

“The challenge I had to face was to make sure that I would not become isolated”

You can support our retired clergy by becoming a Patron today

The Sick & Retired Priests' Fund relies entirely on the generosity of parishioners, who donate to the annual collection in November each year, and those who give on a regular basis through the Patrons' Programme.

By completing this form, and becoming a Patron today, your regular support will:

- Assure their basic needs for living
- Cover gaps in health care or health emergencies
- Support convalescence, post-surgery
- Help those coping with chronic conditions
- Enable companionship; A friendly face, or day-to-day help, such as a lift to the doctors



 DONATE HERE

Become a Patron of the Sick & Retired Priests' fund today, as a way to say 'Thank You' to our Priests for their years of service.

I am very thankful to all those who have responded already and joined the Patrons' Programme. Their support has made a significant difference in the lives of our elderly, retired and ill priests.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols
Archbishop of Westminster



SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS PATRONS' PROGRAMME



You can donate online at
www.rcdow.org.uk/donations

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Registered charity number: 233699

'I am grateful and thankful to all the Patrons of the Sick & Retired Priests' Fund'



Diocese of Westminster
SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS' FUND

'Even to your old age... I will care for you'

– Isaiah 46.4.

Being a Patron is a wonderful and active response to the Lord's call.

The Diocese of Westminster has made a commitment to assuring the care of our elderly and infirm clergy – our promise that they will not be alone after a life of service.

More than half of our current priests are 60 and over, and 45 are expected to retire within the next 5 years. Many of our priests are called to serve long after their retirement – celebrating Mass, serving as chaplains, counselling people in need and supporting parish life. Others simply become very old, too frail or incapacitated and need full time care.

What is a Patron?

Becoming a Patron, by giving on a regular basis through this Programme, means we are able to support Priests who retire or become ill.

No matter their place or need, the Patrons' Programme is dedicated to saying 'Thank You' for their years of service, ensuring our priests receive the best care and support they deserve when they retire or sadly, fall ill.

Yes, I would like to become a Patron today.

Title First name

Surname

Address

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..... Postcode

Telephone

Email

I am happy to be contacted via Telephone Email [PLEASE TICK]

I would like to make a monthly donation of:

£20 £40 £60 £100 or other £

(To set up your Standing Order please complete the form overleaf)

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If you are a UK taxpayer, you could add 25% to your donation, at no additional cost to you.

I would like to Gift Aid all my donations to the Sick & Retired Priests' Fund.

I am a UK Taxpayer and I understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations, it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

Signature Date

Protecting your privacy

Your personal details and donations will be stored securely on the Diocese of Westminster's database. We comply with data protection regulation and the Fundraising Regulator's code of practice. We will never sell your data to third parties. We will use your details to administer your gifts, occasionally send you news on the work of the Church, and give you the opportunity to support future appeals. We only share information with external organisations working on our behalf or when required by law (e.g. to claim Gift Aid). You can read our full privacy policy on rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy. To update your contact preferences, email supportercare@rcdow.org.uk or call 020 7798 9025.

Paying by Cheque

I would like to donate £ by cheque made payable to WRCDT – Sick & Retired Priests

Please send this form in an envelope to:
Sick & Retired Priests' Fund, Office
of Fundraising & Stewardship,
46 Francis Street, London, SW1P 1QN

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I would like to set up a regular donation via Standing Order

Complete this form if:

- You are a new Patron or
- You are already a Patron and you wish to increase/amend your regular donation with a new Standing Order

1. My Bank Details

To: The Manager (Bank/Building Society)

Address

.....

..... Postcode

2. Account Details

Name of my account

Sort Code: - -

Account Number:

3. Payee Details

Please pay the HSBC Bank, SW1Y 5EY.

For the Credit of WRCDT – Sick & Retired Priests

Sort Code: 40-05-20 Account Number: 01307894

4. About the Payment

First payment (please allow 30 working days)

Date day of (month) 20..... (year)

Please pay the sum of £20 £40 £60 £100

or other £ amount in words)

And thereafter make the same payment of the day of every month.

Signature Date

Note to Bank

This standing order is to cancel any existing standing order to the above account. Please print the donor's full name on the bank statement.

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