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**Suggested Minimum Donation:** £15 per person / £25 per family per year

#### **Membership Application Form**

Name:		
Address:		
Postcode:		
Tel:		
Email:		
Signature:		
Date:		
Do you already receive a copy of the Harefield Month?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
If yes, how do you receive it?		

#### **Gift Aid Form**

(One person - the taxpayer - to complete this section) I would like to enhance my donation through Gift Aid. 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 any difference.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_

#### Banker's Order Form

To: The Manager

Bank Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Bank Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Please pay: Friends of St Mary's, the sum of:

£

Amount in Words: \_\_\_\_\_

Monthly / Quarterly / Annually (Delete as applicable)

Starting on: \_\_\_\_\_

(date you would like payment to be made) until further notice. From my account:

Account Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account Number:

Bank Sort Code: \_\_\_\_\_

My Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

For Bank use:

Please pay to: HSBC 131 High Street, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire WD3 1AP For the credit of Friends of St Mary's, Harefield Account no: 71539930 Sort Code: 40 - 38 - 20

Registered Charity Number: 1131313



## Become a Friend of St Mary's Church Harefield



The responsibility of caring for St Mary's never ceases

Date:

### St Mary the Virgin, Harefield

The Parish Church of St Mary's is Harefield's oldest building and has been its spiritual heart for centuries. It is described as the Westminster Abbey of West Middlesex because of its wealth of monuments.

The Domesday Survey shows that Harefield had a priest; so presumably there was a Church here at this time.

The Newdigate family were influential in creating the building that now exists. The building has been added to significantly throughout the ages and there are still numerous references to this family.

The monument to Alice, Countess of Derby is a very visible feature to the right of the Altar. She came to Harefield in 1601 and died here in 1637.



South of the Church there is an Australian Military Cemetery, where one hundred and eleven men and one nurse who died in the Great War are buried. They were cared for in Harefield Park where Harefield Hospital now stands. Since 1921 there has been an annual Service on Anzac Day, 25 April, when flowers are laid on each grave by children from the village.

## You Need Your Church!

For joyous occasions...

- Baptisms
- Weddings
- Renewing wedding vows

In the difficult times...

- When stress builds up
- In times of loneliness or isolation
- Funerals
- For comfort when a loved one passes away

## **The Church Needs You!**

You can help us to ensure the historic Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin Harefield remains standing and is there for you and the community.

## Become a Friend of St Mary's today. It's easy!

Anyone can become a Friend; individuals, couples or families. Complete the form and help preserve this beautiful and historic Church so that it can remain open to serve the local community.

## It works both ways

Membership will include a copy of the monthly magazine – the Harefield Month – and other benefits and events as they are announced throughout the year.

(The Harefield Month can be sent electronically if you provide an e-mail address).





# Here to grow, serve and support

If you would like further information or would like prayer support at any time please see the website or contact the Parish Office:

The Vicarage 28 Countess Close Harefield Middlesex UB9 6DL

Tel: 01895 825960 Email: office@stmarys-harefield.org.uk

www.stmarys-harefield.org.uk

Please complete the detachable Application Form and return to the Church or post to the above address.

The **Gift Aid Form** is to be completed for UK taxpayers (the church greatly benefits from this)

The Banker's Order Form is the ideal way to subscribe

Cheques are payable to: Friends of St Mary's

Thank you for your support

