

DUNGANNON PARISH – NOTES ON GIFT AID

The Gift Aid scheme is for gifts of money by UK tax payers to Charities. The Charities take your donation, which is money you have already paid tax on – in the case of a Church, this is the weekly envelope or direct debit and reclaim basic rate tax from HM Revenue & Customs on the gross equivalent – the amount before basic rate tax was deducted.

For example, if you give £10.00 and have registered for Gift Aid, it's worth £12.50 to the charity. In simple terms – for every £1 you donate HMRC will provide an additional £0.25 supplement to the charity.

In order to make a Gift Aid donation you need to complete a Gift Aid declaration, which involves completing a simple form – one form can cover every gift made to the same Charity for whatever period you choose and can cover gifts you have already made and /or gifts you may make in the future.

You can use Gift Aid if the amount in Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax you've paid in the tax year (6 April one year, to 5 April the next) in which you make your donation is at least equal to the amount of basic rate tax the Charity is reclaiming of your gift. If you give £10.00 and have registered for the Gift Aid scheme, it is worth £12.50 to the Charity and you should have paid at least £2.50 in tax that year.

If you pay higher rate tax, you can claim the difference between the higher rate of tax, 40% and the basic rate of tax 20%, on the total gross value of your donation to the Charity.

DUNGANNON PARISH OFFICE
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Title: _____

First Name: _____

Surname: _____

Home Address: _____

_____ Postcode _____

Contact tel: _____

GIFT AID DECLARATION

Name of chosen Charity: Drumglass Parish Trust Fund XN48156

Please treat all gifts of money I have made from April..... and all future gifts of money that I make from the date of this declaration as Gift Aid Donations.

I am a UK Tax Payer (Please mark "X", if appropriate)

Signed:..... Date:.....

Drumglass Parish Trust Fund will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1.00 you donate.

NOTES

1. Please read the notes regarding Gift Aid
2. You can cancel this declaration at any time by notifying the Trust at the above address.
3. If, in the future, your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income, you can also cancel your declaration by contacting the Parish Office.
4. If you pay tax at the higher rate, you can claim further tax relief in your self-assessment tax return.
5. If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, please contact the Parish Office.
6. Please notify the Parish Office if you change your name or address.