

Giving from a business

Giving through a business account is not eligible for Gift Aid relief, but may be deductible for Corporation Tax purposes. Please let us know if you require a receipt or acknowledgement for your donation.

Give As You Earn or Stewardship Scheme

Your employer may run a Give As You Earn Scheme or you may choose to use an intermediary stewardship organisation. If this is the case then Trinity will receive your gifts as gross of any tax reclaim.

I don't want others to know what I give, how do you protect my anonymity?

We believe that your financial giving is a private matter between you and God. Although the finance team needs to identify giving for auditing and Gift Aid purposes, we work hard to ensure that your giving remains confidential (*Matthew 6:3*). Aside from the finance team, the church leadership and staff are not privy to information concerning individual's giving.

How are Trinity's finances regulated?

Trinity's accounts are independently audited and are regulated by the Charity Commission.

We always keen to respond to any questions or concerns about our finances and how we receive donations. Please email us if you would like to speak to member of the team finances@trinitycheltenham.com

If you have a concern regarding a vulnerable person and their giving to Trinity, you can also contact our church safeguarding officer in complete confidence neville.page-jones@trinitycheltenham.com

Trinity
CHELTENHAM

RESOURCING THE VISION

*'All in with God. All in with each other.
All in for the World.'*

Everything at Trinity involves our personal financial giving in response to God's goodness and provision.

Facilities to connect with hundreds every week in prayer and worship in person and online



Practical means to provide thousands of meals a year, love and support to the vulnerable in Trinity and on the streets

People and resources to engage with children and young people in our buildings, schools and in the community



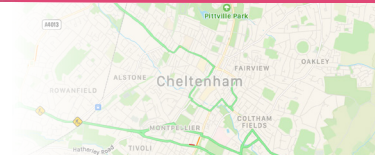
Resources to equip and teach faith across adult generations for everyday discipleship

Funding for Alpha and mission initiatives sharing the good news of Jesus and changing lives across Cheltenham



Provision to plant new churches and new mission networks for young people as a 'Resource church'

Mission enabling gifts and visits to support partners spreading the Gospel and changing nations across the world



Thank you if you are already playing a part in the story here & if you want to join in!

Why give to God's work through Trinity?

As for every Christian community, Trinity Cheltenham is resourced by God through the generosity of the church family.

The Bible teaches us to give first and foremost in response to God's love and provision. Giving though is also a powerful way in which we share in the adventure of following Jesus together and led by the Holy Spirit, serve our local community, national and international mission partnerships.

What the Bible says about giving

'For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also'

- Matthew 6:21

Everything we have comes from God. Our giving is in response to his generosity, never a duty. Jesus teaches us that money is not a neutral commodity but to make positive choices about how we can serve in advancing God's kingdom. When we answer the call to 'give first to the Lord' everything else begins to take proper shape.

'Each should give what they have decided in their own heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion for God loves a cheerful giver'

- 2 Corinthians 9:7

Our giving is to be a prayerful, considered and joyful act of worship. The Bible doesn't give a formula for how much to give – the Old Testament practice of tithing (10% of our income) is a starting point but the call is to greater faith and generosity.

'Therefore, everyone who hears these words Vof mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock'

- Matthew 7:24

Church family cannot work on good intentions. Trinity's mission and ministry relies solely on our giving and, whatever we believe God calls us to do, we need to put into action.

How can I give?

There are a number of ways to give financially to God's work through Trinity Cheltenham. We are grateful for every gift; however, a regular amount helps us to plan wisely and ensures the amount you feel called to give is being shared.

If you are a UK taxpayer, please let us have your personal details to make use of the Gift Aid scheme, as this will increase the value of your gift at no extra cost to you!

Giving regularly

Standing Orders, BACS or Internet Banking payments:

please credit Trinity Cheltenham, Account No. 52523454, Sort Code: 60-05-16

Recurring online gifts: visit trinitycheltenham.com/give
Charitable Gift Agencies (e.g. Stewardship, CAF, Charities Trust): our Registered Charity details are *Trinity Cheltenham, 100-102 Winchcombe St, Cheltenham GL52 2NW. Charity No. 1130299.*

One-off gifts

BACS or Internet Banking payments: please credit Trinity Cheltenham, Account No. 52523454, Sort Code: 60-05-16

On-line gifts: visit trinitycheltenham.com/give

Cash, card or gifts by cheque: Can be made at our Sunday Celebrations using our Giving Envelopes to identify your gift for Gift Aid purposes.

How Gift Aid works

If you are a UK tax payer, the government's Gift Aid scheme allows Trinity to reclaim 25p of tax for every £1 you give. You must pay UK income tax and/or capital gains tax that is at least equal to the amount of tax that Trinity reclaims on your gifts each tax year. If you are a higher rate tax payer, you may be able to gain additional relief for your giving on other tax allowances or credits. If your circumstances change and your gifts are no longer eligible for Gift Aid, please inform Trinity. For more information visit www.gov.uk/donating-to-charity/gift-aid.