



St Vincent de Paul Society
(England & Wales)

Our Lady of The Annunciation Bishop Eton SVP

We have now resumed our monthly collections and we are very grateful to all the people who during lockdown

1. Made one off donations,
2. Set up standing orders
3. Signed gift aid forms,

which allowed us to continue our regular commitments to the poor and homeless in our city and support parish volunteers who help with visits to Lourdes and donations to local food banks and other SVP causes in our area

Last year when funds were getting very low parishioners responded magnificently to our appeals and this has allowed us to continue almost as normal. We thank you very much for your help and support.

Christmas collection 5/12/2021

Text giving is now available as an alternative for donations and the details below are ready to use for accepting both one-off and regular donations.

Text **SVP** to 70085 to donate £1

Text **SVP** to 70450 to donate £3

Text **SVP** to 70460 to donate £5

Text **SVP** to 70470 to donate £10

*Texts cost your donation amount plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give a donation but do not wish to receive marketing communications Text **SVPNOINFO** to the same number.*

Gift Aid: if you pay income tax, please don't forget to gift aid your donation. For every £1 donated, the parish can reclaim 25p! An easy to use form relating to the gift aid scheme can be delivered to you

For further information or to set up payments and gift aid please email **besvp@f2s.com**

The role of the SVP within the parish is mostly visiting people in their homes or care homes, they may be old, ill or find it difficult to get out and would like a regular or occasional chat with members of the SVP who are both men and women. If you would like us to visit you or know someone who may benefit from a visits please contact us via email above or the parish office.

If you wish to refer someone other than yourself you must have their permission.

We are aware that for many elderly people a visit from the SVP has a stigma attached to it but we are trying to lose that image. We see ourselves as a befriending group and get as much satisfaction from the visits as those we visit do. At the moment we could see more people than we do so would welcome more friends to visit.

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