

Belhaven and Spott Parish Church - Gift Day 2024

Online and Direct Donations

Dear Parishioner,

In addition to the detail in this Flyer for Gift Day, you may be interested in other ways of donating to Belhaven and Spott Church. This can be done in two ways:

Way 1 – through the Church of Scotland Online Donations Portal.

Access to donating through this portal is via this link:

<https://cos.churchofscotland.org.uk/donate/>

Once in the portal, you will find three steps to donating:

Step 1 – scrolling down, you will be offered the opportunity to donate to your own Congregation – and in the box provided, you insert “Belhaven and Spott” and the name will automatically come up and you click on that name.

Step 2 – Gift Aid Declaration. If you already are a Gift Aider, then this will be straightforward. If you are new to the process, you must be a tax payer and you should follow the instructions on the page to ensure that your donation attracts 25% additional income for the church. **Please note: if you are intending to claim Gift Aid, please ensure you make a note of the amount and let Andrew Brown (Gift Aid Co-ordinator for Belhaven and Spott Church) know you have made that donation. He can then claim the Gift Aid benefit from HMRC.**

Step 3 – Donation Amount – this is the actual amount you want to give through the “PayPal” site. PayPal is an internationally secure site and totally trustworthy. The site charges a fee of 1.4% + 20 p for processing, but this is a small amount, and comes off your donation without you having to do anything.

Way 2 – Direct Donations to the Belhaven and Spott Account. Should you wish to pay directly to the church account (e.g., through your bank, by cheque or internet banking). the details of the Belhaven and Spott Account are as follows:

Sort Code: 83-18-08

Account No: 00235435