



**St Francis Anglican Chaplaincy  
of Tenerife South  
From the Gift Aid secretary**



From the Gift Aid secretary Alan Charlesworth

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The Chaplaincies within the Diocese in Europe differ in several respects from a normal Parish within the UK. The most striking of these is the fact that the Chaplaincy, alone, is responsible for the Chaplain's stipend, pension payments and the provision and servicing of his residence. Because some of these expenses have to be paid in Euros and others in Pounds Sterling it is necessary for a chaplaincy to maintain two bank accounts.

In Tenerife South to maintain the Chaplaincy we need just over 5,000€ per month from the Euro account and £1,000 from the Sterling account. At present the Euro account is running at an annual deficit of 5,500€ and after paying for the Chaplain's pension and the Diocesan Common fund (Quota) the Sterling account is running at a deficit of around £2,000 a year which has to be made up by a transfer from the Euro account where the bulk of our income, collections and fund raising, is received. Such transfers are expensive in Spanish bank charges and are at the whims of the exchange rate mechanism. It also requires us to dip into our reserves.

If you would like to support the work of our Chaplaincy here in Tenerife South in a long term way by making out a sterling Bank Standing order to our Sterling account, and thus become a Friend of the Anglican Chaplaincy of Tenerife South (FACTS), you would be helping us to meet our commitments and ensure that the Chaplaincy continues to provide a framework in which we can continue our mission in Tenerife. We also give a free subscription to the magazine to FACTS members.

On the following pages you will find a bank standing order form which you can fill in and send the top half to your bank and the bottom half to me so that I know who subsequent donations are from. If you are also willing to Gift Aid the donation, which will enable us to reclaim some of the tax you have already paid, for the benefit of the the chaplaincy, please fill in the declaration form and return it to me at.

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Finally may I thank you for taking the time to read this far. If I can be of any further assistance in giving further information about the activities of the chaplaincy please do not hesitate to get in touch with me, preferably by email.

*Alan Charlesworth*

# Bank Standing Order

Please return this form to Your Bank

To the Manager of (*your Bank*)  
.....Bank Plc  
Address .....  
.....Postcode .....  
Sort Code .....-.....-.....  
My account No .....  
My account Name .....

Please pay  
**'The Chaplaincy of Tenerife South'**  
At NatWest Plc  
Sort Code 60 - 08 - 31  
Account No 63550873

The Sum of £ ..... (*figures*)  
..... (*words*)  
Annually/quarterly/monthly  
*delete as appropriate*  
Commencing on ..... (*date*)  
Until further notice

This order cancels the instructions  
dated .....  
in favour of the above charity

Signed .....  
Date .....



From  
First name ..... Surname .....  
Address .....  
.....  
.....  
Postcode .....

To  
The Gift Aid Secretary  
Alan Charlesworth  
18 Oakfield Close  
Frome, BA11 4JL

I have made out a Bank Standing Order for for £ ..... Payable Annually/quarterly/monthly  
*delete as appropriate*  
and have sent it to my bank



# St Francis Anglican Chaplaincy of Tenerife South



## Gift Aid Declaration

From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_  
 First name ..... Surname ..... The Gift Aid Secretary  
 Address ..... Alan Charlesworth  
 ..... 18 Oakfield Close  
 ..... Frome, BA11 4JL  
 Postcode .....

This declaration refers to all donations I have made since 1<sup>st</sup> January 2009 and all donations I make hereafter until I notify you otherwise.

I am a UK tax payer.

Please treat my donations as Gift Aid donations and reclaim tax on them.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Notes

- *You must pay an amount of UK income tax, capital gains tax or tax on savings equal to the tax we reclaim on your donations (25p for every £ 1 you give)*
- *Remember to notify us if you change your address.*
- *If your circumstances change and you no longer pay UK tax equal to the tax that the Diocese in Europe reclaims, please notify us and we will cancel this declaration.*
- *You may cancel this declaration at any time.*