://www.uhcwcharity.org/what-we-do/news/2016/08/04/sikh-union-goes-the-extra-mile-for-breast-cancer-appeal/">http://www.uhcwcharity.org/what-we-do/news/2016/08/04/sikh-union-goes-the-extra-mile-for-breast-cancer-appeal/</a>

**ABF The Soldiers' Charity** - Offering help and support to families of ex-servicemen and women - https://www.soldierscharity.org/about-us/what-we-do/

#### In 2015 £900 went to the charities being supported by Lord Mayor Michael Hammon. :

**Coventry Branch of Parkinson's UK**- Offering information, friendship and support to local people with Parkinson's, their families and carers - https://www.parkinsons.org.uk/local-support-groups/regions/coventry-branch

**The Rotary Club of Coventry** - Supporting many local charities including the Air Ambulance, Coventry Myton Hospice, Disabled Sports and many more - <a href="http://www.coventryrotary.org/index.html">http://www.coventryrotary.org/index.html</a>

Holy Trinity Church Roof Restoration Fund - For much needed work. -

http://www.holytrinitycoventry.org.uk/Articles/481681/Holy Trinity Church/Life at Holy/News/Roof Repairs at.aspx

In addition to offering the mistletoe at a stall in the City Centre we are also supported by several local flower shops. The total for 2016 from the different sources is still being assessed and will be available soon.

The charities which will benifit from the generosity of Coventry people, those supported by the current Lord Mayor Lindsley Harvard, are:

**Cancer Research** through the Medical Research Department at the University of Warwick - <a href="http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/med/about/centres/crc">http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/med/about/centres/crc</a>

**Coventry Alzheimer's Society** - The UK's leading dementia support and research charity, here for anyone affected by any form of dementia - https://www.alzheimers.org.uk/BranchWebsites/coventry/

### Below are some more photos taken during our 2016 collection:











