ENROLMENT FORM (DELETE/AMEND AS APPROPRIATE)

I/We wish to join the FRIENDS OF ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH. I/We enclose a cheque for (payable to St Cuthbert's PCC) in payment of my/our subscription. I/We have/have not sent to my/our bank a completed Bankers Order for payment of future annual subscriptions. TITLE: _____ NAME: _____ ADDRESS: POSTCODE: EMAIL: _____ DATE: **GIFT AID DECLARATION** Please treat as GIFT AID DONA-TION all qualifying gifts of money I have made since today, and all qualifying gifts I make in the future. I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax that the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference. GIFT AID SIGNATURE: DATE: (Please return to the Parish Office)

BANKERS ORDER (BLOK CAPITALS PLEASE) BANK:
ADDRESS:
POSTCODE:Please pay to:-
For the credit of PCC of St Cuthbert's Church, Halsall Account Number: 45703655 Sort Code: 01-06-45 The sum of £
(words)
On the day of
20
And a like sum annually on the 30th day of April until further notice.
Signed:
Account to be debited:
Account Number:
Please complete, sign and detach this Standing Order and forward to your bank.
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THE FRIENDS OF ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH HALSALL

The Friends of St Cuthbert's Church is a group of people from many walks of life, who are dedicated to this beautiful Church. They live in Halsall Village, in Lancashire, in Merseyside and further afield.

Each and every one of The Friends want to see that this beautiful place is able to continue to delight, inspire, give comfort and be a space in this busy world, where anyone can stand, sit or kneel and find a moment for personal prayer & reflection.

You do not have to belong to any Church or Denomination to become a Friend.

Just your desire to see this building continue for future generations

The Membership Secretary, Friends of St Cuthbert's Church, The Parish Office, Church Lane, Lydiate, L31 4HL

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THE FRIENDS AND THEIR OBJECTIVES

There is a constant need for restoration work which has to be carried out to a high standard. The preservation and enhancement of this Ancient Building has to be maintained and adapted for the needs of our future generations. In order for this to happen we need YOUR help.

In the recent past the spire has been repaired, new pathways put into the churchyard, and this at a cost of many thousands of pounds. The PCC now needs YOU to help fund any future repairs and to support the upkeep of the fabric of the Church building and the Churchyard.

The Friends of St Cuthbert's was formed to help with the future cost of maintaining this beautiful church which is important to so many people.

St Cuthbert's has a warm and friendly atmosphere, a legacy from centuries of prayer and devotion. Please will you help by becoming a FRIEND of ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH and becoming part of its future.

Membership offers the opportunity to contribute to this work. All funds collected by membership and Gift Aid will be used by the PCC for the upkeep of the fabric and maintenance of the Church and Church – yard.

We will keep you informed of what is happening with a regular newsletter which we will send by email—please give us your email address, and via the Halsall Newsletter & FACE-BOOK page & the website

ANGELA writes:

Why I want to become a friend of St. Cuthbert's Church Halsall.

Although I have never lived in Halsall or attended the school, St. Cuthbert's church has a long history in our family. St Cuthbert's is the place where we have 'always' worshipped. It is the place where both sets of grandparents worshipped, my parents were baptised, confirmed and married. The church is where my parents met! My brother and I were baptised and confirmed in the church and I was married there. My husband's family also have very strong links with St Cuthbert's - both families knew each other through church long before we got together. Grandparents on both sides of my family are buried in the grounds. My son was baptised at St. Cuthbert's and attends the church school. Mum and I were both in the church choir for many years. There have been church wardens in the family, my husband rings the bells, he is a sidesman and I have been on the PCC for a time. Therefore. St. Cuthbert's Church plays a very important part in our lives. I would very much like that to continue in the years ahead. I want the church to be there when I am long gone for future generations, for them to Worship in the magnificent building and for others to feel the security it has brought me during the many ups and downs that life throws our way. What an achievement it would be if we could keep St. Cuthbert's alive for generations to come, by becoming a friend of the church I feel I am doing a little to help make that a reality.

Angela Banks

HOW TO JOIN

Simply complete the forms on the back of this leaflet & place it, together with your initial membership cheque, in the box in church, or return to:

The Membership Secretary
C/O The Parish Office,
St Thomas Vicarage,
Church Lane, Lydiate L31 4HL
Tel No: 0151 526 2292

(Office Hours Mon—Wed 9am—1pm)

MINIMUM ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION

£20.00

Annual subscriptions become renewable on the 30th day of April each year. BANKERS ORDER can be sent by you to your own band (details in this leaflet) and can be made out to pay the FRIENDS on the 30th April annually from the following year. A cheque may be sent to the FRIENDS at the time of joining.

If you have paid income tax in the current year, the PCC can reclaim the tax from the HMRC on your Subscription providing you are willing to allow this to happen and complete and return to us the GIFT AID DECLARARTION.

(please do remember to tell us of any change of address, tax status, or intention)