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St Mary's Church, Ferndown
Registered Charity No.
1134028

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form to your Bank

GIVING

to St Mary's Church
Ferndown



*"Freely you have received,
Freely give"*
Matthew Chapter 10 Verse 8

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Introduction

Dear Friends,

Thank you for taking the time to read this leaflet about giving to St Mary's Church Ferndown.

It is simply amazing what can be achieved with God's help as we respond to his generosity towards us. Without financial support from our church membership we could not operate in the many ways we do, and our work and witness would be limited. But thanks to people like you, what is given makes a huge difference to the Church, and to all those we try to serve.

I commend the rest of this leaflet to you and thank you for considering giving to St Mary's.

Rev Sarah Pix
Associate Minister

Giving to St Mary's

You can give financially to St Mary's in a number of ways. Standing Order is our preferred method, but you can also opt for envelopes (which we will provide) or the collection box by the church door. If you are willing to tell us how much you can give this year that would help us with our budgeting.

Gift Aid Regular tax-effective giving enables the church to play its part in the community and in worldwide mission. Please read the notes enclosed and if you would like us to claim Gift Aid on your donations please complete and sign the declaration opposite to maximise your giving at no extra cost to yourself and return it to the Church Office. If you have any queries regarding Gift Aid please call Mandy Clark, on (01202) 893077.

Giving by Standing Order is the most helpful way for individuals and churches to budget. To set this up complete the Standing Order Form (to the far right of this page) and then send it to you bank.

My Giving to St Mary's

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Tel. No. _____

PLEDGE

If you are willing, please indicate how much you think you can give to St Mary's during this year

£ _____

METHOD OF GIVING

I wish to give via (please tick as appropriate)

Standing Order

Envelopes

Collection

GIFT AID DECLARATION

If you are a UK tax payer you can maximise your giving by signing the declaration below. Please read the enclosed Gift Aid information carefully before signing.

"Please treat as Gift Aid donations all qualifying gifts of money made: (Please tick all that apply)

Today In the past 4 years In the future

I confirm I have paid or will pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for each tax year (6 April to 5 April) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that all the Charities or Community Amateur Sports Clubs that I donate to will reclaim on my gifts for that tax year

I understand that other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify. I understand "Ferndown P.C.C" will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I give."

Signed _____ Date _____

Standing Order Instruction

Please send this form to your Bank

To the Manager of _____ Bank Plc

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Please pay to the C.A.F Bank Ltd

Sort Code 40-52-40

For the credit of Ferndown PCC

Account Number 00016821

The sum of £ _____

(In words) _____

on the _____ day of _____ 20____

And a like sum on the:

Same day in each succeeding [month] [quarter] [year] until further notice (delete as appropriate)

Debit my account no.

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Sort Code

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Signed _____ Date _____

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Important Information about *giftaid*

How do I know if I am eligible to request Gift Aid to be recovered on my donations?

In order for Gift Aid to be recovered on your donations you must pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that all the charities and/or community amateur sports clubs you donate to will reclaim on your donations in the tax year (currently 25p for each £1 that you give.)

If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, ask the charity, or you can ask your local tax office for leaflet IR65 "Giving to charity by individuals".

What should I do if I no longer pay enough tax?

If your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains tax equal to the tax the charity reclaims, you can cancel your declaration.

How can I cancel my Gift Aid declaration?

You can cancel your declaration at any time by notifying the charity. Gift Aid will then not apply to donations you make on or after the cancellation date or such later date as you specify.

What should I do if I pay tax at the higher rate?

If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self Assessment tax return or ask HMRC to adjust your tax code.

What should I do if any of my details change?

If your declaration covers donations you make in the future please notify the charity if you change your name and/or address while the declaration is still in force.

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