

## Gift Aid Declaration

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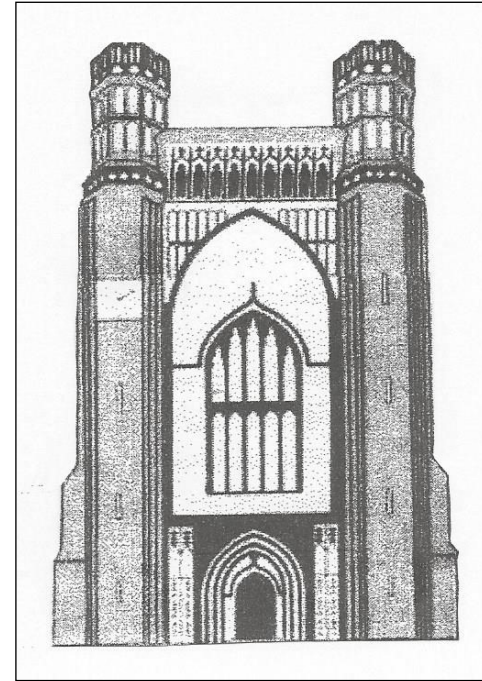
Please treat as Gift Aid donations all qualifying gifts of money made  
Today  in the past 4 years  in the future   
(Please tick ALL boxes you wish to apply).

I confirm that I am a tax payer and have paid/will pay the amount of income tax an/or  
capital gains tax that is at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities that I  
donate to will reclaim on my gifts for the tax year.

Name.....

Address.....

Signature.....



**Thorney Abbey**

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**Adopt A  
Day**

**and help us keep  
the Abbey alive!**

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**[www.thorneyabbey.org.uk](http://www.thorneyabbey.org.uk)  
Charity Commission no. X51639**

Please return the back page of this form to:

Thorney Abbey 'Adopt A Day'

c/o Mrs D. Mold

7, Church Lane

Crowland

Peterborough

PE6 0ER

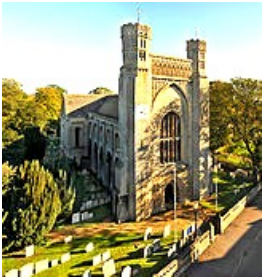
Thorney Abbey is very grateful for your support.

*Thank you!*



There have been people worshipping in Thorney for over 1000 years, with the current building having been the centre of Christian life in the village since 1638.

Thorney Abbey today still has a regular congregation and choir, but it is also the venue for community events, such as the Flower Festival, Christmas Tree Festival and concerts.



Keeping the Abbey open costs nearly £44,000 a year, that's about £120 a day! And that's before the money required for repairs, restoration and improvements. The Abbey is a listed building, so as you can imagine, these can be very high sums indeed! All this money has to be found through fund raising events and gratefully received donations. The Church of England receives NO money from the government,

However, it is getting increasingly difficult to cover the day to day costs, let alone funding any new improvements. For this reason, we are asking if you would be prepared to 'Adopt a Day' and help us keep the Abbey open for future generations.

To 'Adopt a Day, all you have to do is donate £10 a month for one year by standing order. In return, you get to choose a day which will be YOUR DAY! It could be an anniversary or birthday or in memory of someone special. You will receive a certificate with your name and chosen date on it and this will also be recorded in a special book to be kept in the Abbey. Also, with your permission, we would like to say thank you to our adopters by publishing a list of names in the monthly magazine and church noticeboards.

If you would like to adopt a day, then please complete the form opposite, detach it and send it to us at the address overleaf.

**Your promise**

I/We promise to pay £..... each..... to Thorney Abbey to adopt ..... because .....

**Your Day**

Name(s).....

Address.....

I/We would like to adopt .....

I/We chose this day because .....

I/We give permission for my/our names to be displayed

**Standing Order Instruction**

Your Details

To the Manager.....Bank

Address.....

Account Name.....

Sort Code..... Account Number.....

Please set up the following Standing Order and debit my/our account accordingly.

Our Details

Name of Organisation **Thorney Abbey Parochial Church Council**

Sort Code **20-67-37** Account Number **70899631**

Reference **'Adopt A Day'**

Payment Details

Amount of first payment £.....Date of first payment.....

Amount of usual payment£.....Date of usual payment.....

Frequency of payment.....Date of last payment.....

(weekly/monthly/annually) or continue until further notice

Signature(s).....

Date..... Contact telephone number.....