

The Parish Church of St. Wilfrid's, Calverley



Loving God - Loving Calverley - Growing Together

We invite you to take part in our

Patronage Scheme

Invest today in the future of St Wilfrid's Church

2024

What is the Patronage Scheme?

It is an opportunity for everybody in Calverley Parish and beyond to help St Wilfrid's Church serve the community of Calverley. The church is an important and beautiful landmark which holds a great deal of the history of the Parish. St Wilfrid's has always been at the heart of the community, there for family occasions, baptisms, weddings, and funerals as well as coffee shop, beer festivals, concerts and Christmas carols.

Your patronage will support the practical, ongoing costs of running and maintaining this beautiful building – preserving St Wilfrid's Church for future generations.

St Wilfrid's costs an average of £105 per day to heat and maintain.* There are also occasional larger repairs beyond these day-to-day expenses.

Why are we launching this Scheme now?

St Wilfrid's is a historic Grade II* listed building dating from the 12th century. All maintenance and restoration work must be sensitive to its age and status. Good daily maintenance and skilled craftspeople are essential but come at a cost.

Who is the Patronage Scheme for?

The scheme is for anybody and everybody who loves St Wilfrid's and wants to play a part in keeping it as a well-maintained, warm and welcoming building serving the community of Calverley.

What does being a Patron mean?

You can choose a particular date, special to you, to support the running costs of St Wilfrid's. In 'sponsoring' that date your donation will help to cover the costs for your special day. If you would like to buy the same date every year, that would be fantastic!

How can I be a Patron for a day?

Simple! Just choose your significant date – remembering a loved one, a birthday, wedding anniversary, family occasion, or a special event in your life. You can choose more than one date if you wish. Then follow the instructions overleaf to make your donation. Don't forget to Gift Aid!

What do I receive for being a Patron?

- Your name will be placed in the Patron's Book in church, open at the current month and showing the date and occasion you are commemorating.
- The knowledge that **your** patronage will make a huge difference and that your donation is doing something very worthwhile to keep St Wilfrid's Church open for future generations.
- A commemorative certificate and bookmark as a thank you.

Every generous contribution will make a significant difference to the overall maintenance and day-to-day running costs of our beautiful church building, keeping it at the heart of our community.

If you would like to know more about St Wilfrid's Church, visit our website at: www.calverleyparish.church

More details of the Patronage Scheme and our work & mission can be seen in church.

*(based on our most recent figures).

Thank you for your generous support.

Please return this form to:
Mrs Margaret Roundhill
7, Town Gate, Calverley LS28 5NF

Tel: 0113256 7495

Email: margaret@calverleyparish.church

I wish to give a Patronage contribution of **£105 or more** for each date selected for 2024

Your name(s)

Your address, including postcode

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Your patronage date(s).....

Reason for your patronage

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I am happy to be contacted in future years.

You can pay by making a BACCs transfer using the reference '**patron**' and **your surname**.

The account details are:

Calverley Parish Church

NatWest, Sort Code: 56-00-36 Account Number: 9211535

Otherwise, please enclose a cheque made out to Calverley Parish Church PCC with this completed form to **Margaret** (details above).

Do you want to Gift Aid? (It costs you nothing, but the church will receive an additional 25p for every pound donated).

Yes No

I want St Wilfrid's Church to reclaim tax on this donation. 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, it is my responsibility to pay the difference.

Signed Date