

If you have a query, please contact our Planned Giving Organiser, Sheila Dunman on 020 8946 6847 or s.dunman@btinternet.com.

1. You can cancel your Standing Order at any time by contacting your bank.
2. For Gift Aid, you must pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that St Mark's reclaims on your donations in the tax year (currently 25p for each £1 you give). Income tax, tax paid on savings and capital gains tax all qualify.
3. If you pay tax at the higher rate you can reclaim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.
4. If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax, look on the HMRC web-site: www.hmrc.gov.uk.
5. Please notify the Planned Giving Organiser if you change your name or address.
6. The information on this form will be treated in confidence and will only be seen by the Planned Giving Organiser, the Treasurer and the Administrator. We will only use the information to reclaim tax and to process your regular giving.

Thank You!

*Have you considered leaving a sum to the Church in your will?
Please speak to your solicitor for further details.*



St Mark's Church Wimbledon

Planned Giving

How Much Should I Give?

On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with his income..." (1 Corinthians 16:2)

All organisations have to be financed. Most of them charge fees or subscriptions, but the Church does not do that. Instead, with the authority of Scripture, it asks its members to contribute in proportion to their means. The Diocese of Southwark endorses General Synod's resolution that 5% of take-home pay is a proper target for our giving 'to and through the Church'. But how much you give is between you and God.

St Mark's expenditure is about £3,500-£4000 per week.

"When you give, do not let your right hand know what your left hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you." (Matthew 6:3-4)

How Should I Give?

There are **two** options:-

1) The easiest way to give is to set up a monthly standing order with your bank (either go on-line or pop into your local branch). You will need St Mark's bank details (NatWest):

Account Number: 50022679 Sort Code: 60-24-07

Name of Account: WIMBLEDON PCC ST MARKS WARDENS

For a reference, it is helpful to include the word 'Gift' and your name, so that we know how to classify the income we receive. **Please also let our Planned Giving Officer (Sheila Dunman: s.dunman@btinternet.com) have a copy of the Standing Order Mandate & Gift Aid Declaration for our records so that we may claim Gift Aid.**

2) Alternatively we can set the standing order up for you if you fill in the following:

Standing Order Mandate

To the Manager of Bank plc

Bank Address:

Please pay £ to St Mark's Church (a/c no. 50022679) at Nat West Bank plc, 98 High Street, Wimbledon, SW19 5ZH (Sort Code 60-24-07), starting on/...../20 and repeat that payment every month until further notice. This order replaces any existing standing order in favour of St Mark's Church.

My account name.....

My account number: Sort code: - -

Signed: Date:

Giving Tax Efficiently

If you are a UK tax payer, and you complete the following Gift Aid declaration, the Church can claim back 25p from the Government for every £ you give.

Gift Aid Declaration

Full Name:

Address:

..... Postcode:

I wish the Church to treat all donations that I make from the date of this declaration, until I notify you otherwise, as Gift Aid donations.

Signature: Date:

Once you have completed this form, please send it to: The Planned Giving Organiser, Sheila Dunman, St Mark's Church, St Mark's Place, SW19 7ND.