

Donation/s to St Mary's Churchyard & Church Fabric Fund

(Registered Charity 288536, Charity Commission)

Bank Details:

Account Name: St Mary's Churchyard & Church Fabric Fund

Account number: 20529011 Sort code: 60-83-01

For regular giving, we recommend a monthly donation by Standing Order, which you can set up from your own bank account by e-banking, or on request to your bank

I confirm that I have set up a Standing Order of _____ per month, commencing on _____ (date)

OR

I confirm that I have made a Single donation by bank transfer of £_____ on _____ (date)

Charity Gift Aid Declaration

Please boost your donation by 25p of Gift Aid for every £1 you donate

I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference. Gift Aid is reclaimed by the charity from the tax you pay for the current tax year. Your address is needed to identify you as a current UK taxpayer. In order to Gift Aid your donation you must tick the box below:

☐ I want to Gift Aid my donation (tick box to confirm) of £_____

and any donations I make in the future or have made in the past 4 years, to the church of St Mary the Virgin, Buckland. My details are:

First name (s) _____

Surname _____

Full Home address _____

Postcode _____ Date _____

Email _____

Please notify the charity if you: want to cancel this declaration, change your name or home address or no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains.

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 HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code.

Please complete this form either online, or 'print, complete by hand and scan'; and return to fernsdc@gmail.com (Duncan Ferns, Treasurer CCFF)

St Mary the Virgin, Buckland CHURCHYARD& CHURCH FABRIC FUND* (CCFF)



The Independent
Charity that helps
maintain our
churchyard



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How do we work?

Established in 1983, our primary remit is to contribute to the cost of maintaining the graveyard in good condition.

We manage an Investment Fund with a current value of around £70,000. Each year we donate what can be afforded from the income and distributions from the investments. In recent years, around £3,000 per annum has been donated to the Church, to reimburse the cost of the annual grass cutting contract.

This process conserves the Capital value of our Fund which also increases year-on-year, enabling our Charity to continue to make this contribution in the long-term, as we have proven over a 40-year period.

In 2024, we introduced some fundraising activities and opened up to private donations, to support a 'special projects fund' to benefit the churchyard. This funding can be spent without the conditions applied to the capital fund, at the discretion of the Trustees. We have completed additional works, such as tree surgery and paving repairs, to ensure that the graveyard and boundaries are maintained in good condition. Future Projects may include, for example, the reinstatement of gravestones that have fallen-over.

Trustees

The Trust Deed provides for five Trustees, currently Dominic Sanders (Chairman), Duncan Ferns (Treasurer & Secretary), Nigel Husband (Parish Trustee), David Sayce (Church Trustee) and Philip Haynes. All our Trustees are Volunteers, and hence 100% of your donations will go towards maintaining our graveyard in good and improving condition.

We welcome Donations of all types

You may donate by BANK TRANSFER, STANDING ORDER or CHEQUE. When supported by Gift aid, all such donations become a tax-efficient ways to donate. Bank payment details are overleaf

You may also like to consider LEGACY GIVING —a donation left in your Will to our Charity. Please advise the Treasurer if you wish to give a future donation via your Will.

The form overleaf can be completed by hand, or alternatively, type your details into the form on our website:

https://www.stmarythevirginbuckland.org.uk/Groups/445965/Churchyard_Fabric_Fund.aspx

Please then email or post the completed form to our Treasurer:
Duncan Ferns: fernsdc@gmail.com
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